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ONE OF THE FINEST BRUTALLY CLUBS A WOMAN'S DEFENDER.

After Using Low Language in Presence of Mrs. Walsh's Daughter He Starts to Arrest Mrs. Walsh, Objecting to His Words—Bernard Cahill Interferes and is Nearly Killed.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Several property-holders and business men were in Jefferson Market yesterday, interested in a clubbing case in which a policeman was the clubber. Bernard Cahill, 21 years of age, and Francis P. Reilly, of the same age, had been arrested by Policeman Patrick McCullough for interfering with him while, as he said, he was in the discharge of his duty. The policeman was at the time arresting a woman. Cahill was a pitiable sight. He looked as if every particle of color had been beaten out of him. His head was tied up in a blood-stained cotton bandage.

Lawyer Joseph H. Stiner ascertained that the prisoners were clubbed while attempting to defend Mrs. Mary Walsh, a reputable business woman, from being clubbed by McCullough. The policeman said that while he was in Hudson street Mrs. Walsh called him opprobrious names and he told her to go away. She refused, and caused a crowd to collect, so he was going to arrest her.

Mrs. Walsh, who is the mother of a respectable family, is a portly woman, weighing nearly 250 pounds. She keeps a furniture store in Hudson street, between Clarkson and Houston, and lives at No. 294 West Houston street. It was about 7.30 Saturday night, she said, when Mrs. Stanberry, her daughter, told McCullough that two men had violently kicked another, and that the injured man was lying in the gutter in Houston street. McCullough went to the place and found three young men indulging in horse-play. Mrs. Stanberry went to her own door and stood beside her mother. The policeman followed her. As soon as he approached, she says he addressed her with an oath and said: "You don't want to send an officer to any such thing as that." Mrs. Walsh objected to him using vile language to her daughter.

The policeman then directed his attention to the mother, who was dressed in a calico wrapper, and told her to attend to her own business. She again remonstrated with him and he took hold of her by the arm to drag her to the station. She said that he knocked her down and raised his club to strike her, at this moment Bernard Cahill, who is a painter and lives at No. 77 Charlton street, ran up to the policeman, and although a much smaller man caught hold of the upraised club and said:

"Don't strike a woman."

The policeman pushed the young man aside, saying: "What business have you interfering!" and applied the club with telling effect upon the head of the woman's defender. Blow after blow was laid upon the sides and top of the small man's head, until he yelled with pain. A crowd quickly gathered and shouted to the policeman not to kill Cahill. When the blood began to stream down Cahill's clothing he grew faint and sick. He was then made a prisoner.

Reilly is a plumber's helper and lives at No. 41 Clarkson street. He told the policemen he would shoot him if he had a pistol. Then McCullough's strong arm fell upon Reilly, and he was arrested. Surrounded by a big crowd the policeman made his way to the Charles street station with his three prisoners. The ambulance was sent for and Cahill's wounds were dressed.

The policeman knew nothing against the character of Mrs. Walsh. Justice Gorman discharged her. In the case of Cahill the policeman stated that he belonged to a gang that hangs around the corner of Clarkson and Hudson streets. Witnesses were produced who showed that Cahill was an industrious young man who never associated with any "gang." Justice Gorman discharged Cahill, with the remark that he had been punished enough already. Reilly was fined $5. It is understood that complaints will be lodged with the Commissioners against the policeman.

1,149 Saloons Closed.

NEWARK, N. J., July 2.—At the stroke of midnight yesterday morning, the license of 1,149 saloons in this city expired and their doors were closed, not to be opened again until a fee of $250 each shall have been paid into the city treasury. A number of saloon keepers propose to conduct business without license until the test cases awaiting a decision have been settled. On the other hand the Excise Commissioners have authorized Inspector Yedder and a number of minor officials to report all violations of the law and to arrest every one selling liquor without a license.

Cable-Road Accident in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 2.—By the breaking of a cable on the North Side street railroad, last night, a scene of great excitement and terror occurred, at the corner of La Salle and Monroe streets. The broken cable wound itself around the grip of a large car so that the car could not be stopped, and it collided with a train of three cars that had stopped further along. About 60 passengers were on the two trains, and one car was thrown on its side and pushed with its occupants an entire block. Several women were hurt by climbing out of the windows, but none fatally.

Nine Horses Burned.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 2.—A fire yesterday afternoon destroyed one of the largest stables at the West Harrisburg stock yards. There were twenty-nine fine horses in it, but all except nine were rescued. They were owned by J. S. Mehrbach of New York city, and arrived from the West yesterday morning.

Where Was the Flagman?

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 2.—While John Kennedy, a farmer, aged 33, was driving across the railroad track yesterday afternoon near Brookfield, he was struck by a train and fatally injured.

Consecrating a Bishop.

BALTIMORE, July 2.—Bishop-Elect Horid, of the Abbey of St. Mary, of North Carolina, was yesterday consecrated Bishop of the Vicarite of North Carolina by Cardinal Gibbons, at the Cathedral.

Yellow Fever in Florida.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 2.—Two cases of yellow fever are reported at Plant City, but no fear of a spread of the disease is entertained.

Florida Oranges all Right.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 2.—The orange crop is estimated at 2,000,000 boxes, and the fruit promises to be of extra fine quality.

SAYS IT WAS SELF-DEFENSE.

Brouty and His Mother Claim that Wood Fired First.

NEW YORK, June 2.—Policeman Thomas Woods of Mount Vernon, who was shot dead by Frank Edward Brouty while he was trying to arrest him on Saturday afternoon, left his family well provided for. His life was heavily insured for a man in his circumstances. Francis Brouty, a florist, the father of the murderer, abandoned his home and went to the house of a neighbor. He expresses the utmost sorrow and sympathy for Mrs. Woods and her family. He was a personal friend of Mr. Woods, the murdered man. His grief is so intense that his friends keep him under surveillance, lest he should take his own life.

Mrs. Brouty, in White Plains Jail, said yesterday, "I don't see why they arrested me, I did nothing except to seize the policeman when he was going to shoot Frank. Frank thought Woods had shot me, when he only missed him, and so he fired and killed Woods, who had already fired three shots at Frank."

Frank, in his cell, would have little to say, but that when he objected to being arrested without a warrant, Woods shot at him.

"He drew a revolver and fired a shot which missed me. I beat a retreat. My mother then implored him not to kill me, whereupon he levelled his pistol over her shoulder, and, as he did so, attempted to fire. I shot him in self-defence with my gun."

"Why did you hit him with your gun, causing it to break?"

"I did not; the stock came off, and I threw it on the ground."

Set her Husband on Fire.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Mary Magdalena Schreiner yesterday confessed to Capt. Schaack that she murdered her husband. At about 2 o'clock last Sunday morning Schreiner, who had been lying drunk on the steps of the apartment house where they lived, was found running and shrieking in terror through the street, his clothing one mass of flame. The poor wretch was finally stopped and the flames subdued, but he died in a few minutes. His wife, an ignorant German aged 20, now confesses that she poured kerosene on her husband's clothing as he lay on the steps in a drunken stupor, and then touched a match to it and disappeared inside the house. She expresses no sorrow for the crime, and seems stolid and indifferent.

Church Rivalry in Politics.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 2.—A political sensation was caused here Saturday by the publication of a card in which the influence of the Episcopal Church in politics was denounced. It was charged that the only way to the office of Governor lay through that church, and that it controlled the State University and all the patronage of the State, notwithstanding the fact that it is the weakest denomination in the State numerically. The card closed with the nomination of State Senator Giles J. Patterson, of Chester, for Governor, on the ground that he is a Methodist and a Sunday-school superintendent.

No Change in the Situation.

PITTSBURG, July 2.—The Lorhour Rolling Mill Company at Chattanooga, Tenn., has signed the $5.50 scale of the Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers, making eight firms in all thus far. These firms together employ about 6,000 men, all of whom will continue work to-day as usual. This is the only change in the situation to note today, but the men look for more breaks in the manufacturers' ranks before the week is far advanced. A dispatch received to-night from New Albany, Ind., says the Ohio Falls Iron Works, employing 400 men, closed down indefinitely Saturday.

Hugh O. Penticost Hedges.

NEWARK, N. J., July 2.—Hugh O. Penticost preached to an immense congregation last night on "The Presidential Nominees." He complimented Cleveland upon his administration and then praised General Harrison in almost identical terms. He concluded by giving his ideas as to how the government could best be carried on, and by wishing success to the administration of the men who won at the polls.

Five Criminals Escape.

WOOSTER, Ohio, July 2.—Yesterday morning five criminals, all there were in the prison here, escaped. They pried off the bars in the closet and slid into the cellar where a heavy iron bar was used to force the grated door. Three of them were charged with burglary, one with bigamy and one whose sentence expired yesterday for misdemeanor. A large posse of citizens is scouring the country for them.

Two of the Bodies Picked Up.

NEWBURG, July 2.—The bodies of Mrs. B. B. Odell, jr., and Miss Annie Miller, who were drowned at the Enid collision with the steamer Baldwin, in Newburg Bay, Wednesday night, were recovered yesterday morning. Miss Miller was picked up at the Pennsylvania coal dock, about one mile north of the scene of the collision. Mrs. Odell was found floating near the New Hamburg buoy.

An Old Resident of Orange Dead.

ORANGE, N. J., July 2.—Nelson Lindsley, one of the most prominent and oldest residents of Orange, died to-day at his home in this place. Mr. Lindsley, who was born in 1808, was a descendant of Francis Lindsley, who was one of the first settlers in Newark, in 1644. Mr. Lindsley was a member of the firm of N. & G. Lindsley. He leaves a widow, three sons and two daughters.

Earthquake in Canada.

MONTREAL, July 2.—A light shock of earthquake passed over this city about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon. The shock was not very heavy in the city, but in the cemetery several graves on the slope of a hill were cracked open and considerable consternation was caused.

A Mason Hangs Himself.

LAFAYETTE, Ind., July 2.—Henry Epstein, a clothing merchant here, hanged himself from a chandelier at his residence on Saturday. He was a Mason, Knight of Pythias and Odd Fellow.

Bullets for a Faithless Wife.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 2.—Mrs. Jesse Johnson, who, a few months ago, deserted her husband, was met on the street last night by him and shot several times. He then shot himself.

Drowned While Bathing.

BRAZIL, Ind., July 2.—Harvey Rogers, Jr., aged 19 years, while bathing in a pond yesterday morning was drowned. He was a member of the high school graduating class.

IN MEMORY OF GETTYSBURG.

FIFTY THOUSAND SURVIVORS NOW ON THE BATTLE FIELD.

Exercises Yesterday in the Camp—The South Greets the North—The Real Business of the Celebration Begins To-day—The Greatest Memorial Reunion Ever Held Anywhere in the World.

GETTYSBURG, July 2.—The blue and the gray are again tented on the historic field were twenty-five years ago probably one of the greatest struggles known to warfare was fought. Thousands upon thousands of veterans—the remnant of the two great armies—have again besieged Gettysburg to mingle in sweet reunion and forgetfulness. From the North and South have they come; some bearing the battle-scarred marks received on that day a quarter of a century ago when so many brave Yanks and Johnnies went down to their death.

This reunion, the like of which no page of history tells, will last for three days, and there will be in all 150 monuments dedicated by the different States—and, though eulogistic, reminders of the heroes they lost. Every train and ferry has been besieged with veterans and their friends, and to-day many thousands more are expected to arrive.

East Cemetery Hill is again covered with snow white tents, and the grain in the fields about it is again waving with golden richness, and the grass has grown over the redoubts fresher and greener for its baptismal of ruddy dew. When the sun broke yesterday morning it lit up a scene that was impressive in the extreme. From out a tent, at Cemetery Hill, there stepped a bugler, and the clarion notes of "wake, soldier wake" again rang out.

In a moment the tented field was alive, and veterans clasped each other and wept as the last notes of the bugle call died away. Many years had elapsed since the bugle call sounded "to arms" on the morning of that bloody battle day, and the blood was again sent coursing through the veins of the men who had participated in the greatest strife of America's great civil war. They are tears of love and honor that now fall at Gettysburg, and memories of the Union's decisive battle are rekindled in every breast.

At the reunion of both armies to-day the ceremonies will be of the nature of a love feast. General Sickles will preside. Governor Beaver, of Pennsylvania, will deliver an address of welcome to the soldiers of Northern Virginia, to which Professor McCabe, of Petersburg, will respond. Bishop Potter will offer the opening prayer, and the president of the Theological Seminary of Gettysburg will pronounce the benediction. The reunion of the Army of the Potomac will be held today also, when George William Curtis will deliver the oration and George Parsons Lathrop will read a poem.

Tremendous Mortality in Washington.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 2.—The recent hot wave, followed by a long rainy spell, has resulted in an extraordinarily heavy mortality here. The health office books show nearly 300 deaths in the past two weeks. However, a large proportion were children. So great has been this havoc that parents are advised to send their children to the country.

Striking in the West.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., July 2.—The Ohio Falls Iron Works, employing 400 men, closed down indefinitely Saturday night by reason of the iron masters and Amalgamated Association of Iron and Steel Workers failing to agree upon a wage scale. A large number of the Amalgamated Association are at work in the other rolling mills.

Temperance to Aid Strikers.

CHICAGO, July 2.—By a vote of 49 to 9 the Trade and Labor Assembly to-day adopted a resolution recommending all members of unions to totally abstain from drinking beer for thirty days as a means of compelling brewers to take back the men who went out on a strike three months ago.

Killed on the Track.

AMSTERDAM, N. Y., July 2.—The terribly mutilated body of Mrs. William Quackenbush, aged 53, was found on the Central Hudson Railroad yesterday morning. Mrs. Quackenbush lived in this city. Her husband lives in Mount Vernon, N. Y. She was killed by the night express.

Fire in a Newspaper Office.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Fire was discovered in the sub-cellar of No. 39 Park place, occupied by the GRAPHIC, yesterday morning. The flames originated in a pile of oily rags. The damage to the building is $2,000 and to the stock $500.

Baseball Games Played Sunday.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	—3
Brooklyn	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	—2

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—5
Athletics	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	—3

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1
Baltimore	0	0	0	2	0	0	1	3		—6

AT KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City	0	2	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	—5
Cleveland	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	0		—6

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 1, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost
Chicago	35	17	St. Louis	36	15
Detroit	33	19	Brooklyn	39	19
Boston	32	24	Athletic	33	20
New York	30	23	Cincinnati	33	22
Philadelphia	26	24	Baltimore	26	28
Pittsburg	17	31	Cleveland	18	35
Indianapolis	17	34	Louisville	16	39
Washington	17	35	Kansas City	14	37

Death of a Catholic Prelate.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Rev. Patrick Conway, Vicar-General of the Diocese Northern Illinois, died early yesterday morning, after a lingering illness. Archbishop Feehan will preach the funeral sermon next Tuesday.

Emperors to Meet at Gastein.

BERLIN, July 2.—Emperor Francis Joseph, of Austria, and the Empress Elizabeth are expected at Gastein in a few days. They will prolong their visit in order to meet Emperor William after his visit to the Czar.

No Sunday Law in Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 2.—Saloons universally disregarded the Sunday law yesterday. No attempt was made to arrest the violators. There has been a great deal of noise and confusion in consequence.

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OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Mr. Seely Edsall's store will be open to-morrow evening.

—The regular monthly meeting of the City Council will take place this evening.

—A boy's second-hand tricycle, with rubber tires and in good condition, is advertised for sale, elsewhere.

—Janitor Mattox conducted the fireworks display on Saturday evening, in a thoroughly competent manner.

—If you want fireworks of the best and at the lowest prices, go to Warden & Fowler's, 29 Park avenue.

—Among the many merchants who will not open their stores on the Fourth, are Messrs Doane & VanArsdale.

—The regular business meeting of the W. C. T. U., will be held in its rooms, 73 West Front street, to-morrow afternoon.

—A regular meeting of the Exempt Fireman's Association will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, in their rooms over the First National Bank.

—The Republicans will probably swing a banner to the breeze at the corner of Front street and Park avenue, in the course of a week or two.

—Mr. Halsey Magie, recently in the employ of Mr. Asa Collier, has opened a jewelry establishment of his own on DeKalb avenue, Brooklyn.

—The 8 o'clock meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening will be led by Mr. H. G. Adams. Subject: "Burn the Bridge," Col. 2:6. All men heartily welcome.

—The Central New Jersey Land Improvement Company, has contracted for the erection of twenty-five new dwelling houses, in the vicinity of the Pond Tool works.

—The rooms of the W. C. T. U., 73 West Front street, will be open during the day and evening of July 4. Refreshments will be served by the ladies, and a cordial invitation is extended to all.

—The Sunday school of the Dunellen M. E. church will hold a strawberry and iced cream festival in the station park, at Dunellen, on the afternoon and evening of July 4. Messrs. Warden & Fowler of this city will furnish the refreshments.

—Some of the City Councilmen recommend the spreading of crushed stone on East Fourth street, from Peace to Richmond street. Since the Central Railroad Company has erected the siding along East Fourth Street, most of the loaded freight cars are side-tracked there, and the travel to and from them is wholly via East Fourth street.

Let the Dead Rest, at Least.

The "*News*" can't even let the dead rest. A few days ago it reported that the father of the Rev. A. H. Tuttle "sat at the feet of Bishop Vincent" during one Sunday evening's service. Yet the aged gentleman is long since deceased.

Saturday it stated that the widow of the late "undertaker Leason" was "willing to sell" the property on Front street adjoining the City National Bank. The late undertaker Leeson never had a widow, and the widow of his father the former undertaker, died years ago.

A Good Place to Drive to On the Fourth.

The Chapel Fund Association of Washingtonville, have made arrangements to celebrate the Fourth of July by giving a lawn party and iced cream festival during the afternoon and evening. Parties driving through the beautiful valley will have an opportunity for rest and refreshments and at the same time be aiding a worthy cause.

Services at Trinity Reformed Church.

A large audience gathered in Trinity Reformed church last evening, to hear the pastor deliver a national sermon on "A Revival of Patriotism a Need of the Times." Rev. Mr. Schenck took his text from Psalm 144, and a part of the 15th verse—"Happy is that People whose God is the Lord."

The learned divine began his discourse by alluding to patriotism, adding that by patriotism we mean the love of our country—that love which combines law and order. Patriotism is not confined to any particular individuals, but all should be patriots in a true sense. All have sometimes been at fault in knowing what patriotism is, which is to obey the Constitution—stand by its laws. To be unpatriotic is to be ungrateful. If we are not well governed, it lies with the individual; the country undergoes certain physical and moral changes.

Here he compared the extent in area of France and Prussia with the States of Texas and Pennsylvania, and referred at length to the condition and climate of this country.

Referring to the temperance question he said: I do not speak as a temperance advocate, but as a minister. Many of the political primaries are held in our saloons, which has a demoralizing influence upon many of our political leaders. The love for one's country should be greater than for one's self. The distilleries and saloons he spoke of as being dangerous foes of God.

The preacher also alluded to the Anarchists, who, he said, believe in no government, but would gladly put to death any officer of the law—whose delight it is to burn buildings and pitch into the clergy. This class of men believe in revolution. The Anarchist is fearless of the restraint of the law, yet slinking into a hole for safety when pursued. The only proper place for an Anarchist is in a cell.

With reference to immigrants who arrive in this country and are willing to work, the poor and oppressed of other climes, who cast their lot with us, he compared them as superior to the Anarchists.

Education he concluded cannot produce prohibition and good government, but fidelity to God, and by honoring and serving Him, we pay homage to our country. We should also stand by the gospel of Jesus Christ, and the laws of the gospel.

Saturday's Racing.

There was an unusually large attendance at the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association on Saturday afternoon, to witness a series of trial contests of speed between local horses. The track was in an excellent condition, and some good time was made. The Judges were Messrs. Kelly, Van Syckle, Johnson and Williams.

The first event of the day was a mile heat, by Mr. Zimmerman's team, "Dan" and mate. The mile was trotted in 2:50.

Following came the most exciting race of the day, between Mr. J. W. Johnson's "Lady Thistle" and Mr. A. C. Vail's "Betsy Bobbitt." The first heat was hotly contested, both horses crossing the line about the same time. The heat was given to "Betsy Bobbitt." Time 2:47½. The second heat was also won by Mr. Vail's horse in 2:45.

Two one mile heats between Mr. John Hayes' horse "Andy" and Mr. Bert Darby's "Meteor," were won by the former, in 2:56½ and 2:51½.

Then came a mile heat between "Care-Not," owned by John Osborn, and Mr. Mahlon Vail's bay horse. The latter horse won the heat in 3:02½.

"Ledger Boy," Mr. Edward Waring's horse, trotted two single mile heats with Mr. Zimmerman's "Dan," winning both heats in 2:47 and 2:48½. This completed the day's racing.

There is a probability of some exciting races taking place on the track on the Fourth, weather permitting. There will also be some fine trotting at Waverly on that day.

Plainfield Wins the Ocean Race.

In Friday's PRESS was given the list of homing pigeons from this city and Newark that were to be taken out to sea on the Steamer "Cherokee" and released at some time on Saturday.

From Plainfield lofts, Mr. Hervey Doane sent "Cherokee," who has a record of 300 miles from Lovingston, Va.; Mr. F. B. Stevens sent "Mercury," with a record of 115 miles from Havre de Grace, Md., and Mr. Charles Doane sent "Ariel," who has a record of 210 miles from Manassas, Va.

With these birds were "Tommy Snooks," who has an 800-mile record, and "Maybe-so," with a 500-mile record, who were entered in the race from the respective lofts of Messrs. Geo. H. Bowerman and W. B. Garrabrant of Newark.

It was the first ocean race under Federation rules that Newark birds had flown in, and consequently Mr. Bowerman was tickled almost to death when "Tommy Snooks" arrived in his loft at 5:30 o'clock on the afternoon of the same day that he had been released in mid-ocean.

But when Mr. Bowerman received a telegram from President Hervey Doane of the Plainfield Club, announcing the arrival of "Cherokee" in his loft here at 2:21½ o'clock P. M., the Newark gentleman had nothing to say.

Mr. Stevens' bird "Mercury" also got back the same afternoon, but was not timed. "Ariel" and "Maybe-so" have not yet returned.

The Plaintiff Won.

The case of Mary Comer vs. Susan Compton was tried on Friday last before a twelve-men jury, at Dunellen, and resulted in favor of the plaintiff in a verdict of $200 and costs. W. R. Codington, Esq., of Jackson & Codington, was the successful party's attorney.

BASE BALL.

The Y. M. C. A. Crescents Failed to Score at Roseville, and the Potters Were Defeated by the Alerts.

On the afternoon of Saturday, June 9, the Crescents on their own grounds, defeated the Rosevilles by a score of 5 to 3. Last Saturday, the Rosevilles on *their* own grounds returned the compliment by whitewashing the Crescents.

The Plainfield boys didn't play a little bit, and although it is true the umpire also was dead against them, yet they would have been beaten under any circumstances. The score was as follows:

ROSEVILLES.	R	O	CRESCENTS.	R	O
Babcock, 1b	1	3	G. Cadmus, c & 1b.	0	2
Gates, p	1	2	Lee, 3b	0	3
Durfield, lf	0	4	Murray, lf	0	2
LeValla, ss	0	4	McMurray, 1b & c.	0	3
Dodd, 2b	2	2	Demarest, cf	0	4
F. Lethredge, cf	2	2	Dilts, 2b	0	4
Ellor, rf	0	2	Stewart, rf	0	3
E. Lethredge, 3b	1	3	W. Cadmus, p	0	3
Chandler, c	1	2	Cornwall, ss	0	3
	8	24		0	27

ROSEVILLES—2	0	0	0	3	2	0	1	*—8
CRESCENTS— 0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

ALERTS VS. POTTERS.

On the Potter grounds, Saturday afternoon, a very interesting game was played between two nines that include in their numbers many of the best ball players in the city. Mr. Thomas Keller umpired the game with remarkable activity, and subsequently reached home without any serious damage. The score was:

ALERTS.	R.	O.	POTTERS.	R.	O.
Voehl, 3b	2	3	Condon, c	3	3
E. Dawe, c	3	1	Buckley, p	2	4
Townley, ss	1	4	Babcock, 1b	4	1
Talliant, 1b	3	1	Andrews, 3b	1	4
J. Dawe, cf	2	2	Meyers, cf	1	3
Zeisz, lf	1	3	McGinley, 2b	1	4
Bennett, 2b	2	3	Sutphen, rf	0	3
Wann, p	0	4	Randall, lf	0	1
Hartpence, rf	1	3	Duckworth, ss	0	4
	15	24		12	27

ALERTS.....2	0	3	2	2	1	1	4	*—15
POTTERS.....5	1	0	0	1	0	2	3	0—12

STARS VS. CHAMPIONS.

A match game of ball was played on the grounds at Arlington avenue and Sixth street, on Saturday, between the "Stars" and the "Champions." The latter club scored a victory by defeating their opponents by a score of 31 to 28. Following is the

SCORE BY INNINGS:

Champions	1	2	4	8	3	1	4	0	8—31
Stars	3	3	3	4	3	7	2	3	*—28

Reform Hall Meeting.

The attendance at the Reform Hall meeting last evening, was fair for this season of the year. Vice President Harper presided, and Freeholder Vanderbeek and his full choir furnished the music. The devotional exercises were conducted by Rev. Mr. Hillman.

The speakers for the evening were Mr. Alexander Titsworth, Capt. Wm. B. Ostrom and Rev. Mr. Hillman, all of whom pleaded ably and eloquently on behalf of temperance and its attendant virtues, and sustained their remarks by several striking illustrations. Each one was listened to with close attention.

Vice President Harper announced the sickness of Mr. Sampson who was to be one of the speakers last night, and read the following letter from President French:

PLAINFIELD, July 1, 1888.

Vice President Harper:

DEAR SIR—Thinking my absence from the Club after being here in the city ten days might be misconstrued by some into apathy for the cause we both represent so earnestly, I beg leave to explain my absence. I came to New York on business, expecting to stay but one day. After arriving here I was taken sick, caused by a heavy cold, and last Sunday was unable to attend our meeting as I was then confined to my bed. Since then I have been unable to return to Malone, N. Y., where my business urgently calls me, on account of my physical condition. But feeling able now to travel, I deem it my duty to leave this afternoon for Malone, thus again preventing me the pleasure of participating in our Sunday night meeting, but my heart and soul are with you and your co-operators in the great work you are so earnestly and successfully carrying on. Hoping on my next visit to Plainfield there will be no physical incapacity to prevent my meeting with you all as usual, I remain

Yours Fraternally,
JOHN H. FRENCH.

Notice of the Fourth of July celebration in Reform Hall was given, and the meeting closed with the benediction pronounced by Rev. Mr. Hillman.

Death of Edward H. Anderson.

The many friends of Edward H. Anderson, will regret to learn of his death which occurred on Tuesday, June 26, at Auburn, in the Sierra Nevadas, California. The deceased resided two years ago at the corner of Central avenue and Quimby street, Westfield, and left in August 1886 to go to California for the benefit of his health. He was engaged in business at SanFrancisco, which he was compelled to give up owing to that dreaded disease, consumption, which had a strong hold on his system, and to which he finally succumbed. He leaves a widow and two children to mourn his loss; besides a fond mother who resides at Tappan, New York.

Temperance Mass Meeting.

The Annual Meeting of the Sons of Temperance at Boynton Beach, will be held on Friday, July 6. A large delegation from all the Divisions of the State will be present. Addresses will be delivered by prominent members of the Order. Mr. John H. Sayers, of Plainfield Division, No. 223, has been designated by the Committee to represent this section of the State. Stages conveying members of Howell and Plainfield Divisions, and friends of the cause, will leave this city at 7 o'clock. All are cordially invited to attend.

POISON IN OUR DRINK.

Not Alcohol—which one may avoid—but BRASS AND LEAD which one takes unsuspectingly. "How—When—Where?" Well, say, in a glass of Soda. Pity the most popular and wholesome of all artificial drinks—which Soda honestly is—should ever deserve a touch of suspicion, but

THE FROZEN TRUTH

is that in some Soda Fountains economy and mechanical facility are studied to the neglect of the weightier matter of purity. Some men are too "smart;" some Soda Fountains are too "ingenious."

We have recently had made a Fountain which secures Absolute Purity *for the beverages. Rather pretty, too, we think. We selected the "Matthews' make" because it is the only fount in which the syrups have positively no metallic contact, being discharged direct from glass jars into the tumblers—no tubes; while the waters are contained in and flow through solid block tin,*

PURE AS CRYSTAL, COLD AS CHARITY.

We make our own syrups—from REAL FRUIT JUICES, or from chocolate or coffee, etc., as the case may be; no nonsense of essences or make believe.

New drinks? Yes, some of our own contriving. "Winks?" Not a wink; not licensed for winks, and we have an opinion of druggists who take a wink.

Come and try the new Fountain; if you like your drink we'll thank you for saying so, and you'll pay us five cents and come again—it will do you good; only don't come Sundays; no use—Fountain WON'T WORK.

REYNOLDS' PHARMACY,
(*Established* 21 *years,*)
Cor. Park and North Avenues, near R. R. Station. 6-9

LADIES HAVE FOUND OUT

THAT "FAST BLACK" hose that will not "crock" or "fade," and at the same time will *WEAR WELL*, can be purchased at EDSALL'S at a moderate sum.

NOTICE THE PRICES:

Ladies' real nice quality, at 39c. Ladies' Extra Fine quality, 50c.
Children's 5in. to 8½in., 37c. to 62c. Children's 5in. to 9in., 32c. to 55c.
Gents' half hose, same dye as Ladies, at 50.

THEY have been thoroughly tested, both as to color and wear, and every pair is guaranteed. The Dye in our Hosiery does not injure the fabric.

OUR SPECIAL offer on Carpets for Month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be LAID FREE OF CHARGE.

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. 5-18-tf EDSALL'S.

THE PLACE where you will find Choice Goods, the Latest Fashions, Polite treatment, and Prices the Lowest, in all kinds of Dry and Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Ribbons, Laces, Fabric, Kid Gloves, etc.

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—7.30, 8.50, 11.45 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m

SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window. Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending JUNE 29, 1888.

A B	Moore, Manda (2)
Angle, D A (2)	Moody, Miss
Brady, Miss Nora	Probst, Miss Kate
Burton, Miss M	Parker, J A
Barry, Mrs G A	Pearson, Mrs W. B.
Bryan, Mrs W H	Randolph Mrs Mary E
Congdin, Miss Nora	Scribner, Wm H
Clegg, Mrs Henry	Smith, Mrs Annie
Cowan, Michael	Sweeney, Mrs Ellen
Carthers, Mrs M	" Miss Mamie
Dodge, Miss	" " May
Drake, Mrs A S	Underhill, Mrs W F
Dey, C	Welsh, Wm H
Demchy, Wm J	Wilson, Wm
Gadin, Pierse	Walker, Thos S
Gaw, E A	Walter, L H
Halderman, Lizzie	Walke, Mrs F
Horan, Mrs James	Wright, Mrs Cornelius
Hickey, Miss Bridget	White, Miss Amy E
W. T. K.	Walter, Mrs Annie

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

MCINTYRE—In this city, July 1, 1888, Marie, infant daughter of John and Margaret McIntyre, aged 3 months and 12 days.

Funeral services at the residence of her parents on North Avenue, Tuesday, July 3, at 10 o'clock A. M. Friends and relatives are invited to attend.

NEWHALL—Suddenly, at Point Pleasant, N. J., Sunday evening, July 1, Mrs. Sarah E., widow of Henry A. Newhall.

Notice of funeral hereafter.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

LOST—On Sunday, between Chas. Smith's saloon and the Railroad station, a Gold Scarf Ring, set with stones. Finder will receive suitable reward by leaving it at the PRESS office.

50,000 Celery Plants, extra fine. Winter Cabbage, Geraniums and Moon-vines for sale at Denton's Nursery, Hillside avenue. 6-30-2

FURNISHED HOUSE to rent for three months cheap, to desirable parties. Address J. L. Van Neste, Plainfield, N. J. 6-30-2

FOR SALE—A valuable (black) road mare, 5 years old, 15¼ hands high. Sound and kind. Can be driven by any one. Sold reasonable. Asa Niece, 712 Mercer street, Phillipsburgh, N. J. 6-28-w

FOR SALE—Cheap, Village Cart, nearly new. Apply at Day's Stables, North ave. 6-29-w

IF YOU are about to leave the city for the Summer and desire your property honestly guarded during your absence, we can recommend a thoroughly competent, sober man. Call at PRESS office. 5-27-5

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORR. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street, N. Y. city. my20tf

Jersey Milk is the People's Choice.
Put up in Bottles.
Address a postal card to
D. L. DARBY, Box 1,082, Plainfield. 5-18-y

ASSIGNEE'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY given to the creditors of Edward M. Butler, of the township of North Plainfield, county of Somerset and State of New Jersey, that all claims against his estate must be exhibited to the subscriber, his Assignee, under oath or affirmation, on or before the tenth day of July next, in accordance with an order lately made by the Orphans' Court of Somerset County, or be forever barred from coming in for a dividend of the said estate; and said creditors are further notified that a list of the claims against the said Edward M. Butler, will be filed with the Surrogate of the County of Somerset before the ensuing term of the Orphans' Court of said County, when exceptions thereto may be filed by any person interested.

JOHN T. VAN CLEEF,
Dated May 26th, 1888. Assignee.
5-28-M7w

TO CLOSE JULY 4.

We, the undersigned BUTCHERS, do hereby agree to close our stores *JULY* 4, 1888, the entire day:

S. A. Fleming & Co.,	Geo. Feller,
Lutkins & Hammer,	John Vetterlein.
Sharkey & VanNest,	W. H. Beeching,
Benj. F. Moore,	I. Lewis,
Peter H. Bennett,	Smalley Bros.,
J. W. VanSickle,	Peter Dunn,
Ten Eyck & Watts,	Peter Holmes,

Geo. A. Moore. 6-27-7-2&3

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Closing out our Summer stock of MILLINERY GOODS at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Come and see at what Low Prices we can sell trimmed and untrimmed Hats. A good Shade Hat at 25c. Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Suits and Wrappers. Children's Dresses, Lace Caps. An assortment of Ladies' and Children's Aprons as low as 25c. Boys' Shirt Waists—all at very low prices.

MRS. T. J. GILLIES,
No. 7 Madison Ave. 6-14-m

Boarding and Furnished Rooms,
SYCAMORE STREET, opposite Bicycle Club House, and in front of Central Railroad station.
Mrs. Mary Yaeger. 6-16-y

HENRY HAURAND'S
Delicatessen and Groceries,
No. 66 SOMERSET ST.

All kinds of Delicatessen, such as Schwiss, Sap Sago, Fromage DeBree, Neufchatel, Limburger and Hand Cheese; Frankfurter, Sauerkraut, German Mustard, and a large variety of Foreign End Domestic Bolognas always on hand. 4-10-w

REMOVAL!
SEBRING BROS.,
Clothiers & Tailors,
North Avenue
[FORCE'S HOTEL BLOCK.]
4-4-y

Choice Fruits, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Confectionery, &c.
BANANNAS, Wholesale and Retail.
31 WEST FRONT STREET,
16 NORTH AVENUE, (Paoli's Stand.)

I would respectfully inform the citizens of Plainfield that I have stocked both the above stores with *FIRST-CLASS GOODS* and solicit a share of patronage.
LUSARDI GUATELLI. 6-18-tf

Joseph Sattels,
PIANO MAKER.
Mason & Hamlin
PIANOS. *PATENT STRINGER, REPEATING ACTION. BEST MADE.*
MASON & HAMLIN ORGANS.
Lowest Prices. Easiest Terms. *NEW UPRIGHTS* to rent. *CONCERT TUNING A SPECIALTY.*
23 EAST FRONT STREET,
[Allen's Stationery Store.] 6-14-y

North Plainfield Fire Department Bonds for Sale.

Sealed proposals will be received by James K. Arnold, Clerk of the Borough of North Plainfield, up to Monday, July 2nd, 6 P. M., for seven Fire Department Bonds of $500 each, dated July 1st, 1888. One bond payable Jan. 1st, 1890, and two bonds payable Jan. 1st of each succeeding year to January 1st, 1895. Interest five per cent, payable semi-annually. Proposals may be for one or more bonds. No bond will be sold for less than par. Right to reject any or all proposals reserved.

Dated June 27, 1888.
JUSTUS H. COOLEY, Mayor.
JAMES K. ARNOLD, Borough Clerk. 6-28-3

PECK'S CORNER.

Embroidered Handkerchiefs
IN
White and Colors,
AT PECK'S.

SHOT DOWN!
We will sell for a
SHORT TIME,
Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " $1.70.

Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,
Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.
A Nice Rod for the BOYS. 18cts.
Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

Ask to see the Springfield Roadster—the *SAFETY WHEEL.*

A. M. VANDERBEEK & CO.,
At 33 PARK AVE.,
(*Successors to A. Vanderbeek.*)
PLAINFIELD, N. J. my10-y

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS,
Flannel Shirts in Soft Goods and Soft Shades;
Tennis Blaziers & Caps in Bright Colors;
Straw Hats in all Shapes and Fancy Bands;
Silk Belts and Every Kind of Neckwear.

A. C. HORTON,
(*Successor to F. A. Pope.*)
NO. 5 W. FRONT STREET.
9-20-y

P. H. BENNETT,
(*Successor to B. H. Bachman*)
DEALER IN
BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,
MEATS OF ALL KINDS,
Fruits and Vegetables in their Season
42 PARK AVENUE,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Goods Delivered to any part of the city.
8-2-tf

R. W. RICE & Co.,
[Successor to Wm. H. Shotwell.
FINE GROCERIES,
Fruits and Vegetables
IN THEIR SEASON.
North Plainfield, - New Jersey.
CORNER DUER & EMILY STREETS.
1-13-tf

Howell & Hardy,
Fancy and Staple Groceries,
CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.
Creamery and Dairy Butter,
FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,
North Avenue, Opposite Depot,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
TELEPHONE CALL, 30. 11-28-tf

REFRIGERATORS,
PHILADELPHIA LAWN MOWERS,
HARDWARE,
PLUMBING,
TINNING.
Have your FURNACES cleaned NOW and save money, time and inconvenience.
A. M. GRIFFEN,
13 East Front Street.
TELEPHONE CALL 6.

PETER W. McDONOUGH,
Horseshoer
AND
Farrier,
NO. 66 PARK AVE., PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES. 8-1-tf

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Matron Dodd of the County Jail at Elizabeth, was a visitor in this city on Friday.

Miss Lottie Zimmerman has returned to her home in North Plainfield, after an absence of several months in Boston, Mass.

The Rev. A. V. V. Raymond, formerly of this city, and two brothers of Lincoln, Neb., sailed from New York for Europe on the "City of Chicago," Saturday.

Mr. Thomas Brown, Jr., leader of the choir at the Netherwood Union Mission chapel, started for Chicago on Saturday evening, where he will permanently locate.

Mr. C. F. G. Glaentzer, drum major in the Plainfield Cornet Band, started on Saturday evening to accompany the Ninth Regiment of New York, on a trip to Gettysburg.

The family of the late ex-Councilman William Taylor are at present seeking recreation and enjoying the invigorating breezes at Sea Girt, on the New Jersey coast.

Among those from this city at Gettysburg, last week, was Mr. A. Winter who was a guest of Gov. Robert S. Green, and one of the party occupying the Governor's private car.

At the National Convention of the master plumbers, held at Boston during last week, Mr. D. W. Littell of this city was elected Vice President for the State of New Jersey.

Miss Wotherspoon of Front street, East, who returned last week from an extended trip abroad, is now the guest of her sister, Mrs. Pendleton Rogers, at her Summer cottage at Sewaren.

Mrs. Hannah C. Adams and her daughter-in-law, Mrs. James C. Adams and child of Indianapolis, Ind., are visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Adams, of No. 73 East Second street.

Mr. Harry Yarnall, formerly connected with the Electric Light Company in the establishment of its plant in this city, but late of Philadelphia, has again taken up his residence here for the Summer.

Rev. Dr. J. L. Hurlbut is at present in Kansas on business pertaining to Sunday school work. His family will start for Chautauqua, N. Y., on Friday, where he will join them later in the season.

Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck left the city today to spend the Fourth with Mr. Schenck's mother and brother at West Ghent, where his brother, Rev. Isaac Schenck is pastor of the Reformed church.

Messrs. Isaac Randolph, Thomas McDonald, T. O. Doane and Peter Hoagland, returned from Gettysburg last evening. They report having had a most delightful time. Mr. McDonald brought with him a huge cannon ball, picked up on the battle field.

An infant daughter of Mr. L. E. Howard of Ninth street, was thrown from a carriage at the corner of Ninth street and First place in a runaway accident on Saturday evening. The little one displayed remarkable courage and fortunately escaped injury, although the carriage was demolished.

Mr. Andrew Love, Jr., a son of ex-Councilman Love, formerly of this city but now of North Plainfield, has returned to Plainfield, after an absence of several months in the West. He reports business brisk in the cities through which he travelled. Mr. Love will remain in this city for the present.

Mrs. Sarah B. Newhall, of 20 East Seventh street, widow of Henry A. Newhall, died suddenly last evening at Point Pleasant. Deceased was the mother of Mr. Henry B. Newhall, Superintendent of the Crescent Avenue Sunday school, and of Miss Kate W. Newhall, the artist. The news of her sudden death will be received with deep sympathy and a feeling of almost personal loss, by a large circle of friends in this city.

A Plea for the Animals.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Will you please call the attention of the officers of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, to the practice the owners of goats have of leaving their animals in the hot sun all day without a drop of water. It is pitiful sometimes to hear the cries of the poor things. Another cruelty common among people who profess to be *too tender-hearted* to drown their young dogs or cats, is to give them to any child, or drop them anywhere, never caring whether the helpless creatures are starved or tormented to death, as is often the case. It is to be hoped the Society will take measures to prevent such cruelty, or else provide a home for outcast animals.

BLESSED ARE THE MERCIFUL.

Good Will Lodge, No. 101, K. of P.

Friday evening at the regular semi-annual election of Good-Will Lodge, No. 101, of Scotch Plains, the following officers were elected to serve during the ensuing term:

George H. Polhemus, J. P. C.
George Kyte, C. C.
Charles Haberle, V. C.
Joseph Smith, Prelate.
Samuel Moore, M. of A.
Geo. Wahl, Trustee.

Condoning His Offenses.

A Burlington paper says: "The wife and child of A. K. Lovell, Manager of the Beef Packing Establishment, are stopping at the Hotel Cumberland. They will spend a few weeks with Mr. Lovell, and then probably go to Massachusetts to spend the balance of the Summer."

—The Council will not probably consider the street railway problem, this evening.

REPUBLICAN RALLY.

Ratifying the Nomination of Harrison and Morton.

The first gun of the Republican Campaign in this city was fired on Saturday evening, when a public demonstration was held, in honor of the nominations of Harrison and Morton, the Republican nominees for President and Vice President of the United States. Early in the evening the streets were thronged with people, who blocked the sidewalks for several hours.

The demonstration was given under the auspices of the Republican Association of this city—the U. S. Grant Republican Club of North Plainfield joining in the celebration.

About half-past seven o'clock the colored fife and drum corps marched to North Plainfield, and escorted the members of the U. S. Grant Club to the Republican Association rooms on East Front street, where they were met by the members of the city Republican Association, and such other Republicans as could gain admission to the place. The hall was densely filled with people, and it is estimated that several hundred persons were turned away. The full cornet band was present and discoursed national airs.

While the meeting was in progress in the hall, Janitor Mattox of Music Hall, and his assistants, were discharging pyrotechnics from the street in front of the building. As each speaker closed his remarks, sky rockets, Roman candles, etc., were exploded, and at times the illumination was very brilliant and pretty.

Assemblyman Ulrich was elected chairman of the meeting, and Mr. F. A. Dunham Secretary. The following were the vice presidents:

First Ward—S. H. Jacobus, J. B. Coward.
Second Ward—G. Patton, S. A. Ginna.
Third Ward—E. N. Erickson, B. F. Coriell.
Fourth Ward—W. R. Coddington, F. Runyon.

Additional Secretaries were named as follows: O. B. Leonard and D. E. Titsworth.

Chairman Ulrich made the opening address in his usual polished and eloquent style. He then introduced Wilbur A. Mott, Esq., of Newark, President of the New Jersey Republican State League, who proved himself to be an able and consistent member of the party he represents. During his remarks he fluently discussed the free trade and the protection forms of government, and presented some interesting statistics to back him up in what he said. Among other things the learned speaker said that in Newark alone there are 1,600 manufacturing concerns, giving employment to about 34,000 men and women. The annual production of these manufacturies amounts to about $80,000,000, annually. He also alluded to the increase in wages paid in this country, over that paid for the same kind of employment in Europe.

Dr. H. K. Carroll, of North Plainfield, was the next speaker, who gave some practical illustrations, and expressed himself in favor of protection to American industries. The Doctor was loudly applauded at the close of his remarks. He was followed by President John H. French of the Reform Club, who also pledged himself to the interests of the Republican party. Mr. French at times branched off in a humorous strain, and was warmly applauded on several occasions.

The band played "Hail Columbia," and the large audience filed out of the hall to face a blinding rain storm, which came up suddenly from the Northwest.

The Way George W. Childs Endorses Mr. Cleveland.

The Philadelphia *Public Ledger*, one of the cleanest and best newspapers in the country, in commenting on the renomination of Mr. Cleveland gives his personal and official character the highest endorsement. It says, among other things:

Whether Mr. Cleveland shall get a majority of Electoral votes again or not, no well informed, sensible person can fail to see that he stands well in the favor of the American people. That is visible wherever he goes.

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He has certainly been fearless in the discharge of his duty, as he saw it. Certainly he has done brave things that would only be done by a man conscious of his own purpose to do what he thought right. He has not catered to demagoguery; has shown but few signs (and these quite recent) of being led by small cliques; has (except upon the tariff) done his own thinking, worked out his own course of action and been his own guide in the matter of important appointments. His administration has been honest and clean. There have been no Star Route robberies; no navy jobberies; no War Department corruptions; no profligate waste by United States Marshals; no Treasury combinations or speculations; no corrupt operations in or through the Land Office. No American at home or abroad has had occasion to droop his eyes in shame because of any such things under Mr. Cleveland's administration. On the contrary, there has been a resolute effort to promote honest government, to increase efficiency, and to lessen expenses.

—Complaint has been made to the police that a number of men are in the habit of congregating near The Crescent building, nightly, and insulting females. A number of colored women allege that they were grossly insulted there on Friday evening.

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General Telegraphic Despatches.

IT WAS HIS MOTHER.

Romantic Story of a California Delegate to the Chicago Convention.

CHICAGO, July 2.—Among the Californians who came to the Republican Convention was Frank R. Goodwin. The last time he had been in Chicago was when he was twelve years old. His family had lived in Baraboo, Wis., and when his father died he had started with his mother for New York. In the crowded railroad station in Chicago he had become separated from his mother. By mistake he got into an excursion train for Niagara Falls and was carried to Buffalo. There a benevolent man in the station helped him to New York, where he hoped to find his mother.

He did not find her nor any of his relatives, but got work as an errand boy in a store and supported himself for six years. Then he went West to look for his mother, caught the California fever and turned up in a miners camp on the coast. He struck "pay dirt," invested his earnings in San Francisco and made money rapidly. He had written often to people in Chicago and elsewhere to ask about his mother, and now he was coming East to look for her.

Goodwin was in the convention the day Harrison was nominated. Just as he was coming out a patrol wagon went by with an old woman in it. The police were taking her to the poorhouse. Goodwin looked at her, stopped the wagon and found his mother. On Saturday he started for San Francisco with her.

GEN. SHERIDAN DOING WELL.

Waiting at Fortress Monroe—Greatly Benefited by His Sea-Trip.

FORT MONROE, July 2.—The United States steamer Swatara, Capt. McGowan, with Gen. Sheridan and party on board, arrived here at 8 o'clock yesterday morning: A boat came ashore at 10 o'clock with the following bulletin:

"9. A. M.—Gen. Sheridan passed a very comfortable day, his general condition appearing to improve after reaching the Swatara. He was somewhat restless during the night, probably because of his new surroundings. His pulse is very good, and his respiration easy and natural. Owing to the careful arrangements made by the commanding officers of the Swatara the General is as comfortable as if he were in his own house.

R. M. O'REILLY, H. C. YARROW."

Owing to a heavy swell outside from the effects of the late storm Capt. McGowan decided to remain here until it subsides, and will not sail until to-day.

The beneficial effects of the sea voyage on Gen. Sheridan's condition is already apparent, and his physicians are greatly pleased with the result of the trip thus far. His pulse is stronger and his mind is clearer than it has been since his illness.

Left Her Husband in Jail.

NEW YORK, July 2.—Albert E. Krahe, the young cashier who recently embezzled about $6,000 from his employers, Hirsch & Co., button importers of 427 Broadway, and fled to Canada, was brought back last night by Detective Sergeant John Creeden and locked up at Police Headquarters. His bride, whose departure from her home at 572 Pacific street, Brooklyn, to join him in Montreal, led to the finding of his whereabouts and to his arrest, accompanied him from the city of banished boodlers, tearfully gave him good-by at his cell door, and returned to her home in Brooklyn. He had about half the money he stole and diamond ornaments to the full value of the other half.

A Grandmother's Insane Act.

ST. ALBANS, Vt., July 2.—Mrs. Gonys, aged about 70 years, living on the shore near St. Albans Bay, was left alone Saturday evening with her two grandchildren, 5 and 8 years of age respectively. She took the children into a flat-bottomed boat, with nothing but a paddle with which to control the craft. Quite a gale was blowing and the boat was driven out into the bay. It finally capsized, and its three occupants were drowned. The old lady's body was found floating yesterday morning, but at last accounts the children's bodies had not been recovered.

Cob Murpy Caught Again.

BROOKLYN, N. Y., July 2.—Cob Murphy, a convict, two weeks out from seven year's term in prison, forced an entarnce into Jacob Dietrich's house, in South Second street, Williamsburg, on Saturday night. While at work in the house Mr. Dietrich and a friend entered the house, Murphy struck Mr. Dietrich and hurled him down the stairs. He then escaped from the house. Policeman Nugent gave chase and, catching Murphy, had a tussle with him. Murphy attempted to stab Nugent. Justice Naeher yesterday held him to answer.

Racing Ends in Injury.

SYRACUSE, July 2.—Two farmers of Meridian, Cayuga County, were speeding their horses while going to a picnic Saturday morning, when the team of one of them became unmanageable and smashed into the bandstand in the village of Plainville. Theodore Hoyt, who was driving, and his wife and nephew were seriously injured, the former fatally, and Charles Sutherland, a Syracusan bandman, was also seriously injured, it is feared fatally.

An Electric Wire Blocks the Street.

NEW YORK, July 2.—A Brush electric light wire stretched across the Bowery at Fourth street, betweed the up and down tracks of the elevated road, fell to the street at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Third avenue horse cars were blocked for half an hour, and vehicles had to turn down side streets. Policeman Frazier got a lineman, who fixed the wire temporarily.

Another Dry Sunday.

LONG BRANCH, July 2.—The liquor dealers did not keep their bars open yesterday as they said they would, and Long Branch had the second dry Sunday in its history. The restaurant keepers served beer, wines and liquors to their dining-room guests, as did also some of the hotel keepers. Other hotel men refused to serve wine in their dining rooms.

Bought by W. K. Vanderbilt.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 2.—Active buying of land around Asheville, N. C., has been attracting attention for several weeks, and it now appears that Wm. K. Vanderbilt, of New York, has bought over a thousand acres just below the city at the confluence of the French, Broad and Swananca rivers.

Parisians Uneasy Again.

PARIS, July 2.—All of the journals are of the opinion that the new Budget Committee means a grave check to the Government. Some of the papers predict that if the Opportunists resume their hostile tactics a crisis will ensue.

More Immigrants Arrive.

NEW YORK, July 2.—There were 1,500 steerage passengers landed at Castle Garden Saturday. The City of Richmond, from Liverpool, brought over 612; La Gascogne, from Havre, 319; Polaria, from Hamburg, 310, and Etruria, from Liverpool, 265.

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THE BEETLE FIENDS THAT ARE DESTROYING CROPS.

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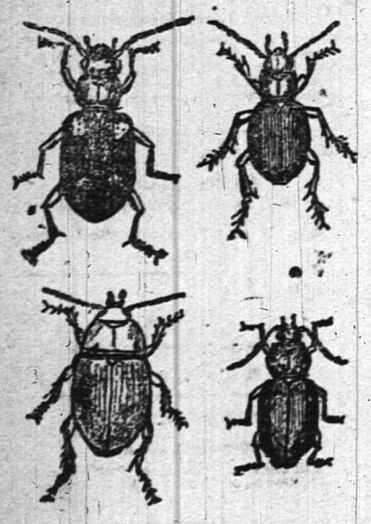
The Geodephaga or predacious land beetles of the family Carabidae, are constantly extolled for their habits of feeding upon herbivorous insects—cut worms, caterpillars, white grubs and potato slugs' eggs and mumia—and are justly classed as beneficial insects. But it is often forgotten that the early British and Continental observers of insects had discovered that many of these beneficial beetles also eat



greedily kernels of wheat, succulent roots, and young blades of plants. American authors have made very little mention of this habit so injurious to the farmer, usually commending the whole family as being very useful, and, while it is true that every member of it, comprising in the U. S. some 1,200 species, has a decidedly carniverous appetite, very few abstain from vegetable food entirely, and nearly all of the sub-family Harpalidæ or black-cloch, beetles and their young find more than half subsistence in vegetable substances, most of them feeding tender growing roots and on blades, while some take decaying vegetation for food.

About eight years ago Prof. Webster of Indiana and Prof. Forbes of Illinois, announced that their studies had detected these beetles were somewhat phytophagus; that is vegetable-feeders. Only three species have been so far identified as injurying crops in this country, although many kinds, it is stated, destroy crops in Europe, sometimes ravaging hundreds of acres. With regard to the different kinds of the true Carabidæ, however, that infest orchards and arable land, not a single record exists ot their taking a morsel of vegetable food. Thus the species belonging to Calosomo, Carabus and other genera are to be considered decided friends of the farmer. They are quite plentiful in cultivated fields and voracious devourers of plant eating insects.

The ground beetles are found everywhere, in all soils, on mountains, in marshes, on the leaves and blossoms of the highest trees, and also in the crevices of the bark and among the roots, under the bark of dead trees and old logs, under every stone and stick, even to the verge and really in the edge of watercourses and the sea—being sea-acquatics. Indeed, the diving water beetles are of the same class—Adephaga. They are similar in many respects of structure and in predatory habits, although having certain modifications necessary to their surroundings. After all, very few of all the species of ground beetles abound in more than one situation, and kinds closely alike, even of the same genus, sometimes have quite different habits, and continually live in unlike surroundings. All alike are predaceous, as observations will always confirm. Their hard mail coats and powerful toothed mandibles eminently fit them to do battle and perfectly adapt them for destroying any form of small animals, including insects. They are also inordinately voracious. Some differ so much, however, from the other as often to select vegetable food in preference to animal food, and are hence justly herbi-carnivorous. To determine which these are, classification cannot be followed to any extent. Simply close observation of each species is needed. I have little to say here of the mountain, marsh, or forest beetles. It is only those inhabiting cultivated lands which have to do with crops, and they may be called agricultural ground beetles, and of these the most numerous in our fields belong to the semi-beneficial Harpalides. Two loosely defined classes of these are known as "black clocks" and "sun beetles." The latter are bright, glistening beetles, having a copper, or golden and green reflection, like Pterostichus Sayi (Fig. 2), P. lucublandus, Platynus cupri- (Fig. 4), P. melandrium, Amara obesa (Fig. 3), and A latior, the latter a common sunshiner superstitiously thought to bring terrible storms if killed. There are also to be included the Baltimore and Rustic Dissimilartoe, the herding calanthus, and the Four-spotted Bembidium (Fig. 1).

All the above are more or less abundant and have been observed by me in potato hills; not all, however, have as yet been detected nibbling the tubers. The most plentiful of the agricultural ground beetles in the Middle States is the Pennsylvania Harpalus, which with the large Harpalus caliginosus is found abundantly under sheaves of wheat and oats, where the pests eat many soft kernels, and cut off and rattle out of their husks many more. There is no mistaking this common pest in the harvest field. The former I have often seen with numbers of the previously mentioned beetles, eating seeds of various kinds, even climbing up the stems of partially lodged grain, and after harvest they are often to be found in the branches of the common ragweed eating the seeds or nutlets. One species of Harpalus nearly like the Deceptive Harpalus, was named by Mr. Say, in reference to this last habit, "herb-rambler." Nearly all the genuine Lebiæ are found on flowers, and the food of these beautiful beetles is obviously small thrips and other insects. Loxopeza grandis so often seen eating the eggs of the potato beetles, receives many merit marks from numerous observers. Yet this very beetle, and also L. atriventris are met with very commonly in the ground with potato tubers, and I expect to find they eat the surface of the potatoes that on digging prove to be scabby.

One other family of beetles is also implicated. It is the Rove Beetle, some of which conform with the ground beetles in their carnivorous appetite, and they have a common habit of feeeding on decaying vegetation, fungi, and sometimes tender underground sprouts, especially where they are drawn to potato ground by the abundance of stable manure. I expect to find they also assist in making, scabby disfigured potatoes. I trust that observers will give the actions of ground beetles close inspection next season, to determine this vexed question. I believe my observations will be confirmed, and we shall find that not wire-worms alone, but many other insects cause this serious injury to the crop. Plots yielding scabby potatoes, to which I gave close and constant but fruitless examination for every sort of wire-worm, and several published reports from various sections were formerly inexplicable to me, but now an easy explanation is vouchsafed, for Mother Earth teems with ground-beetles everywhere, and they are in especial abundance in new lands, sometimes plentifully in sandy loam soils and highly manured places, but most often in gravelly and cobbly soils.—Rural New Yorker.

NOTES.

It is not yet too late to start a crop of Hungarian grass if you fear a dearth of fodder.

We regret to learn that Chas. W. Garfield has been compelled, by reason of failing health, to resign the Secretaryship of the Michigan State Horticultural Society.

The next novelty in Agriculture will be the use of ensilage stacks. They are sure to be tried considerably during the next few years. Wait and see what others think about them.

In spite of all instructions to the contrary, it appears that some parties still persist in shipping perishable produce to market on Saturday. This will not do. The best market days are Wednesday, Thursday and Friday.

"Water from the barnyard well is unfit for human use; why is it good for the stock which furnish us with some of our principal food—milk, cheese and butter?"

The New York State Board of Agriculture, while adhering to its opposition to the Palmer pleuro-pneumonia bill, withdraws its charges against the Consolidated Cattle Growers' Association on which that opposition was mainly founded. The Palmer bill, however, is dead and this recantation can't revive it.

It is common to say that a colt costs nothing to raise for the first four months—while he is sucking the dam. Is this correct? If the mare is to do her regular work doesn't she need extra grain to provide for the flow of milk? It may be a small matter, but let us be accurate.

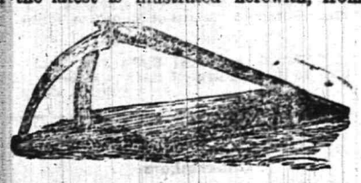
Mr. Orange Judd, who during the past four years has been the editor and business manager of the Prairie Farmer, bids adieu to his readers, his contract having expired. The "separation is wholly due to a difference of opinion as to the future division of the emoluments or income of the business." Mr. Judd and the proprietors part with the fullest expressions of good-will.

Syringa villesa is a little-known lilac in this country. The leaves resemble those of the Fringe Tree (Chionanthus) and the entire habit is quite different from that of the Common or French Lilacs, while it blooms some two weeks later. It is now in full bloom. The flowers are nearly all white within, purplish without, somewhat smaller than those of the Common Lilac and less fragrant. It is desirable as one of a collection, but one is enough.

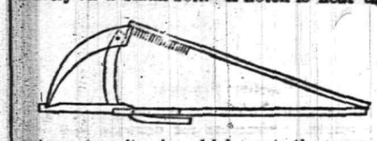
According to the railroad charges published recently, the Iowa State R. R. Commissioners have substantially reduced the present rates 20 per cent. on all business within the State limits. The matter has been under investigation for a considerable time, and it was inevitably forced on the minds of the Commissioners that the rates charged were exorbiant. At first they proposed still further to reduce the maximum charges, and it was only the energetic protests of the railroad companies that modified their original intention. It is a healthy sign of the times that there is a growing tendency of such bodies interfereing with railroad measures and exaction in their respective States.

A Home-made Mole Trap.

The mole is not a wanton marauder, and his underground work is done in pursuit of grubs and other injurious insects, albeit some incidental damage is done by his tunneling. But the proprietor who looks aghast at the disfiguring ridges in a handsome lawn, and the choice plants dying from severed roots, is very likely to lose sight of all that can be said for the defence, and pronounce summary judgment on the sleek little burrower. Of the many devices invented for its destruction one of the latest is illustrated herewith, from



sketches by J. W. Teeters, Macoupin Co., Ill. Figure 1 gives a perspective view, and figure 2 is a sectional view. It has two boards, each thirty inches long and eight inches wide, hinged together at one end. The lower one has in the other end a slot an inch wide and eight inches long. The two corners are also notched two inches deep and eight long. The upper board has a slot in the middle an inch inch wide and half an inch deep. One inch from each edge is a row of sharp wire teeth six inches long. In the middle slot of the lower board is hung a trip made of inch board shaped as shown in figure 2, and playing loosely on a small bolt. A notch is near the



outer extremity, in which rests the narrow end of the trigger, the broad upper end of which is supported by the curved standard. To work with this trap it is set with the business directly across the runway of the mole, into which the trip is sunken by digging away the earth. The upper board is raised into position, as shown in figure 1. The little rodent, finding his path obstructed, in trying to clear it lifts the trip, which liberates the trigger from the notch, and the cataclysm follows. The efficiency of the contrivance may be increased by attaching a heavy weight of some kind upon the top of the upper board.

Secure Shelter for Young Pigs.

In warm weather it is much the best to give a sow at pigging time the range of a small lot, by herself if possible; but if kept in a pen, it is prudent first to put in a six-inch board clear around the sides, fastened to the pen edgewise, about eight inches from the floor or ground. It must be strongly secured, and its object is to afford room for the little pigs, when the sow lies down, to back under where she cannot crush them. Our illustration shows a cheaply constructed form of shelter which affords security for the little pigs, the

steep slope of the roof making an angle next to the ground where they can take refuge beyond any chance of being overlain by the sow.

If in a pasture of some size, the sow may usually be left to her own resources with safety, even if there are other hogs in the pasture; but in a small enclosure she should be separated. In pens, the mistake is often made of allowing the animal too much bedding. If allowed it, a sow will nose together enough to almost bury herself out of sight, and the little pigs often get entangled and perish. If the bedding is run through a straw cutter it obviates the latter difficulty.

FASHION NOTES.

One of the prettiest of the many bonnets shown in the shop windows of the milliners on Broadway was made of exquisitely fine lace straw, pure white in color. The brim had a loosely gathered puff of pale yellow crape, and white crape lightly embroidered in gold thread formed the garniture; one large pale-yellow orchid formed the crown, and two nodding half-blown blossoms were fastened in the knotted white crape in front. These orchids were made of crape and were absolutely works of art, so closely did they simulate the fragile splendors of those queer tropical blossoms.

Here is a tea gown that was made for the beautiful Mrs. Potter Palmer, of Chicago. It is of creamy-white crepon, which hangs in such soft, artistic folds, and is rather modeled after the Recamier style, but with reservations of modernness. It is high in the neck, and the sleeves are loose and reach to the edge of the gown. Just in front, at the top of the corsage, is a large black bat, whose wings are made to extend to the arms on either side. It is made entirly of jet, and a smaller bat, just at the waist line, is placed as a buckle might be. The effect is very peculiar as may be imagined.

The Empire coat has its limitations. It can only be worn by women who are decidedly slim and who have what Worth credits to all American women, the art of knowing how to put on their clothes. Mrs. Potter has been wearing it very successfully over at the Grand Opera-House as Pauline. The coat has tails that reach to the edge of the skirt in the back and hang straight and long, while the front is cut off to about the waist line and closes in double-breasted fashion over a long waistcoat of heavy brocade. For the coat proper a plain color is used, the trails are lined with a light shade of silk and the waistcoat has a light back ground with a Watteau pattern upon it.

The Louis Quinze jacket is familiar to everybody, but this season sees it made more fetching than ever by the splendor of its waistcoats and the rich laces used upon it. Around the neck is sewed a frill of lace that falls over the turn-down collar, and then it is brought down in the jabot over the button-holes. Full frills of lace are the wrist finish, and falling as they do over the hand make it seem much smaller. A handsome one has just been taken to Newport for a well known women there. The skirts to be worn are of pale tan cloth, with white moire panels embroidered in gold. The jacket is of tan cloth lined throughout with old rose satin. The waistcoat is of gold embroidered moire and the ample frills of duchesse lace as delicate as hoar-frost.

Undraped, knife-blade plaited skirts are still fashionable for evening wear. One of the most novel of these toilets is made of black point d'esprit, a very economical material, almost as light as tulle and much more durable. Mounted on an underskirt of surah that is also knife-plaited and worn with a very wide sash and low bodice, this makes a very effective evening gown. The dressmakers set this skirt on the edge of a wide yoke, and the soft sash is twisted about the hips and knotted in big bows behind. This sash is fastened in its place so that it is not necessary to arrange it anew every time the dress is worn. Some of the young women wear a low surah bodice with a full shirred one of net over it, which is gathered up high in the throat and on the shoulders. The sleeves are full plaited like the skirt and with five bands of ribbon holding it close to the arm below the elbow. There are many white ones made in the same way, with white, old rose or linden green ribbons.

The Connemara cloak which Mrs. Cornwallis West introduced in London a year ago has at last been domiciled on this side of the Atlantic. In England, however, it was most frequently seen of rich scarlet cloth, the shade of fox-hunter's "pink," but while that harmonizes well with the dull tones of the English atmosphere, it was soon found to be quite impossible under our glittering skies. So far the American experiments in this direction have been confined to dark blue, brown, gray and black. Women who are short or stout must eschew them in any color, for the tall and slender only can carry of its multitudinous folds with grace. It is always a part of the wedding outfit of the Irish peasant girl, and is made of the finest cashmere the country affords. It is made in many plaits from the shoulder piece, and wraps in voluminous folds about her, defying storm and cold, and lasting a lifetime. It is counted vulgar to use clasps, as it should be tied with ribbons, knotted in long loops at the throat, just as the Irish girl wears hers.

Childrens Clothes.

Children now-a-days make formal visits to each other, much in the manner of their elders, during the Carneval time, they even have had their own little luncheon and tea parties, and so their mothers have the pleasing duty of providing pretty dresses for such occasions. Little girls of from 8 to 10 years of age often wear dark, even black velvet trimmed with Irish crochet, a style very becoming to fair children. When flounce, chemisette, collar and cuffs are entirely made of lace, they should have a silk foundation, old pink is perhaps the nicest colour for the

purpose. The jacket and puff, which is longer and fuller behind than before, are made of velvet, the sash is pink silk, and the hat also trimmed with pink sash ribbon. Boys from 7 to 12 years old can wear a sort of fancy dress, which without being too conspicious, is a litte different from their every day suits. For instance, blue stockings, black velvet knickerbockers, yellowish grey cloth jacket with blue collar and cuffs and Danish leather waistcoat and belt. Cloth cap with embroided device.

The Heavy Bag Descarded.

Elegantes no longer labor with the weight of the dressing bag. They use a simple canvas one covered with embroidery. Inside are their crystal bottles with fancy metal tops, much lighter than the former silver-plated ones. In the centre is a hollow space for a surah night dress and a change of underclothing, and beneath is a shell comb and brush, and all of it makes about one-half the former size, not to speak of the convenience. For white toilets, popelinette with a design of thistles is considered the most distinguished. Corsets are made of peau de soie, instead of satin or of tulle, which material has been so much approved as to be perfectly trustworthy for the purpose.

ADVANCE OF SCIENCE.

THE ADOPTION IN BROOKLYN OF ELECTRICITY TO AID THE POLICE.

The Patrolling Policemen have Instantaneous Communication with their Chiefs at Headquarters, and can Call the Ambulance or Fire Service at Any Time.

The importance of supplementing a police force by an efficient means of communication is now generally recognized. At one time, and not so long ago, all that was supposed to be necessary was a large force well distributed; but rough and severe experience has shown that for much of its work a police department is little better than wasted, unless it has as one of its arms and aids a trustworthy, well-managed telegraph bureau, by whose intervention the officers throughout the largest city may co-operate and act as one body, not only in catching evil-doers but in the prevention of crimes and accidents of whatever nature. The moral support given by the telegraph, too, is almost as great as the physical. The officer on his beat is the stronger for knowing that at any minute the scene of danger in which he is an actor may be made the focus toward which help from all quarters will be directed; while the conciousness that the police telegraph enmeshes him all around, like a big net, often deters the

criminal from attempting a coup that would be easy under ordinary conditions. It has frequently been said that every electric light on the street is equal to a policeman, and in the same way the police telegraph duplicates a whole force in a highly economical manner.

The telegraph bereau of the Brooklyn Police Department is one of the most important and best equipped establishments of its kind in the world. It is connected by dial telegraph and telephone wires with every station-house and hospital in the city, as well as with the ambulance service, fire department, department of city works and the department of health. It has also two wires to the central telephone office. The switch board at head quarters will accomodate 100 wires, and has all of the latest improvements. A general alarm sent out from headquarters is received at the various precinets (20 in number) within five minutes after it has left the superintendant's office, and the police throughout the city are prepared to carry out its instructions. It is an ancient saying among New Yorkers that Brooklyn is a big village and a one horse town. There is however, a branch of police work in which it is claimed Brooklyn is far ahead of New York, and that is the transmission of messages to and from headquarters. While New York is struggling with the old-fashioned and slow-going dial system, Brooklyn is sending five and even ten messages to one by its thorough and absolutely complete telephone system. In 1875, 207,530 messages were sent and recieved at headquarters. There are six regular operators employed, besides the superintendant, Mr. Frank C. Mason, and four linemen. The operating sextet perform regular turns of duty. During 1886, 209,141 messages were sent and received; and 208,320 during 1887. By virtue of the provisions of chapter 246 of Session Laws, passed April 30, 1887, the telegraph superintendant, operators and lineman were made members of the police force, and although not liable to the performance of patrol duty, they are subject to all rules of that department and possess all the rights and privileges enjoyed by members of the force. Vacancies in the telegraph bereau are now to be filled from the ranks of the force.

In 1885 $5,000 was appropriated for the establishment of the patrol system in the First precinct. The Gamewell patrol system was adopted and completed in July, 1883, with 16 signal stations. Twenty thousand dollars was raised for the same purpose in 1886, and contract was made to furnish their system to the department, the mechanical arrangements, telephone, etc., to be inclosed in an iron or steel box that could be attached to a telegraph pole or wall similarly to a fire-alarm box. On October 1 the Fourth Precinct was completed, with 25 street boxes; on November 1 the Fourteenth, with 22 boxes; December 1 the Sixth, with 18 boxes; January 1, the Tenth, with 20; and June 10, 1888, the Seventh, with 20. Both systems have given the utmost satisfaction, and the number of boxes will be largely increased during 1888 and 1889. Patrolmen on post are expected to report every hour. During 1887 the patrolmen of the First Precinct made 110,230 hourly reports, and the patrol wagon responded to 2,040 calls for prisons; ambulance calls, 97; fires reported, 22. At the present time the department has 170 sets of telephones, 25 sets of dial instruments, 225 cells battery, and 250 cells Leclanche battery.

A representative had the pleasure of inspecting the working of the patrol and telegraph systems a few days ago in company with Superintendnnt Mason, who takes great pride in exhibiting it. A call was sent in from the patrol box at the corner of Willoughby avenue and Fleet street to the stables, which are located nearly a mile from this point, and in three minutes and a half from the time the signal was sent over the line, a patrol wagon with two officers arrived at the box. A visit was next made to the Fourth Precinct Police Station, which is fitted up with the latest improved apparatus, both telegraphic and telephonic, for cummunicating with any of the various precincts or headquarters. Under the new system the work of the various police stations is not only very greatly reduced, but is performed in a much more intelligent manner and with greater dispatch. After leaving the Fourth Precinct several boxes located in different parts of the city were examined and a call was made at the Fourteenth Precinct Police Station, which is in charge of Capt. Dunn, and is probably the handsomest building devoted to the purpose in the country. It is very completely fitted out with electrical apparatus. Electric bells are in every room. The gas is lighted by electricity, the apparatus for which purpose is located on the sergeant's desk in the main office. The telegraph and telephone instruments are finely finished and occupy a special room adjoining the main office.

Compressed Gas.

It has been urged that the use of compressed gas for cars is attended with danger in the event of a collision. The imaginary nature of this danger was shown by the recent accident on the Philadelphia & Reading, where an escape of compressed gas from a leaky hose simply burnt for a few moments without any explosion. Experience in Germany has been of a similar nature, and a recent collision near Birkenhead, England, was unaccompanied by an explosion. At the time of the collision between the Holyoke and Mersey tunnel trains, the gas in the latter was alight. The gas cylinders of the smashed coaches were tested to a pressure of 150 lb. per sq. in., and found to be uninjured beyond a few dents.—Scientific American.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—9.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 7.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.32, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23 p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 6.35, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 6.35, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a.m. 2.02, 2.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.50, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—8.13, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 9.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.05, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.02, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.25, 7.05, p. m. Sunday—7.15, a. m., 7.00, p. m.

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8.05, a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.32, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton, 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45*, 6.05, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.39, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 9.00, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.35, 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.25, 5.55, 7.40, p. m., Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.18, p. m.

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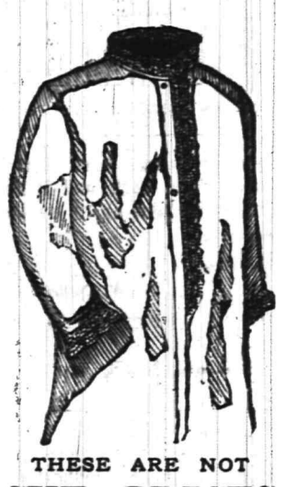

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THEY LOVE EACH OTHER NOW

BUT IT WAS RATHER DIFFERENT TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO.

The Reunion of Blue and Gray and the Dedication of Monuments Goes On—Gen. Sickles and Gov. Gordon, of Georgia, Made the Speeches of the Day—The Irish Brigade Hears Mass.

GETTYSBURG, Penn., July 3.—The town was crowded with visitors yesterday and every arriving train adds to the immense throngs already here. A number of New York monuments were dedicated yesterday morning.

At 8 o'clock Sickle's Excelsior Brigade, composed of the Seventieth, Seventy-first, Seventy-second, Seventy-third and Seventy-fourth New York Regiments, met and held dedicatory exercises over the foundation of the brigade monument. The Rev. C. H. Buckley, of Howard University, Washington, D. C., Chaplain of the First Regiment, opened the exercises with prayer and read an original poem entitled "Excelsior." Rev. C. H. Twitchell, of Hartford, delivered the oration. The monument, when completed will consist of a Doric temple with a statue of General Sickles.

Later the Irish Brigade, composed of the Sixty-third, Sixty-ninth and Eighty-eighth New York Infantry, heard requiem mass at St. Francis Xavier Church and afterward dedicated their monument in the wheat field. This is the brigade that was blessed and absolved by Father Corby just before going into the battle on this field. Father Corby assisted at the mass. Orations were delivered by several members of the brigade and two poems were read.

At 2.30 o'clock yesterday Bishop M. A. De Wolfe Howe, of the Central Pennsylvania Diocese of the Episcopal Church, laid the corner-stone for the memorial chapel at Gettysburg, to be known as the Church of the Prince of Peace. It will contain in its walls several memorial tablets, quite a number having been donated within the past few years. The site is at the corner of Baltimore and High streets, and is very conspicuous. Hon. William McClean, presiding judge of this judicial district, delivered an historical oration. The Dean of the Harrisburg Convocation and Gen. S. W. Crawford, U. S. A., participated in the exercises.

Among the monuments dedicated yesterday were those of the Seventy-eighth and One Hundred and Second Regiments jointly; Battery D, First Light Artillery; Sixty-Second, Sixty-fourth and Sixty-seventh Regiments; Third Independent Battery, One-Hundred and Forty-ninth Regiment, Fifteenth Independent Battery, One Hundred and Tenth, Fortieth, One Hundred and Fifth, Forty-first and Fifty-third Regiments, of New York.

There were reunion exercises at the National Cemetery rostrum at 4.30 o'clock, with speeches by Generals Sickles, Gordon and Longstreet, Chaplain McCabe and others. In the course of his address, General Sickles said:

"As Americans we may all claim a common share in the glories of this battlefield. Memorable for so many brilliant feats of arms, no stain rests on the colors of any battalion, battery or troop that contended here for victory. Gallant Buford, who began the battle, and brave Pickett who closed the struggle, fitly represent the intrepid hosts that for three days rivalled each other in titles to martial renown. Among the hundreds of memorial structures on this field there is not one bearing an inscription that wounds the susceptibilities of an honorable and gallant foe.

The O'Donnell-"Times" Suit.

LONDON, July 3.—The court room was packed when the trial of the action of Frank Hugh O'Donnell against the London TIMES was begun today. Lord Chief Justice Coleridge presided. Mr. O'Donnell was represented by Mr. Rugg, a junior counsel, who is a lean, nervous, bilious looking man. Mr. Herbert Gladstone, Mr. Arthur Connor and many other persons of prominence were present.

The TIMES was represented by Attorney General Sir Henry James, Mr. Lumbley Smith and Mr. William Graham Gwynne. Mr. Kuegg, in presenting the case for the plaintiff, declared that Mr. O'Donnell was not in sympathy with the Irish extremists, but held their methods in detestation. The TIMES has no ground for coupling his name with that party, and the plaintiff heretofore claimed £50,000 damages. Mr. Ruegg also said that Mr. O'Donnell had not been connected with the Parnelite party since 1884.

Maxwell's Mother Arrives.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., July 3.—Mother and sister of Hugh M. Brooks, alias Maxwell, arrived in this city to-day from Hyde, Eng. Maxwell's execution is set for July 13. Gov. Moorhouse has named July 9 as the day when he will hear argument for commutation of sentence. These two events have brought the women on their long and sorrowful journey. Messrs. Martin & Fontleroy, the attorneys of Maxwell, met them at the depot and conveyed them in carriages to Fontleroy's house. Later they visited the jail and had an affecting scene with their son and brother. It is not supposed that their arguments will have much weight with the Governor, although their sorrow occasioned universal sympathy and respect.

Expenses of the Republican Convention.

CHICAGO, July 3.—The cost of the Republican National Convention will amount to about $306,000, or nearly $700 more than was subscribed. The cost the Convention of 1884 was less than half this sum, which is partially accounted for by the fact that the democracy used the same hall and expenses were divided. The cost of entertaining the members of the National Committee at hotels was over $5,000. The bill for the grand auditorium exceeds $2,700. Fire works and transportation of the Kansas Club footed up $1,200. There were other expenses for special police, printing, etc.

Creditors Lose Heavily.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 3.—The liabilities of Shotwell, Clerihew & Latham, dry goods jobbers, are $1,048,000, assets $722,000. Among the creditors are Nicolett Bank, $90,000 Northwestern Bank, $40,000. The New York creditors will be heavy losers. George Clark & Co., of that city, have a claim of $112,000 The National Bank of Providence discounted notes for $97,940.

A New Trial for O'Brien.

DUBLIN, July 3.—In the Court of Exchequer to-day the appeal of William O'Brien from the sentence of the magistrate's court was heard The Crown counsel vigorously opposed a new trial, but the court granted the appeal and remanded the case to the magistrate for retrial.

TOOK A SLEIGH RIDE IN JUNE.

A Cyclone and Hail-Storm Made This Possible at Marlboro, Mass.

FRAMINGHAM, Mass., July 3.—A cyclone and hail-storm broke over Marlboro about 6.30 o'clock on Saturday night. The wind broke off large branches of trees, uprooted small trees, overturned chimneys and rocked many buildings, like cradles. People rushed to places of safety, women fainted from freight and children howled and trembled by turns. Hail fell like leaden balls. The hailstones were as large as walnuts. In ten minutes the ground was covered to a depth of two inches. The hail froze when it fell and the streets were covered with ice, which had to be shovelled from the sidewalks. Dr. C. D. Hunter, a Main street druggist, took a shovel, dug up ice in front of his store and used it to pack his soda fountain.

During the storm neither man nor beast could remain out of doors without intense suffering. English sparrows and other birds were killed by the hundreds, and in some places the ground was literally covered with them. Acres and acres of crops were cut down as though mowed with a scythe. Windows innumerable were broken, and greenhouses in the line of the storm were wrecked and produce destroyed.

The storm passed over Southboro and Fayville, doing great damage, but its full severity was not felt there. To-day a large quantity of the ice has been packed in sawdust in boxes and shipped to near points, that the recipients may see what Marlborough has on exhibition at this stage of the torrid term. One enthusiastic granger who lives on "The Farms," wishing to leave a remarkable story for his progeny, hitched his old mare into his sleigh Saturday evening and took a turn around the neighborhood. He did'nt ride on bare ground either, by about three inches.

HOW THEY FEEL AT PITTSBURG.

Will Prohibition or Free Trade Carry the Day?

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 3.—The employees of the Republic Iron Works were jubilant last night over the fact that the firm signed the scale. The labor orginizations are making active preparations to take part in the Allegheny County Centenial celebration. It is estimated that 30,000 men will appear in the labor parade.

It is the current gossip in base ball circles that Umpire Valentine has determined to have no more back talk from Anson; that he has been in communication with President Gourd and that hereafter Mr. Anson will be fined and heavily, too. The fines to stay if he interferes.

Bonifaces Disappointed.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 3.—Newport's hotelkeepers are somewhat despondent over the cool weather of the past two days, and the fact that the grand combined manœuvres of the army and navy arranged to take place on this island during thirty days of the present season have been abandoned. The citizens' committee had been appointed and several meetings held for the purpose of raising funds to make good any damages resulting to farmers' fences, crops, etc., by the troops, and everybody was led to believe that the Government would kindly assist in booming the Newport season. The thermometer yesterday and this morning has ranged between 45 and 66 and fires have been necessary at all the hotels.

Hot Southern Blood.

NEW ORLEANS, July 3.—Bad feeling between cousins in Tagipahoa parish, at Spring Creek, about 109 mile above this city, culminated in the killing of one man and the fatal wounding of another. At a dance Saturday night Major Ricks insulted his cousin, Miss Ricks, the sister of Robert and John Hood The young men demanded satisfaction, and the three cousins, Robert Hood, the Major, an John, went out to settle the matter. Robert and the Major fought, after which the Major drew a pistol and shot John dead, and then shot Robert, inflicting a mortal wound

The Murphy-Havlin Fight.

BOSTON, July 3.—On Saturday afternoon Ed Holske, representing Frank Murphy, and Tom O'Rouke, Jack Havelin's backer, deposited in Stakeholder James F. Ormond's hands $600 to bind more closely the match between those two well-known featherweight fighters. In less than a month the final payments will be made, and then Murphy and Havlin will battle for the world's championship. The exact spot for pitching the ring has not yet been selected.

In Favor of Independence.

WINNIPEG, July 3.—The FREE PRESS, in its article on the twenty-first anniversary of confederation comes out strongly for Canadian independence. It says: "The real destiny of Canada, the only goal which the people are bent upon attaining is the fullest national development which can fall to the lot of any country. Thoroughly independent politically no country on earth is more fitted to become a nation than Canada."

Cost of the Republican Convention.

CHICAGO, July 3.—The total cost of the Republican National Convention is $99,600. A deficit of $700 exists, but will be readily subscribed. The three largest items of expense were $7,000 to the Auditorium Association for hall rent, $2,700 for electric lighting, and $5,000 for entertaining the members of the National Committee.

Flight of a Bank President.

ATLANTA, Ga., July 3.—There was much excitement here yesterday when it was learned that C. C. Nelson, president of the North Side Savings Bank, had fled the city. An investigation into the accounts of the bank show that the president had taken about $20,000 of the funds. The bank has suspended payment.

General Boulanger Confident.

PARIS, July 3.—In accepting the presidency in the National Revision Committee in the Bauches du Rhone department, General Boulanger says the movement he has set afoot grows stronger day by day. He utters confidence and predicts success.

She Couldn't Face Disgrace.

CINCINNATI, July 3.—On last Wednesday Clara Williams, of hitherto irreproachable character, and a church member, was arrested for stealing millinery goods from Mrs. Berger, her employer. Goods were found in her room, and she confessed that for the past six months she had been from time to time guilty of theft. Her case was set down for a hearing on July 6. Monday noon she was found dead in her room, having taken her life with chloroform rather than face the disgrace that seemed inevitable.

ORDERING THE LIGHTS OUT.

THE SUBWAY BOARD COME TO BLOWS WITH THE U. S. COMPANY.

Commands it to Darken Broadway and Sixth Avenue at Once, which it Probably Won't Do—Accuses it of Bad Faith and Falsehood, and Threatens Arrests and Prosecutions.

NEW YORK, July 3.—The Board of Electrical Control has decided to wage war on the United States Illuminating Company, and resolved yesterday to stop the operation of its arc lights on Broadway, from Fourteenth street to Fifty-fourth street; on Sixth avenue from Eighteenth street to Fifty-eighth street, and the side streets between them from Twenty-third to Twenty-eighth. In these streets there are conduits ready. It is supposed that the company will resort to the courts to-day to prevent the threatened interference with its lights to-night and the arrest of its linemen for putting in new carbons.

Yesterday's proceedings of the Board were in type at the meeting in the shape of a letter to Coroner Levy describing what the Board has done to prevent the killing of people by the wires. It appears from this record that Expert S. S. Wheeler has reported within three weeks nearly 800 defective and dangerous wires, and sent notices to the companies owning them. About 500 of these were sent to the United States Company The United States Company informed the Commissioners that they were willing to enter the conduits with their wires if satisfactory cables could be procured. Thus far they have been unable to find such cables. Corporation Counsel Henry R. Beekman had meanwhile been instructed by Mayor Hewit to begin proceedings against the company to force it to take down the aerial lines. The company responded that it would maintain its rights so far as the law allowed, and insisted that no sufficient subways had as yet been constructed.

Yesterday afternoon as the letter to Coroner Levy also relates, the Subway Board adopted a long letter written by Commissioner Gibbons to President Eugene T. Lynch of the company, accusing the company of bad faith, falsehood, and open and flagrant violation of the law, and informing the company that if, as it says, its business cannot be done under the directions of the Board it will not be allowed to do business at all in this city. The letter goes on to order the company to cease to operate its aerial lines on the streets named above under penalty of punishment for misdemeanor, and immediately to remove its poles and wires from these streets.

The Board also adopted a letter to Superintendent Murray, informing him that as the company had shown no evidence of an intention to get its wires under ground, its temporary permit to maintain and operate them in the streets named is revoked.

The Board also asked Commissioner Newton to pull down these lines forthwith, and authorized Mr. Gibbons to get the officers of the company or its employees arrested or indicted, or both, if the company goes ahead and lights the streets to-night, and to hire counsel at his discretion.

It is safe to predict that the company will go ahead and light the streets. Though the orders to the police are broad enough to cause the arrest of its engineers for turning on the electricity, arrests wouldn't turn it off. No new orders were sent out by Superintendent Murray last night.

An Adventuress Arrested.

LONDON, July 3.—Mrs. Gordon Baillie, who applied to her own use money collected for the Scotch crofters, has been arrested on a charge of obtaining money under false pretense, The woman's real name is said to be Mary Ann Sutherland. She represented herself as a wealthy land owner in Scotland and a descendant of the great Earl of Moray.

A Clerk Arrested.

NEW YORK, July 3.—James Brady, clerk in the employ of Thurber, Whyland & Co., was arrested last evening by the central office detectives and lodged in Police Headquarters. The arrest was at the instigation of the firm. It is rumored that the charge is that of defalcation for a large amount of money.

Ashore on the Mediterranean Coast.

LONDON, July 3.—A Gibralter dispatch says: "A fog of unprecedented denseness prevails here. Three British steamers, the Glendevon, the Lionel and the Earl of Dumfries, have gone ashore since it set in, and another steamer, the Resolution, has arrived here with her bow much damaged."

Dying After Fasting Forty-Four Days.

RACINE, Wis., July 3.—John Zachar, the young farmer who has lived forty-four days without food, is dying. Up to yesterday Zachar has continued at work. That morning, however, he was attacked with cramps, and is now very low.

Attaching a Newspaper.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 3.—The Ætna Life Insurance Company yesterday afternoon attached the TELEGRAM printing office for $50,000 for libel for an article reflecting on the credit of the directors and officials.

Baseball Games Played Monday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT NEW YORK.

New York	0	1	1	0	1	0	1	1	1	6
Washington	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Chicago	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	.	2

AT PHILADELPHIA

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	2
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1

AT INDIANAPOLIS,

Indianapolis	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	3
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	4

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	3	3	0	2	0	1	3	0	1	13
Baltimore	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	6

Wants an Arbitration Treaty.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—Mrs. Belva Lockwood has received a petition signed by 120 members of the French House of Deputies to present to Congress asking for a treaty of permanent arbitration between France and the United States.

Died of Hydrophobia.

BURLINGTON, N. J., July 3.—Charles B. Fennemore, a prominent citizen of Delanco was bitten on the hand by a dog in March last. On Monday last symptons of hydrophobia appeared, and he died to-day in great agony.

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OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The post office will close after ten o'clock, to-morrow morning.

—Edsall's dry and fancy goods establishment will be open this evening.

—Conde's band will give a free concert at Caspar's Hotel, to-morrow, from ten to one o'clock.

—A new and attractive sign, composed of white porcelain letters has been placed on the window in the District Messenger office on Park avenue.

—The Y. M. C. A., Crescents will play two games on their grounds, to-morrow. At ten o'clock A. M., with the "Alphas," and at three o'clock P. M., with the "Putnams,"—all of Brooklyn.

—You can save time and money by having your pictures taken to-morrow. Fisher & Monfort will be open all day and will make a reduction of fifty cents a dozen on cabinet photographs.

—Brooklyn will send two of her best amateur clubs to this city, to-morrow, to play against the Y. M. C. A., Crescents. Games called, in the morning at ten o'clock and in the afternoon at three.

—The programme of to-morrow's celebration at The Netherwood, which has been described at greater detail in these columns before, will consist of a concert by Gilmore's Band from 3 to 5 P. M.; fireworks from 8 to 9 P. M., and hop at 9:30 P. M.

—A large attendance is desired at the meeting of the Berean Bible Class at Cutter's Hall, this evening, at 8 o'clock. There will be a short talk on the subject: "The Security of the Christian;" Rom., 8:1, followed by an informal experience meeting. The invitation is extended to all.

—"Is there," said youth who thought to be
A modern base ball terror,
"A man in all the nation round
Who never made an error?"
"There is," responded one who'd been
At wisdom's fount partaking.
"Who goes to Collier's for his wares,
Is ne'er an error making."

Special Protection for the Fourth.

The following orders of Chief Engineer Doane, have been posted in the fire department houses.

From six o'clock in the evening of July 3, until six o'clock in the morning of July 5, Engine Company No. 1, will respond to all alarms of fire located in districts 2 and 5, and Engine Company No. 2, will respond to all alarms in districts 3 and 4, as marked on the maps in the engine houses.

The tower-bell will be struck "one-one" for district No. 2, "one-one-one" for district No. 3, "one-one-one-one" for district No. 4, and "one-one-one-one-one" for district No. 5.

In case additional assistance is needed, the Chief or acting Chief will go to the nearest telephone or messenger box, and send a call for help. The bell-ringer will then strike thirty continuous taps on the bell, and all apparatus's not engaged will proceed immediately to the fire and render all the assistance in their power.

The men to be on duty from the evening of July 3, until the morning of July 5, are the engineers, first assistant engineers, and drivers of each company.

To Enlarge the Pond Tool Works.

The rapid increase in the business at the Pond Machine Tool Works, necessitates the enlargement of the works. Plans and specifications have been drawn up for the addition of an east wing 500 feet in length. This will furnish employment for a large force of extra help. The work on the new building, however, will not begin until Fall, when the weather is cooler.

The Pond Company employs only skilled mechanics, and this will doubtless attract many families from out of town.

CITY FATHERS IN COUNCIL.

Exempt Firemen Get Tax Exemption—Reports of the City's Officers—New Hose to be Purchased—More Police Confirmed—No Report on City Park—Resolutions on the Death of Wm. Taylor.

Four aldermen with spectacles and four without, gathered in regular meeting in the Council room, last evening, yet the clock did not stop and the World rolled on as though nothing unusual was transpiring on its surface.

There were present: President Marsh, whose knowledge of the rise, progress, jurisdiction and power of the Council, is only equalled by his dignity and efficiency in the chair; also Councilmen Ginna, nervous and active; Moffett, slow but gets-there-sure; Erickson, who has the City's fire, water and lamps on his shoulders; Dumont, the street-railway antagonist; Squires, cool and shrewd; Dunham, to whom the city looks for its good-health and the poor for their alms, and Wilbur with the First Ward in his capacious pocket.

There were absent, Councilmen Bowers, Clark and Watson.

Seated on the wooden divans in the *foyer* were Mayor Male, Chief Engineer Doane, Assessor Hubbard, Chief Carey, Electric Light Moore, First Asst. Laine, ex-Chief Saltzman, and others less distinguished.

The minutes of the meeting of June 4, were adopted at 8:45, and the resonant tones of the Clerk then passed to the sounding of certain petitions and communications addressed to "his honor the Mayor and the honorable Common Council."

The exempt firemen made a kick at the Corporation Counsel. It was a respectful kick but they meant it just the same. That officer had given an oral opinion to the Assessor to the effect that firemen who had completed their seven years of service and retired from active duty, were not exempt from taxation as were other firemen.

Later in the evening, the Committee on Laws and Ordinances recommended that these exempts be granted the exemption they prayed for, but President Marsh ruled that the Council could not exempt if the law did not. A motion, however, was subsequently passed to the effect that in the opinion of the Common Council, the exempt firemen are entitled to tax exemption under the act of 1888.

The petition of a majority of the members of Zephyr H. & L. Co., to be taken into the Plainfield Fire Department, was granted; and licenses were voted Messrs. Joseph Zeller and Joseph Snyder as pedlers, John Albert as cartman, and to Samuel Baldwin to drive a hack.

Mr. Wallace Vail informed the Council that Dunellen avenue from Clinton to Green Brook, was being washed away; citizens and tax-payers on Prospect avenue asked for more light; and the Trustees of the Seventh Day Baptist church wanted the crosswalks thereabouts, widened.

The City Collector stated he had taken in $625.76 of taxes during the month of June.

The City Treasurer reported the following amounts—to the credit of the General Fund, $9,632.93; Poor Fund, $311.47; Library Fund, $854.04.

Bills were presented, referred and afterwards audited and passed, to these amounts: Fire Department supplies, $728.22; street lighting, $464.40; police, $397.50; salaries, $291.25; streets, $2,277.77; alms, $487.50; sundries, $211.22. Total, $4,129.64.

The City Judge stated he had had 47 cases before him since last reported. Of these he had fined 34 the sum of $303. Four had been committed, of whom three had appealed. He had paid Chief Carey $21.20 for his sundry expenses.

Chief Doane presented a report of the condition of the Fire Department. He gave a clear and concise recapitulation of its property; its wells, where located, depth and amount of water; and the amount of good and bad hose on hand. He recommended the adoption of a system of fire alarm boxes, and the purchase of more hose.

The Chief of Police report set forth that there were five regular and fifteen special policemen on the force, and bore testimony to their fidelity, efficiency and "unswerving" service. They had made 101 arrests. The Chief highly complimented the city court upon its efforts to assist him in preserving the glorious peace of the city.

His Honor, the Mayor, nominated, and the Council unanimously confirmed, Chas. Giese as a regular, and Frank Fine and Joseph Sillery as special policemen.

Mr. Erickson stated for information that the lines of the Electric Light Company had been extended, and by August such other lights as the council had located, would be furnished.

He also recommended that the Chief of the Fire Department be authorized to contract for 1,500 feet of new hose on the best terms obtainable, and that the arrangements for the services of horses now adopted, be approved and continued. To all of which the Council unanimously agreed.

Mr. Dumont stated that a great many streets had been opened and graded in the Western part of the city, without consultation with either the Street Committee or the Commissioner. These streets, he continued, are all graded so as to shed the water from the Pond Tool Works no matter where it goes, and as the streets will soon be flooding the water back and forth on one another, the result is not to be desired. After the Councilman had finished, his colleagues, as usual, voted that he should look after the matter himself and do whatever he thought best in and to the premises.

But Mr. Dumont had no report to make on the City Park, although the President asked him very politely.

Mr. Erickson took the chair, and Mr. Marsh offered resolutions of regret and sympathy, upon the death of ex-Councilman William Taylor. He spoke feelingly in his expressions of personal esteem, and most sincerely of the deceased as a "faithful, upright and manly fellow; zealous in all good deeds; ever ready to give his time and ability to the city, that while in the service of which he had been stricken down." The Clerk was instructed to forward a copy of the resolutions to the bereaved family.

The claims approved were ordered paid after the transfer of $500 as a temporary loan from the general to the poor fund to meet the warrants upon it.

The President stated his appointment of Mr. Bowers to the vacant places on the standing committees formerly occupied by Mr. Randolph.

The Council then adjourned.

How the Fourth Will be Publicly Celebrated.

The glorious Fourth will be ushered in to-morrow morning, with the firing of a salute by Capt. Thomas MacDonald.

The programme of public exercises at Reform Hall will commence at 2:30 P. M., and will be as follows:

Patriotic Airs.....Band.
Prayer.
Vocal Music.....Selected.
Under leadership of Mr. A. Vanderbeek.
Reading.....Declaration of Independence.
O. B. Leonard, City Clerk.
National Air.....Band.
Oration.....Rev. J. B. Cleaver.
Vocal Music.....Patriotic Selections.
Benediction.
Music.....Band.

The audience will then retire to parlors for refreshments—which will be dispensed—interspersed with music during the afternoon and evening. The committee in charge are A. Vanderbeek, Capt. William C. Smith, Capt. Wm. Hand, H. N. Spencer and J. W. A. Bauersachs.

Any contributions of refreshments should be sent to Reform Hall before ten o'clock, to-morrow morning.

Walked from the Bridge.

A young man from this city, whose name is omitted at his request, was seriously injured about the head and body while returning from Dunellen, a few evenings since. It appears that the young man had been calling on a lady friend, and late in the evening he started to walk home, following the railroad track. Before reaching the city, however, he discovered an east-bound train approaching. Stepping from the track and walking a few feet in the dark he inadvertently walked off the bank and fell to the street below. Fortunately no bones were broken, and with great difficulty the injured man reached home about four o'clock in the morning, where he has since remained, suffering from the injuries he received.

The Fourth at Bergen Point.

The formal opening of the new grounds of the New Jersey Athletic club at Bergen Point will take place to-morrow and the attendance will doubtless be large. Following is the programme for the day:

Regatta at 10:30 A. M., bicycling at 1:30 P. M., and a base ball match at 4 P. M., between the nines of the Highland base ball club of Philadelphia and the New Jersey Athletic club.

A number of entrances for the regatta and bicycle races have been received from Plainfield members of the club, and an enjoyable day is promised to all visitors. Way trains from Plainfield will stop at the Avenue A station, Bergen Point, three minutes walk from club grounds.

Chicken Thieves.

Some of the residents on West Fourth street, have declared war on the cats. One of them spent Sunday looking out of a second story window with a double-barrelled shot gun in his hands, watching for a white cat. The cat is owned by a family on Fifth street, and is an expert at chicken catching. Out of a brood of twenty-six young chickens recently hatched out, this particular cat has feasted on all but five or six of them.

People who have pet house cats would do well to keep them at home, or they may return some day with loads of buckshot in their carcasses.

The Pony Champions.

Captain Hines' Picked Nine defeated the Union street nine, yesterday afternoon, by a score of 25 to 23; and the Captain challenges any team of boys under fourteen years of age to meet his nine on the diamond field. The two nines were composed as follows:

Picked Nine—Sheehan, 2b; Hines, 1b; B. Tallamy, 3b; Gurnell, ss; Crawford, rf; Ulrich, cf; W. Tallamy, lf; W. Bartindale, c; McCarthy, p.

Union Street—Buckalew, 1b; Kelly, 2b; Newman, 3b; Lorton, lf; J. Bartindale, cf; Spicer, ss; Titsworth, c; Baker, p.

—Rickert's strayed team has been found at Rahway. They took two or three days to make the trip, and were subsequently found strolling along the roadside and taken in to a livery stable to await a claimant.

Tickling the Palate.

The only trouble with HAMBURG FIGS is that they are so pleasant to the palate that children are apt to eat them when not absolutely necessary, if they can get hold of them surreptitiously. They will injure no one, but medicine should not be taken unless needed. 25 cents. Dose, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

POISON IN OUR DRINK.

Not Alcohol—which one may avoid—but BRASS AND LEAD which one takes unsuspectingly. "How—When—Where?" Well, say, in a glass of Soda. Pity the most popular and wholesome of all artificial drinks—which Soda honestly is—should ever deserve a touch of suspicion, but

THE FROZEN TRUTH

is that in some Soda Fountains economy and mechanical facility are studied to the neglect of the weightier matter of purity. Some men are too "smart;" some Soda Fountains are too "ingenious."

We have recently had made a Fountain which secures Absolute Purity *for the beverages. Rather pretty, too, we think. We selected the "Matthews' make" because it is the only fount in which the syrups have positively no metallic contact, being discharged direct from glass jars into the tumblers—no tubes; while the waters are contained in and flow through solid block tin,*

PURE AS CRYSTAL, COLD AS CHARITY.

We make our own syrups—from REAL FRUIT JUICES, or from chocolate or coffee, etc., as the case may be; no nonsense of essences or make believe.

New drinks? Yes, some of our own contriving. "Winks?" Not a wink; not licensed for winks, and we have an opinion of druggists who take a wink.

Come and try the new Fountain; if you like your drink we'll thank you or saying so, and you'll pay us five cents and come again—it will do you good; only don't come Sundays; no use—Fountain WON'T WORK.

REYNOLDS' PHARMACY,
(*Established 21 years,*)
Cor. Park and North Avenues, near R. R. Station. 6-9

LADIES HAVE FOUND OUT

THAT "FAST BLACK" hose that will not "crock" or "fade," and at the same time will *WEAR WELL*, can be purchased at EDSALL'S at a moderate sum.

NOTICE THE PRICES:

Ladies' real nice quality, at 39c. Ladies' Extra Fine quality, 50c.
Children's 5in. to 8½in., 37c. to 62c. Children's 5in. to 9in., 32c. to 55c.
Gents' half hose, same dye as Ladies, at 50.

THEY have been thoroughly tested, both as to color and wear, and every pair is guaranteed. The Dye in our Hosiery does not injure the fabric.

OUR SPECIAL offer on Carpets for Month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be LAID FREE OF CHARGE.

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. EDSALL'S.
5-18-tf

THE PLACE where you will find Choice Goods, the Latest Fashions, Polite treatment, and Prices the Lowest, in all kinds of Dry and Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Ribbons, Laces, Fabric, Kid Gloves, etc.

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS.
CLOSE—7.30 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—7.30, 8.50, 11.45 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m
SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.
CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.
SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.
Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.
Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.
Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window. Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.
Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending JUNE 29, 1888.

A B
Angle, D A (2)
Brady, Miss Nora
Burton, Miss M
Barry, Mrs G A
Bryan, Mrs W H
Congdin, Miss Nora
Clegg, Mrs Henry
Cowan, Michael
Carthers, Mrs M
Dodge, Miss
Drake, Mrs A S
Dey, C
Demchy, Wm J
Gadin, Pierse
Gaw, E A
Halderman, Lizzie
Horan, Mrs James
Hickey, Miss Bridget
W. T. K.
Moore, Manda (2)
Moody, Miss
Probst, Miss Kate
Parker, J A
Pearson, Mrs W. B.
Randolph Mrs Mary E
Scribner, Wm H
Smith, Mrs Annie
Sweeney, Mrs Ellen
" Miss Mamie
" " May
Underhill, Mrs W F
Welsh, Wm H
Wilson, Wm
Walker, Thos S
Walter, L H
Walke, Mrs F
Wright, Mrs Cornelius
White, Miss Amy E
Walter, Mrs Annie

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

NEWHALL—Suddenly, at Point Pleasant, N. J., Sunday evening, July 1, Mrs. Sarah B., widow of Henry A. Newhall.
Notice of funeral hereafter.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

WANTED—A situation by a young lady as Seamstress in a family, or with a Dressmaker. Will go out by the day. Address, D.H., PRESS office.

FOR SALE—A bran new Camping Tent; has never been used; size, about 18x10. Can be seen at No. 94 Manning avenue, North Plainfield. 7-3-2

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

FOR SALE—A valuable (black) road mare, 5 years old, 15½ hands high. Sound and kind. Can be driven by any one. Sold reasonable. Asa Niece, 712 Mercer street, Phillipsburgh, N. J. 6-28-w

FOR SALE—Cheap, Village Cart, nearly new. Apply at Day's Stables, North ave. 6-29-w

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street, N. Y. city. my20tf

Jersey Milk is the People's Choice.
Put up in Bottles.
Address a postal card to
D. L. DARBY, Box 1,082, Plainfield. 5-18-y

JOSEPH SATTELS,
PIANO MAKER.
MASON & HAMLIN Pianos. Patent Stringer, Repeating Action. BEST MADE.
Mason & Hamlin Organs. Lowest Prices. Easiest Terms. NEW UPRIGHTS to rent. CONCERT TUNING A SPECIALTY.
23 EAST FRONT STREET,
[Allen's Stationery Store.] 7-3-y

Central Railroad of New Jersey.

Excursion Rates to Gettysburg,
FOR THE
Twenty-Fifth Anniversary of the Battle and Veteran Re-union.
Excursion tickets will be sold
JUNE 28, 29. 30. JULY 1, 2 & 3, '88.
Good to return until JULY 6, 1888.
FARE FROM PLAINFIELD, $6.20.
6-21-eod-6d

TO CLOSE JULY 4.

We, the undersigned BUTCHERS, do hereby agree to close our stores *JULY* 4, 1888, the entire day:

S. A. Fleming & Co., Geo. Feller,
Lutkins & Hummer, John Vetterlein,
Sharkey & VanNest, W. H. Beeching,
Benj. F. Moore, I. Lewis,
Peter H. Bennett, Smalley Bros.,
J. W. VanSickle, Peter Dunn,
Ten Eyck & Watts, Peter Holmes,
Geo. A. Moore. 6-27-7-2&3

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Closing out our Summer stock of MILLINERY Goods at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Come and see at what Low Prices we can sell trimmed and untrimmed Hats. A good Shade Hat at 25c. Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Suits and Wrappers. Children's Dresses, Lace Caps. An assortment of Ladies' and Children's Aprons as low as 25c. Boys' Shirt Waists—all at very low prices.
MRS. T. J. GILLIES,
No. 7 Madison Ave. 6-14-m

Boarding and Furnished Rooms,
SYCAMORE STREET, opposite Bicycle Club House, and in front of Central Railroad station.
Mrs. Mary Yaeger. 6-16-y

REMOVAL!
SEBRING BROS.,
Clothiers & Tailors,
North Avenue
[FORCE'S HOTEL BLOCK.] 4-4-y

Choice Fruits, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Confectionery, &c.
BANANNAS, Wholesale and Retail.
31 WEST FRONT STREET,
16 NORTH AVENUE, (Paoli's Stand.)

I would respectfully inform the citizens of Plainfield that I have stocked both the above stores with *FIRST-CLASS GOODS* and solicit a share of patronage.
LUSARDI GUATELLI. 6-18-tf

THE PLAINFIELD
WALL PAPER WAREHOUSE,
COR. PARK & NORTH AVES., [2D FLOOR.]

The Largest Stock and Variety of Wall Paper between New York and Philadelphia, at Prices as Low as those of any responsible dealer.

NEW DESIGNS. NEW COLORINGS.

Paper Hanging done by first-class workmen. TERMS CASH.
EDWARD LOVE, Proprietor.
2-28-tf

TUNIS J. CAREY,
51 West Front Street,
All kinds of Second Hand
FURNITURE,
Including Carpets, Bedding & Stoves,
Bought and Sold.

I manufacture first-class Mattresses, and sell them at *WHOLESALE PRICES*, as you will be convinced by calling.
Furniture Repaired with Neatness and Promptness.
2-29tf

PECK'S CORNER.

Embroidered Handkerchiefs!
IN
White and Colors,
AT PECK'S.

SHOT DOWN!
We will sell for a
SHORT TIME,
Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " $1.70.

Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,
Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.
A Nice Rod for the BOYS. 18cts.
Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

Ask to see the Springfield Roadster—the *SAFETY WHEEL.*

A. M. VANDERBEEK & CO.,
At 33 PARK AVE.,
(*Successors to A. Vanderbeek.*)
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
my16-y

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS,
Flannel Shirts in Soft Goods and Soft Shades;
Tennis Blazers & Caps in Bright Colors;
Straw Hats in all Shapes and Fancy Bands;
Silk Belts and Every Kind of Neckwear.

A. C. HORTON,
(*Successor to F. A. Pope.*)
NO. 5 W. FRONT STREET.
9-20-y

P. H. BENNETT,
(*Successor to B. H. Bachman*)
DEALER IN
BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,
MEATS OF ALL KINDS,
Fruits and Vegetables in their Season
42 PARK AVENUE,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Goods Delivered to any part of the city.
8-2-tf

R. W. RICE & Co.,
[Successor to Wm. H. Shotwell.
FINE GROCERIES,
Fruits and Vegetables
IN THEIR SEASON.
North Plainfield, - New Jersey.
CORNER DUER & EMILY STREETS.
1-12-tf

Howell & Hardy,
Fancy and Staple Groceries,
CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.
Creamery and Dairy Butter,
FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,
North Avenue, Opposite Depot,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
TELEPHONE CALL, 30.
11-26-tf

REFRIGERATORS,
PHILADELPHIA LAWN MOWERS,
HARDWARE,
PLUMBING,
TINNING.

Have your FURNACES cleaned NOW and save money, time and inconvenience.

A. M. GRIFFEN,
13 East Front Street.
TELEPHONE CALL 6.

PETER W. McDONOUGH,
Horseshoer
AND
Farrier,
NO. 6 PARK AVE., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Annie O'Keeffe, formerly of this city and now of Augusta, Me., is visiting her mother at South Plainfield.

Miss Lizzie Sutphen, of Readington, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. Charles F. Stephens of West Second street.

Mr. Charles Doane's homing pigeon "Ariel," that was released at sea from the steamer "Cherokee," has arrived home.

Miss Madge Sutphen is at Little Silver with her sister, Mrs. W. Alex. Bass, Jr., who will spend the Summer at that attractive resort.

Mr. H. E. Gayle, a delegate from the Y. P. S. of Trinity Reformed church, left today for Chicago, Ill., to attend the National Convention of the above Society.

Rev. J. B. Cleaver conducted a short service in the Park Avenue Baptist church on Sunday afternoon, at the close of which eleven converts were immersed. This makes thirty-five in all that have been baptized since Rev. Mr. Cleaver began his services of revival meetings several months ago.

The death of Mrs. Sarah B. Newhall of Seventh street, was very sudden. With her daughter, Miss Kate Newhall, she was visiting her son, the Rev. Charles Newhall, who is pastor of a church at Point Pleasant. Mrs. Newhall was at church Sunday morning and intended going in the evening. She changed her mind, however, and stayed at home. During the evening she went up stairs, and a few minutes afterward called her daughter's name. The latter went at once to answer, but found her mother dead.

FRIENDS' TEMPERANCE MEETING.

An Address on "Home" by Judge Harper.

Pursuant to announcement a meeting under the auspices of the Friends' Temperance Association was held in the Peace street meeting house last Sunday afternoon.

Robinson Pound presided, and after scripture reading by Henry G. Adams, Judge Nathan Harper delivered an address on "Home." He commenced by saying—Among earth's most sacred spots is home, a home wherein sobriety abides, where Christian faith and duties hold sway, where family affection, mutual respect, contentment and earthly joys abound. There is no fortune equal to the riches of a happy home, be it high or humble, in palace or in hut. Around it cluster thoughts of Heaven and from it issue memories that never die. Judge Harper then went on and from numerous incidents and quoted testimonies showed the powerful influences for good exerted by home and its remembrances, and drew a vivid contrast between homes made bright and happy by total abstinence and those darkened and desolated by intoxicating liquor. He charged that the mortal enemy of home happiness was the drink habit, and urged all to dedicate individual and associated efforts to eradicate the evil. He also paid a merited tribute to the women of America who are so nobly endeavoring to protect and preserve the homes of our country, and remarked, that it was fitting then to speak of country within a venerable building only eleven months younger than the constitution of the United States.

A few words from Henry G. Adams brought the meeting to a close.

He Advises People to Bet that There Will Be Rain on the Fourth.

The weather prophet from Newark has broken loose again and threatens to become a serious rival to other "observers."

Mr. C. Million has issued a circular in which he says that he wants to give people a chance to make some money. The way he proposes to accomplish that end is for the public to bet on his weather predictions, which he says cannot fail. One of his advices to strangers is to bet $50 to $100 that a thunder storm will strike New Jersey on the 4th and 11th of July.

Mr. Million has issued a sweeping challenge to all weather prophets for a competitive prophecy on the weather. This gentleman also argues that to predict the weather for the same day, or day after, can reflect no credit on anybody, inasmuch as every person troubled with rheumatism can do it, but it requires a person who can predict the weather for one week or a month in advance to style himself a weather prophet. Meanwhile look out for Million's shower on the Fourth.

A Forty-Two Pound Bass.

The Trenton *True American* says: "Mr. James Roan, of this city, on Saturday, cast his line from the beach into the heaving surf at Key East and after over half an hour's sharp struggle he brought to shore through the breakers the largest striped bass ever known to be caught with rod and reel. This Jumbo of a bass measured four feet 4 inches long and 2¼ feet around the body, and weighed over 42 pounds."

Our contemporary does well for a first attempt, but the climax is not pitched high enough. Heavier bass than that are on record as caught with rod and reel.

—The Jr. O. U. A. M., base ball nine of this city, will compete with the Jr. O. U. A. M., nine of Rahway, at the latter place, to-morrow at 10 A. M. The former will don their new suits.

—The place to buy your fireworks this evening and to-morrow, is at Warden & Fowler's on Park avenue, between North avenue and Second street.

"WE, THE REPUBLICANS?"

The Plainfield "News" Self-Satisfaction Over Its Own Silliness.

Some days ago THE PRESS set the community laughing over the childish simplicity of the *Stolen News* which plastered its first page with the American flag, republished the "Star-Spangled Banner" with a claim to its copyright, and imagined it was deceiving the public with its loud protestations of patriotism and authorship. As soon as the chromo was published everybody that saw it saw how silly it all was; yet the "editor" sat down and wrote the following:

New York Graphic Company,

GENTLEMEN:—I am delighted with the flag in colors you have just got out for me. It has proved the greatest *hit* in my experience as a Journalist, extending over a period of twenty-one years, and is the talk of everybody here. Quote me price on regular "news" to print my regular edition once a week throughout the campaign. I printed my regular edition over the flag and the effect was simply beautiful. I have copyrighted the idea with the "Star-Spangled Banner" adaptation, but with pleasure permit you to use it for other papers. I have no doubt all the Independent and Republican papers in the country will like it. The Democratic Free Traders have run up the British flag, the red bandanna, which seems quite appropriate for their standard. We, the Republicans, run up the stars and stripes, and will sweep the country from Maine to Oregon, like a cyclone, "and don't you forget it."

Very respectfully,
T. W. MORRISON.

The claim of what "We the Republicans" are going to do must have greatly amused the Graphic Co., as the following extract from the editorial page of the *Graphic* shows that that paper stands with the *Times, Herald, World, Star, Telegram, Sun, Post, Commercial Advertiser, Harpers Weekly, News* and in fact every established newspaper in the city of New York excepting two—the *Tribune* and *Mail*. The *Graphic* says:

The Democratic ticket is as certain of election as if that consummation had already been reached. One would think that Harrison and Morton had been put up for the mere purpose of being knocked down.

"And don't you forget it."

The Difference Between What They Preach and What They Practice.

"We the Republicans" of Plainfield are emphatic and fierce in their demands for the protection of home industry, if we are to judge by the music of their loud-mouth orguinette located on Somerset street.

But alas, like all such music, bought by the yard, ground out by a crank, and played by wind—it is so full of holes.

Posters on the walls last week, told of a public meeting by Plainfield and North Plainfield Republicans, to ratify the nominations of Harrison & Morton. In three-inch type those posters were headed,

"PROTECTION TO AMERICAN INDUSTRY."

Then the Republicans went into New York and bought their fireworks for the occasion, and the protection of the industry of the Plainfield dealers was left to whomsoever they cared not.

"But," said one Republican, "we saved almost 50 per cent."

True my friend, yet you tell the workingman that this country will fall to pieces and England will gather up and burn the remnants, if the Mill's bill passes with an average reduction of seven per cent.

Is it wrong that the poor man should get cheap sugar, and right that you should get cheap fireworks?

Trotting for July Fourth.

The entries for the great trotting meeting, to-morrow at Waverly, indicate a day of rare sport. Both classes are filled admirably and the horses are far above the average. Several are very well known, having engaged in previous contests to the delight of all who witnessed their performances. Three of the horses which performed on Decoration Day in the race which was pronounced one of the finest ever trotted will compete again to-morrow. The entry list is as follows:

No. 1—2:34 class; purse $250, divided. W. H. Lockwood's s. s., O. S. B., and b. m., Carrie D.; H. H. Smith's blk. g., Frank M.; R. Cadugan's br. s., Valdine; M. Hand's ch. g., Mambrino Ross; C. W. Woolley's b. g., Sunrise; G. A. Coleman's b. m., Sallie A, and br. m., Atlanta.

No. 2—2:40 class; purse $200, divided. W. H. Lockwood's br. m., Morris Ross br. g., Mingo Jack; Dr. A. Sherk's blk.g., Talmadge; John Cody's b. g., Edison and b. g., Olivia Medium; R. Dempster's blk. g., John S.; Hiram G. Smith's b. g., Kearny Boy; M. Hand's Daisy K.

No. 3—Silverware to the person ariving nearest three minutes in a trial of one mile, three breaks allowed.

A Good Place to Drive to On the Fourth.

The Chapel Fund Association of Washingtonville, have made arrangements to celebrate the Fourth of July by giving a lawn party and iced cream festival during the afternoon and evening. Parties driving through the beautiful valley will have an opportunity for rest and refreshments and at the same time be aiding a worthy cause.

To-morrow's Yacht Race at Sewaren.

The regular Spring regatta of the Sewaren Yacht Club will take place at the Sewaren House, to-morrow, at about ten o'clock in the morning. The whole race can be seen from the piazza of the hotel. The club has some fine yachts, and it will undoubtedly be a very interesting race.

A Luxury and Necessity

For rich and poor who wish to enjoy good health, and who do not wish to resort to bitter, nauseous liver medicines and cathartics, is the concentrated California liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs. For sale in 50 cts and $1.00 bottles by Field & Randolph.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

HAPPY IRON MEN.

Carnegie Brothers & Co. Sign the Amalgamated Association Scale.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 3.—Carnegie Brothers & Co. signed the Amalgamed Association scale yesterday. The former control the mills at Twenty-ninth and Thirty-third streets, and the latter run the Homestead works. The scale for the first two mills were signed by John Walker, a partner of the firm. He said he would sign the Homestead scale in a few days, as soon as a few minor details were eliminated. The Twenty-ninth and Thirty-third street mills will start up on Thursday, and the Homestead mills will again be in operation on Monday next.

The officials of the Amalgamated Association were jubilant last night on account of Carnegie's action. They said the strike was now broken in Pittsburg, and it was only a matter of a week or so before all of the manufactnrers would be signed. President Weihe said: "We are perfectly satisfied now and do not think the lockout will continue for any length of time. The basis of signing was the same as that upon which Oliver Bros. and Phillips agreed, We knocked out the roll-turners' scale altogether. The clause in the articles of agreement to the effect that all crop-ends on finishing mills used for merchantable purposes should be paid for was also stricken off. In the guide-mill scale the price to be paid for one and one-quarter angles was changed from $4.10 to $3.20, and one and one-eighth from $4.10 to $3.64. The scale is the same as the one now in force in the mills.

An Effective Cure.

CHICAGO, July 3.—Mary Magdel Schreiner, by a confession made yesterday clears up the mystery surrounding the death of her husband, who died last Monday. She said he has been on a continuous drunk for the last six months and quarrelled with her every night. After returning home last Saturday night, stupidly drunk, he sent for more beer. Some time later she found him in the alley. An uncontrollable desire to be rid of him seized her. She took a can of kerosene oil and poured the contents over his clothing, applying a match to it immediately. He rushed to the streets, his clothing all ablaze. Neighbors endeavored to extinguish the flames with blankets, but without avail. Schriener fled in frightfull agony from the effects of the burns. Mrs. Schriener is but 22 years of age, and has a baby 6 months old. She will plead guilty to the charge of murder.

Prisoners Idle.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 3.—Governor Hill will call an extra session of the Legislature between now and August. The balance of $150,000 for maintenance has been declared, but there is sufficient to last until October 1, when the regular appropriation of $450,000 becomes available. An extra session would be to appropriate money and carry on work in the three prisons. There are 300 men idle at Clinton, and the other 500 will be out of work July 15. At Auburn all but 150 will be idle August 1, and the workshops must close down by August 15. At Sing Sing all will be idle by July 15, except those in the laundry department.

Stokes Wants a New Trial.

NEWBURG, July 3.—In the Supreme Court yesterday, before Judge C. F. Brown, argument was heard to set aside the verdict and for a new trial in the case of William Tumbridge against Cassius H. Reed and Edward S. Stokes of New York, in the suit growing out of the lease of a building in Beaver street, New York. Brewster Kissam and Robert G. Ingersol were the attorneys. Decision reserved. This is the case which caused the street encounter betweenStokes and Tumbridge.

A Bridge Across the Hudson.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—In the Senate yesterday, Senator Quay introduced a bill authorizing James King McLenahan, Jordan L. Mott, Henry Flad, Charles J. Canda, James Andrews, Thomas F. Ryan, Gustav Lindenthal, William F. Shunk and their associates, to build and maintain a bridge across the river between the city of New York and State of New Jersey. It is to be a single span, 140 feet above water, to be used for railroad trains and other purposes.

Without Recommendation.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—The Senate Judiciary Committee, after a long investigation, reported to the executive session of the Senate the nomination of Melville W. Fuller, of Illinois, to be Chief Justice of the United States, without recommendation. The committee decided on this course because of the numerous attacks made on Mr. Fuller's record. The decision of the committee will probably delay action by the Senate.

Dunn's Conviction Must Stand.

NEW YORK, July 3.—Judge Barrett in the court of Oyer and Terminer, yesterday formally denied the motion for a certificate of reasonble doubt as to whether the conviction of Lawyer Dunn, the accomplice of Bank Teller Scott in the robbery of the Manhattan Bank, should stand. He referred the matter to Justice O'Brien in Supreme Court, chambers. Judge Barrett sails for Europe to-morrow.

Republicans Appealed to.

MINNEAPOLIS, July 3.—An address has been issued by Albert Griffin, chairman of the Anti-Saloon Republican Committee, which summarizes the work of the National Convention on temperance matters, and appeals to the voters to support the ticket nominated by the convention. He says that Harrison is a pronounced anti-saloonist, and that a ringing temperance plank was, after all, added to the platform.

Daring Burglary of $100,000.

BIRMINGHAM, Ala., July 3.—Burglars entered the office of the Armour Cold Storage and Packing Company on Sunday morning and slipping up behind the cashier, who had been detained at his books, sandbagged him into unconsciousness, took the safe key from his pockets and made way with $100,000. They set fire to the building and made good their escape. Avery will recover.

A Heavy Hail Storm.

MARLBORO, Mass., July 3.—As a result of the severe hail storm on Saturday, the most violent ever known here, piles of ice could be found in shaded places as late as noon yesterday. The damage done to crops, windows and greenhouses was almost incalculable. To-day the residents of the places shoveled up the ice, carried it to their houses and used it for refrigerating purposes.

General Sheridan's Sea Voyage.

FORTRESS MONROE, Va., July 3.—The Swatara with General Sheridan and Party, sailed from here at 4 o'clock yesterday morning. The beneficial effects of the sea voyage are already apparent, and the physicians are pleased with the result of the trip thus far. His pulse is stronger and his mind much clearer.

Fell Dead at Dinner.

GLOUCESTER, Mass., July 3.—Addison Gilbert, one of the wealthiest citizens of this place, fell dead to-day while eating dinner.

An Arizona Town Burned.

FLAGSTAFF, Arizona, July 2.—The business portion of the city was destroyed by fire this morning. Loss $100,000.

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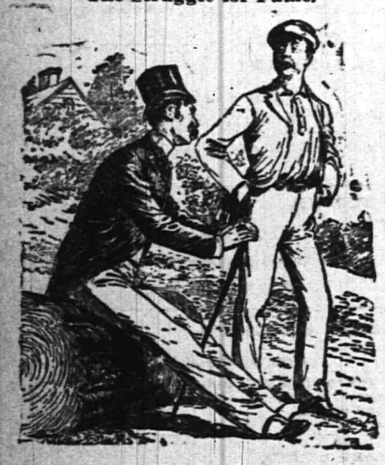
'Twas in the prime
Of summer time,—
A lovely moonlit eve,
When Bill and Kate
Stood at the gate—
Her head upon his sleeve.

When lo! there came,
With steady aim,
From the immediate rear
A human foot
Which quickly put
Poor Bill to flight, in fear.

Then Kate did cry:
"Oh Papa, why
Insult my lover thu
You have no right
My hopes to blight
By making such a fuss!"

Her papa said,
"You skip to bed,
For so your father w[illegible]
I run this show
And you must know
I likewise 'foot the Bills!'"
[Texas Siftings.

The Struggle for Fame.



Parke Rowe (who is visiting his friend, Mayne Pike, in the forlorn village of Squeehawket). By Jove, Mayne, I can't see how you can bury yourself in such a hole as this!

Mayne Pike—Can,t eh? Why I'm a "prominent citizen" here; what would be in New York?—[Puck.

A Disgusted Texan.

"Has the President appointed you to that consulship?" asked the clerk of a fourth-rate Washington hotel of a Texan gentlemen who had been at the capital for several months.

"No, and what's more, I don't think he is going to do it. I am going to leave Washington. I attended the dead letter sale yesterday, and bought in my own application to the President for that consulship. Maybe I wasn't mad."

If the Democratic majority in Texas falls off a hundred thousand next election, you will know what caused it.

A Smart Man.

Mrs. Mose Schaumburg—"I don't like dot new country house vat you bought."

Mr. Mose Schaumburg—"Vy not; vat's de madder mit dot house?"

"It vas too far away dot railroad depot out!"

"Dot ish choost vere you vas a fool, Rebecca. Ven our friends comes to make us a visit, dey vill arrive at our house an hour later, and dey vill have to go away an hour sooner. Don't you see, now Repecca, vy I didn't puy a house near dot railroad depot?"

Elementary Instruction.

In a restaurant.

"Waiter, a bottle of Madeira."

"All right, sir."

After an interval.

"Waiter, I asked you for a bottle of Madeira ten minutes ago."

The waiter, his napkin under his arm, draws himself up, and remarks, with great dignity:

"I see, sir. that you are not a conny-sheur, sir. I made you wait on purpose, sir, for every connoy-sheur knows, sir, the older Madeira is the better it is, sir."—[Judge.

No Clothes-Presses.

Mr. Lafitte Santvoord: "How many rooms have you made in your plans?"

Architect: "Fifteen."

Mr. Lafitte Santvoord: "How about the clothes-presses?"

Architect: "Here you will see one off every room."

Mr. Lafitte Santvoord: "Too many altogether. Two will be sufficient. I should have told you that my wife was a society leader."

An Easy Death.

"What's de news out on Onion Creek?" asked Uncle Mose of Si Jackson, who was sitting on a wagon.

"Nuffin', 'cept old niggah Nace am dead."

"Am he de niggah what had only one eye?"

"Dat's de niggah."

"Did he die easy?"

"You bet he did. Yer see he didn't hab ter close but one oye. Heah! heah!"

A School-room Incident.

School teacher—"You read yesterday in your Cæsar, Master Burchell, that all Gaul was divided into three parts. What are those parts?"

Master Burchell (absently)—"Faith, hope and charity."

Wanted to Know His Heirs.

"What makes you so fond of lawyers in the later days of your life?" was asked of an elderly gentleman of large estate.

"It's perfectly natural, isn't it," replied he, "that a man should want to know something about the persons who will fall into his property when he is gone?"

A Real Artist.

Robinson and his wife were making plans for their summer outing.

"What do you say to the Catskills, my dear?" asked Mrs. R., who was always of an aspirating turn of mind.

"Nonsene, Julia! mountains always hide the landscape."

Conditional.

Jacob Levi, jr.: "Baba, I vants den cents."

Jacob Levi, sr.: "Vat for, mine son?"

Jacob Levi, jr.: "I wants to puy a tog."

Jacob Levi, sr.: "Mine son, I gifs you den cents ofe you vill puy a paseball. Bemember, mine son, a tog eats.—Judge.

Love's Sacrifice.

Miss Coolington: "And when we are married, dear, I hope you wont smoke those horrid, odious cigars around the house!"

Mr. Billington: "Why, no, darling! I think a pipe is much more home-like; don't you."—[Puck.

Purity Above All Else.

Bagley (at Coney Island: "Waiter, this beer is three-quarters foam."

Waiter: "Yes sir; but see how pure the foam is!"

Sunday Morning.

Little Minnie: Oh, Mama, what is that dreadful noise up stairs?

Mama: "Hush, darling, it's Papa trying to save the price of a shave."—[Puck.

Something in Checks.

Gilded youth: "I want some pants, Mr. Tightfit. Have you anything in checks?"

Tailor (thinking of an amount overdue): "Yes, have you?"

MANY MEN.

GEN. BOULANGER has been laid out—Deroueds out, as it were.

JAMES RUSSELL LOWELL is in London suffering from the gout.

IT is said that you can trace Brother Elliott F. Shepard in Chicago by his tracts.

A TORONTO newspaper rises to remark that Thurman's bandanna is not to be sneezed at.

TRUTH is the name of the champion oarsman of Long Island. "Truth is mighty and will prevail."

E. BERRY WALL solemnly asserts that he does not like notoriety. Poor fellow! How he must suffer!

THOMAS A. NAYLOR, of Baltimore, Md., has been granted a patent on "a device for measuring ice cream."

MAYOR FITLER has invited Admiral Luce to bring the North Atlantic Squadron to Philadelphia for July the Fourth.

SENATOR EVARTS will spend the Summer at Windsor, Vt. Mr. Evarts is well known as the senior United States Senator from New York.

THE late Rev. James Freeman Clarke, of Boston, was for many years in the habit of writing his sermons before breakfast Sunday morning.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND is now called upon, in the performance of his official duties, to gracefully accept watermelons from various parts of the country.

REPRESENTATIVE Timothy J. Campbell has made a bet of $5,000 with Representative Paige, of California, that New York State will go for Cleveland in November. Campbell is now indulging in "The Pleasures of Hope."

P. T. BARNUM has sold to the City of Chicago an elephant, a camel, a zebu, a llama, two Bengal tigers, a lioness, an ibex and two leopards. Thus the logical outcome of Barnum's Presidential boom at Chicago is zoological.

CORNELIUS COLLINS, of the Government Bureau of Engraving and Printing, has been a most faithful and persevering worker. He has lost only five days in the twenty-four years during which he has been in the service of the Government.

THE late George Gabriel, of New Haven, Conn., was an interesting character. He was born in Suffield, Conn., in 1799. He went to New Haven in 1828, and subsequently became an umbrella and parasol maker and repairer in that city. His will bequeaths $10,000 to Yale College and $15.000 to Yale Divinity School. He was a magnificent man in personal appearance, and his mind was active and cultivated. He was an artist of no mean ability.

WOMANS WAYS.

THE Sultan of Zanzibar has a German wife.

IN 1776 Sarah Goddard printed a newspaper at Newport.

MRS. MCPHERSON, wife of the Senator, is a fascinating talker.

IN 1772 Clementina Reid published a newspaper in Virginia.

MARY CHANDLER HALE is fastidious in the choice of note paper.

JENNIE JENKINS, of Colorado, Fla., is 105, and still chews tobacco.

LADY LONDONDERRY is trying to make green fashionable in London.

ANNA FRANKLIN owned and edited the first newspaper printed in Rhode Island.

OUIDA has become extremely religious and will stop writing lurid love stories.

MISS CATHERINE T. SIMONDS has completed fifty years as a Boston school teacher.

MRS. SUSAN B. FELLS, of Williamson County, Ill., is eighty-six, and smokes a pipe.

MISS BAYARD'S autograph denotes her strong, frank and self-reliant character.

IN 1773 Elizabeth Timothy printed and edited a newspaper in Charleston, S. C.

A YOUNG woman in Paris committed suicide by filling her small bedroom with flowers.

EX-QUEEN ISABELLA, of Spain, has an income of $1,000,000 a year, but is always in debt.

MRS. DON DICKINSON'S note paper is marked with a dainty silver monogram at the top.

MRS. DOROTHY PAYTON SPOTSWOOD, of Mexico, Mo., is ninety-three and knits and sews.

MRS. HAZEN has kept every military hat coat, sash and badge the General ever wore.

MRS. CELESTE M. H. WINSLOW began to write stories and poems when nine years of age.

MLLE. LEBLOIS is the first woman in Paris to be awarded a diploma of Docteur-es-Sciences.

AFTER the death of the editor his widow edited the first newspaper published in America.

ELIZABETH MALLET established in London in 1702 the first daily newspaper printed in the world.

MISS VICTORIA S. WEST writes a frank, womanly hand, one that meets a friend more than half way.

Stories, "hitherto unpublished," by the late Louisa M. Alcott are beginning to appear. But did not Miss Alcott's will direct that all her unpublished manuscripts be burned?

FOREIGN FLASHES.

FRENCH women of means effect the study of astronomy.

THE late Col. King-Harman owned an estate of 44,000 acres in Ireland.

J. H. BLACKBURN, the famous English chess-player, is a very quiet and unassuming man.

HERBERT SPENCER has vainly sought for years the degree of LL. D. from the University of Cambridge.

SARAH BERNHARDT is again having trouble with her creditors. Sarah still finds it impossible to make both ends meet.

RIAZ PASHA, the new Prime Minister of Egypt, is a Mohammedan. His predecessor Nubar Pasha, was an American Christian.

CHARLES DICKENS, who left this port for England, recently, says that he will return next year. He greatly admires the Wild West.

OWING to dissensions caused by Major Popoff's affairs the Bulgarian Cabinet has resigned. Popoff seems to be about the most effective explosive in Central Europe.

W. G. GRACE, the great English cricketer, is forty years of age, but is still unexcelled as a batter. The year of Grace 1888, in fact, bids fair to give him his best record.

DR. DANIEL WILSON, of the University of Toronto, has declined a knighthood. He has no intention of giving some irreverent students an opportunity to call him a "Sir cuss."

THE subscription now being raised in Paris for a sword of honor to be presented to Gen. Boulanger may be intended as a reminder to that ambitious man that he had better drop his pen.

THE Countess of Aberdeen is a warm friend of Ireland. She wears shamrocks in her bonnet in London, and one of her handsomest costumes is a gray Irish poplin embroidered with shamrocks.

Mr. SATO, Secretary of the Japanese Legation at Washington, is not a stranger to this country. He was educated at a college in Indiana and is not in the least Oriental in his speech or mode of thought.

THE Archduchess Valerie, youngest daughter of Emperor Francis Joseph of Austria, has repeatedly refused offers of marriage, as she had a great averison to wedlock. She has changed her mind, however—she is only twenty—and is about to marry her cousin, the Archduke Charles Louis

HUMOROUS BRIEFS.

BAD form—Chloroform—(Harper's Bazaar.

A HOT grounder—A wild turnip—[Burlington Free Press.

A PRECIOUS few—Ward McAllister's four Hundred—[Puck.

MOST of the news of the week comes from physicians—[Hartford Journal.

THE Journeyman candy-maker has a pull with his boss—[Philadelphia Call.

FIGURES on the corset production properly come under the head of staytistics.

A MAN cannot kick himself with the proper spirit. He never knows how to resent it.

A POET wants to know "where the fleecy clouds are woven." In the air-looms, of course.

A CORNER in honey—Behind a screen at a party with a pretty girl.—[Burlington Free Press.

THE small boy who has not stolen about a bushel of lilac blossoms is away behind the season.

"FINE day," said the Judge, as the seventy-fifth man went through the mill for "$5 and costs."

PASTE diamonds are so called because people get stuck on them so often.—[San Francisco Examiner.

He dressed himself in white one night;
The girl he tried to scare,
A pistol drew—her aim was true—
He climbed the golden stair,
—[Boston Courier.

If you want to be well informed take a paper. Even a paper of pins will give you some good points.

IF your wife wants an "allowance," give her the whole income. She will save more out of it than you.

THE reason so little excitement is aroused by the presidential campaign is that the ball championship is so close.

IT is a sweet, revengeful thought that when waiters sit down to eat they have to be waited on by some of the other waiters.

BY the way, isn't it rather rough on the high contracting parties to remark that the wedding went off "without a hitch?"

This world is but a fleeting show,
And no wise man regrets it,
For man wants little here below,
And generally he gets it.

THE reason they call it the dependent pension bill is because so many politicians are dependent upon it for their re-election.

IT is announced that "costly ostrich will be in favor." Between these and costly waiter tips this country is going to the canines.

WHEN we read that a Canadian agriculturist has such heavy crops that they sink his farm, wonder arises where the world is going to.

THERE is another woman in Mr. Gould's case. Her name is Justice. She does not, however, seem likely to give Mr. Gould much trouble.

That "Public Office is a Public Trust"
Some folks deny, and at the nation scoff,
For lots of men who after office lust,
Regard it simply as a public trough.

THE King of Dahomey has had an umbrella made for him twenty-one feet in diameter, the handle being twenty-one feet long. He is determined that no one shall take it in mistake for their own.

AN hotel located in Erie, Pa., is being advertised as follows: "There is no giltedged business about this house, and if you want to eat pie with a knife you can do it without fear of being ostracized from society."

"SAY, Jack, I see you wear a military hat, and people call you captain. I did not know you were ever in the army?" "Well, no, I never was, but I am drawing a pension and feel as if I ought to do something for it."

Coming in.

Telegraph Lineman: Hi there! What yer doin' up there?

Professor Zingalla: Don't git excited. I'm on my way home. Been walking slackwire in Rubbins's circus and got stranded in last town.—[Judge.

Taking a Rest.

Hostess: Why aren't you dancing, Mr, Hollister? I thought you enjoyed the reel.

Mr. Hollister: I do—exceedingly—madam; but t-these sleeve b-buttons have tired me all out.—(Tid Bits.

Force of Habit.

Bostwick (who has been pleasantly refused): Is this final, Miss Daisy?

Miss Daisy (who is coy): Y-yes, excepting that I always add a postcript.

And he got her.—[Exchange.

The Major Part.

Brown: "Major Smith says discretion is the better part of valor."

Jones: "So it is, in his case, at least."

Brown: "How so?"

Jones: "Because, if you subtract this discretion from Smith's valor nothing will remain."—Exchange.

FASHION FADS.

Black and white with yellow is a combination very much liked and very stylish.

COLORED point d'esprit is seen in the shirred millinery so fashionable this season.

ONE of the prettiest bonnets is in the form of a single gold lily leaf, closely set with half pearls.

BEADED mitts are very elegant and costly but will remain a luxury for the few on this account.

A silver belt buckle as large as a small saucer is a fashionable ornament and one which young ladies delight in.

MANY new hats have crowns of fancy straw in peculiar braid and faced with fancy straw in lattice work patterns.

A jetted girdle is a pretty adjunct to a black lace costume. Epaulettes and a dog collar finish the stylish trimming.

SILVER buckles fasten the dainty, white silk garters of this season's brides. They are sometimes set with Rhine stones.

ROMAN moire sashes with lengthwise stripes appear this season in rich dark combinations, and also in the true Roman colors.

SPANGLED crepe de chine is seen in some of the elaborate evening dresses for the gay season at Bar Harbor and Newport.

THE best dressed woman on the Pacific coast is a Chinese girl. And now all the California ladies are saying that the Chinese girl "must go."

POMPADOUR striped sashes are new, and are composed of heavy tinted satin strewn with small flowers in natural colors, alternating with moire stripes.

POINT d'esprit in color makes more useful dressy costumes for evening wear in summer than tulle, and may be had in various colors as well as in black and white.

Bronze shoes with light colored gaiters are very stylish for summer wear. Leather color, pearl gray and white duck gaiters will be worn with summer costumes.

OXIDIZED silver is a tint in gray which is very stylish and which is always ladylike in whatever material the costume may be. It is a trifle more purple than elephant color.

Far from being unfashionable costumes of corduroy are still worn for traveling and yachting costumes. Those in white of tailor cut are most stylish if not the most useful.

A LOVELY toilet for a young bride's trousseau is of bright red point d'esprit over a red silk underdress. Watered ribbon sash and bows of the same brilliant color finish a simple but very elegant costume.

VERY beautiful imitations of Irish point laces are made for trimming cotton gown the coming season. They are used over a color to brighten the effect of the open work embroidery of the lace.

MADAME LATRELLI, No. 12 Rue Lafitte, Paris, who is considered one of the most artistic couturieres of the city of fashions, has recently created some ravishing toilettes in entirely new and distinctive styles that are pronounced exquisite. They were ordered and are to be worn by some prominent society ladies of this city at the Queen's Drawing Room receptions in London this month.

ANY AND EVERY.

THE Hon. Mabelle Brassey, the eldest daughter of Lord "Tom" Brassey is to be married.

WHEN in Paris, M. Zola is the most taciturn of men, but at his country home he is a terrible chatterer and talks his visitors almost death.

MICHEL MUNKACZY, the famous Hungarian artist, has been appointed President of the Fine Arts section of the Austro-Hungarian Department at the French Exhibition.

AT the New Bedford (Mass.) Opera House recently, Mrs. Z. G. Wallace, of Indiana, mother of Gen. Lew Wallace, addressed a numerous audience in favor of woman suffrage.

BRAD COURTLAND, of Pendleton, S. C., bewails in a poem that he has lost a "Thought" and can find no clue to it. He should not be worried. If he continues to write poetry he will never need it.

WILLIAM SPENCER entered into his fourth matrimonial venture recently at the age of 78, while his bride, aged 74, is indulging in her sixth. Both are in robust health. They live at Shelbyville, Indiana.

KING KALAKAUA of the Sandwich Islands has issued a proclamation calling for more frequent sessions of the Hawaiian Legislature. Kalakaua still has a trace in his nature of a barbaric love for quarrels.

GOV. AMES of Massachusetts, has joined the Open-Air Athletic Society of the Young Men's Christian Association, and will be prepared to strike out from the shoulder during the coming Presidential canvass.

EXPERIMENTS at Cape Town in signaling with electric light reflected from the clouds were a complete success. Experiments were also made with a vessel at sea with the result of flashing a signal fifty miles away.

ONE of the handsomest and richest and most fashionable young men in Austria, Herr Stephen von Kegel, has just committed suicide. He was particularly joyous before the act, and no reason can be found for it.

MRS. LUCINDA GASLEE, known in Massachusetts as "the Glastenbury centenarian," has just celebrated her 101st birthday. It is hardly necessary to say that she has vigor, good hearing and keen vision that go with every well regulated centenarian.

COL. CODY, known to fame as "Buffalo Bill," is well up in biblical knowledge. To Mrs. Jester, his sister of Leavenworth, Kan., he telegraphed as follows on his recent arrival in this city: "Read Second Epistle of St. John, twelfth verse. Your brother." Turning to the verse indicated Mrs. Jester read the following words: "Having many things to write unto you, I would not write with paper and ink; but I trust to come unto you and speak face to face, and our joy may be full."

SEASONABLE STATEMENTS.

THAT the tennis saturated young girl is now very much abroad in the land.

THAT heroes come cheap when made of men who demoralize the bookmakers.

THAT a good many men who serve on coroner's juries ought to have been comedians.

THAT some people actually grow fat in voluntarily attending to other peoples affairs.

THAT it is the misfortune of some society youths that they lack brains to be even idiots.

THAT among the busiest men in town are the ones who are to go to Chicago politically.

THAT people who go to Europe for the first time are sometimes ill before the steamer sails.

THAT if the men in the club windows took off their hats, it is feared they would take cold.

THAT the girl of the period may have plenty of breadth and beam, but lacks sufficient depth.

THAT the average Frenchman pleads fatigue when the conversation drifts toward Boulanger.

THAT more business, or fewer brokers, may be really necessary in Wall street one of these days.

THAT the man who says that it is going to be a hot summer has already become a nuisance.

THAT if latch-keys had never been invented a great deal of domestic misery would have been saved.

THAT summer hotels that "do not take children" may be glad to get adults before summer is over.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.55, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00. a. m., 12 00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.33, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23 p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.26, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark 7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.00 a. m., 1.05, 2.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 6.30, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a.m. 2.02, 3.55, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.20, 8.08, 8.17, 9.45, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.12, 10.14, a. m., 1.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.25, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 8.50, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.92, 5.14, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.25, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

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6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

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Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05., p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m, 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 9.05, 10.30, a. m., 1.30, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

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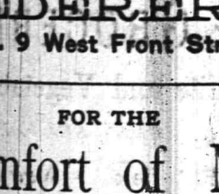

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Lots of Crackers—A Few Tragedies—The Usual Number of Small Fires—The Small Boy Defies City Ordinances Everywhere—Plenty of Noise, but no Rain.

Was the day generally observed? Probably no Fourth of July since the last British war ship was driven out of New York harbor has been celebrated with more ardent patriotism. The Stars and Stripes were visible everywhere. The twenty-five new stars added since 1776 clustered about the thirteen original heroes, and seemed proud to be in such company. The day was perfection. Everybody was happy. Everybody was patriotic. No wonder the pent up enthusiasm had to be exploded in some way. Formal celebrations of the day began with the appearance of the first streak of light in the east.

NEW YORK, July 5.—What with Tammany's big celebration, the letter carriers parade and the continual nerve-rasping, ear-splitting racket of the firecrackers, the 4th of July, 1888, was a day that all intelligent citizens above the age of ten are glad is over. There was no public demonstration of any kind, but it seems to be definitely settled that all apprehension with regard to enthusiasm about our National Independence Day is dispelled.

The city was a garden of flags, and the harbor gay with the ensigns of all nations. The Grand Army men had an unusually big time raising a flag for the nineteenth consecutive year over the old fort in upper Central Park.

At the Battery also was another inspiring scene at early dawn when the flag was raised by John B. Forbes, a grandson of Patriot Van Arsdale, who pulled down the last British flag at this spot in 1783.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 5.—The Fourth of July was celebrated here in great style. Exercises were held in Independence Square before a great crowd. General F. B. Hawley delivered the oration, and colors were presented to the post-office corps. Bands played in all the squares of the city. Fairmount Park was thronged with hundreds of thousands of picnickers. A balloon ascent was successfully made in front of Memorial Hall.

CINCINNATI, O., July 5.—The day opened with a tragedy and closed in a tumult of noise.

Early this morning Charles Stevenson, son of the late labor candidate for mayor, while drawing cartridges from a revolver, was fatally wounded by the accidental discharge of one. The accident occurred at the home of the young man in Cumminsville.

Yale's Challenge to the English.

LONDON, July 5.—Oxford and Cambridge oarsmen say it is unlikely that a challenge from Yale will be accepted this year. The summer vacation has begun, and after the Henley regatta, which takes place this week, the graduates will be scattered, and it will be impossible to get together and train a crew before next spring. The captain of the Cambridge crew, however, says they might possibly arrange to row Yale if an early date is fixed for the race. He thinks that, even if it should be found impossible to get a crew composed entirely of Cambridge men, a good mixed Oxford and Cambridge crew might be found.

Cousin Ben Folsom Sails.

NEW YORK, July 5.—United States Consul Ben Folsom, the cousin of Mrs. Cleveland, moved about the deck of the Brittanic yesterday afternoon watching Mr. Depew's leavetaking with interest. Mr. Folsom came downto the steamer straight from the Union Club, where J. L. Spofford gave a farewell dinner in his honor to a little company of friends. Mr. Folsom was dressed in a check suit, and had under his arm a pasteboard box that came to the steamer by express. It contained some very handsome flowers that Mrs. Cleveland sent to him from Washington.

A Sorry "Fourth" for Them.

NEW YORK, July 5.—It required ten pages of foolscap paper to embody the charges against the four men arrested for pilfering from Thurber, Whyland & Co. The defendants—John Brady, Heney Wellinghoff, Henry Burchell and James McCannack—were arraigned at the Tombs yesterday in the presence of a crowd of their friends who had read of their arrest. There were weeping wives, sisters and sweethearts among them. Justice Smith fixed the bail at $3,000 each. Only Brady could secure it. The others were locked up.

Father and Son Drowned.

PATERSON, July 5.—William Shiner, a butcher, and his wife and son and a lady friend were sailing on the river near the gas works yesterday evening, when the boat was capsized. All hands got hold of the bottom of the boat, and were paddling toward shore all right when the boy, aged about 10, lost his hold. His father attempted to save him, and both were drowned. The lad's body has not yet been recovered. Both the women were saved.

A Victory for the French Ministry.

PARIS, July 5.—The motion expressing confidence in the Government, which was adopted by the Chamber of Deputies on Tuesday, was carried by a vote of 270 to 157. The newspapers here agree that the vote has fortified the Cabinet's position until the chambers reassemble in October. Several of the papers regard the vote as a fatal blow to the Opportunists. In future, they say, the struggle will be confined to the Radicals and Conservatives.

His Prize was Death.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 5.—Fred C. Heckler, 22 years of age, a son of Christian Heckler, of Meriden, dropped dead of heart disease yesterday afternoon. He had played second base in a baseball game, and at the conclusion of the game entered a foot race. He won the foot race, but just as he was finishing staggered, threw up his hands, and fell across the tape. The body was taken to Meriden this evening.

Another Mysterious Murder.

MONTREAL, July 4.—The dead body of Mary Powell, a handsome young woman, 20 years of age, was found in a pond near Danville. Marks on the body indicated that she had been outraged and then murdered. The girl is the daughter of Fred Powell, who was formerly a Methodist minister. There is as yet no clue to the guilty parties.

TRIED TO SWIM THE RAPIDS.

Foolhardy Attempt to Pass the Whirlpool in a Boat.

BUFFALO, July 5.—Not since the days of Graham, Potter and the Boston policeman until yesterday, has any one attempted to navigate the rapids of Niagara in a boat or barrel. A young man from Syracuse, named Robert W. Flack, made the attempt yesterday and in it he lost his life.

There was an unusually large crowd at the Falls yesterday, having been attracted by the races and other sports which were in progress. During the afternoon it was announced that a man would attempt to swim the rapids, and at once all of the crowd surged to the banks of the river and other advantageous points from which a view of the foolhardy attempt could be obtained. As far as the eyes could see on both sides of the river was packed a tremendous crowd, anxious and impatient. The old suspension bridge, which furnished a splendid opportunity for viewing the attempt, was black with people.

Shortly before 3 o'clock Flack entered the river, some distance above the rapids, in a life boat of his own construction. The trip to the rapids was made without adventure. Entering the whirlpool, however, the craft was tossed about at the mercy of the mad waters. Time and again it was overturned but was quickly righted. The crowd on the shore watched the trip with amazement and with cheers for the navigator. Every one believed he would successfully make the trip. When the craft had passed through the worst part of the whirlpool it was discovered that Flack was not in it. He had been thrown into the water while the boat was making its perilous voyage through the rapids. The boat was secured near Lewiston and brought ashore.

LETTER-CARRIERS PARADE.

The Eight-Hour Law Celebrated by the Postmen.

NEW YORK, July 5.—The letter-carriers yesterday celebrated the passage of the bill making eight hours a day's work for them, in a fashion that will long be remembered by the men in gray. There were 700 of the New Yorkmen, and visitors from Philadelphia, Boston, Baltimore, Washington and other places, amounting in all to over 2,000.

All along the line of march to the reviewing stand at Union Square there were enthusiastic crowds, who cheered the boys continuously. Few militia regiments present a more soldierly appearance than they did as they marched past the stand fifteen files front, each front carrying a red, white or blue guidon.

After being reviewed by postmasters of delegations from neighboring cities, they partook of luncheon at Nilsson Hall. Speech-making at the Academy of Music in the evening closed the celebration.

Bismark Still Remains.

BERLIN, July 5.—There is considerable talk just now, of an alleged conspiracy to oust Prince Bismark during the brief reign of Emperor Frederick, some persons professing to have ascertained upon unquestionable authority that the Chancellor's dismissal was actually signed by the Kaiser, but for some reason withheld and finally destroyed. It is also asserted that several highly important political papers belonging to Emperor Frederick's series of State documents are missing. These, it is asserted, would shed much light upon the true relations existing between the Emperor and the Chancellor, but no theory is advanced to account for their disappearance.

A Trap-Door for His Victims.

WINONA, Minn., July 5.—In tearing down an old building on Main street yesterday a party of workmen discovered an ingeniously contrived trap-door opening into a vault beneath, in which were found bones and remnants of old shoes and clothing. The house was used as a gambling den by George Raymond, who built it in 1863, but left it five years later, as unpleasant rumors began to circulate about him. The existence of the trap-door and vault was unknown to any of the old settlers, and it is believed they may account for the sudden and mysterious disappearance of more than one man who frequented the place during Raymond's time.

A Bullet Made of Tin Foil.

WARREN, Minn., July 5.—Joseph Tomowski a wealthy farmer at Wanger, was found murdered in the woods last Sunday. A nephew who had been with him stoutly denied all knowledge of the crime. Tuesday Mr. Tomowski was buried. At the grave the nephew broke down and confessed that he had murdered his uncle. He said he killed him in the hope that he would get some of the old man's property. He made a bullet out of tin-foil from tobacco packages, and while they were in the woods shot the old man in the back.

A Sad Fourth to Gen. Walker.

WASHINGTON, D.C., July 5.—Gen. Duncan S. Walker of this city, Secretary of the Democratic National Committee and son of ex-Secretary of the Treasury Walker, received a telegram yesterday from Sea Bright, N. J. announcing that two of his children, a boy and girl, aged 15 and 16 years respectively, had been drowned while bathing in the surf there yesterday morning. He started at once for the scene. His family were there spending the season.

Clouds Prevented Their Plans.

PORTLAND, Ore., July 5.—Much disappointment was felt at the failure of the plan for a grand illumination of Mount Hood and other peaks in this vicinity on the national holidays.

The weather was cloudy, and though there was no doubt that the signalling parties reached the summits, nothing could be seen as a result of the elaborate preparations for beacon fires.

Negro Politician Shot.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 5.—In Van Ness Garden, a negro pleasure resort of this city, about midnight last night, Bernaard West shot and probably fatally wounded Walter Day. Both men are negroes of prominence in politics here, West's brother being an alternate to the Chicago Convention. The quarrel was caused by jealously and bad whiskey. The murderer has not been arrested.

Killed with a Coupling Pin.

JAMESTOWN, July 5.—Manley Bogardus, of Watts Flats, came to this city to celebrate. A man named Foster coaxed him into a shed and hammered him to death with a coupling pin. Foster is under arrest.

THREW HERSELF FROM A BALCONY.

Mrs. David Stone of New York Receives Fatal Injuries at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, July 5.—At the Kensington Hotel on Monday evening, while the band was playing and most of the guests were sitting on the piazza, they were suddenly startled by a piercing scream and the falling of a woman from the front of one of the elevated balconies, a distance of about twenty-five feet. She struck upon the main stairway and rolled to the flagstone approach to it. There was immediately a great commotion, and all the men rushed to the rescue of the injured lady. She was found to be Mrs. David Stone of New York city, who had been a guest at the Kensington for several days in charge of a nurse. While the nurse was asleep, Mrs. Stone made her way through a window out on the balcony, and, rushing to the front, threw herself over.

No bones were broken by the fall, but she died yesterday morning from the effect of internal injuries. Mrs. Stone was about 30 years of age, of very graceful figure, and a cultured lady. It is supposed that she was temporarily insane.

Gen. Sherman Better.

DELAWARE BREAKWATER, Del., July 5.—Gen. Sherman's physicians issued the following bulletin at 9 A. M. yesterday:

The symptoms of pulmonary congestions have rapidly subsided. Gen. Sheridan's condition is decidedly better than after any previous attack. There is no threatening of heart failure. His surroundings are in the highest degree favorable, and the prospects for a successful completion of the voyage are very promising.

WILLIAM PEPPER,
ROBERT M. O'REILLY,
HENRY C. YARROW.

The following bulletin was issued yesterday:

8 P. M.—Gen. Sheridan has passed a very comfortable day, resting a great deal, coughing but little, showing some appetite, and exhibiting no unfavorable symptoms.

ROBERT O'REILLY, HENRY YARROW.

Capt. Andrews Having a Hard Time.

BOSTON, July 5.—The latest news from Capt. Andrews and his little craft, the Dark Secret, which started from here on June 17 for Europe, does not indicate that he has been making favorable progress. He was spoken on July 2 at 11 A. M. by the schooner Springford, John P. Harvender, master, of Provincetown, Mass., in latitude 42 north, longitude 60 west. He reported that on July 18 he encountered a fresh breeze from the northeast, and that he lost his rug which he used for a covering when he lay down, and was obliged to use his sail in its place. His lantern was broken and he was in darkness all night. He said he hadn't had a square meal for three days and that he was sore and stiff from so much sitting. He had made three fruitless attempts to pass George's Shoal, and was anxious to get into the Gulf Stream. Capt. Harvender supplied him with a lantern, some fresh pies and other things for his comfort. He said that he had a very poor appetite.

Coming Back from Gettysburg.

NEW YORK, July 5.—The Ninth Regiment and the Irish and Excelsior Brigades returned from the reunion at Gettysburg yesterday. They came by the Pennsylvania Central train, which reached Jersey City at 11 A. M. They marched up Broadway to their quarters. The Second Zouaves, seventy-third New York Volunteers, also arrived from Gettysburg. Farnham Post, No. 458, G. A. R., and the Volunteer Firemen's Association, met the veterans and accompanied them to Florence Hall. Company B of the Seventh Regiment went to Keyport, N. J., to take part in a parade.

Tabernacle Tourists.

BROOKLYN, July 5.—A large number of the members of Dr. Talmage's congregation are to sail for Europe on the 14th inst., on the Servia, for a seven weeks' tour. They will visit England, Scotland, Ireland, Germany and France, and possibly Italy and Spain. The trip is to cost each person $300, which sum includes all necessary expenses for railway and steamboat traveling, for hotel accommodations and for guides. Dr. Talmage himself is engaged in lecturing in the West and will not be able to go. All the members of his family, however, will probably join the excursion.

Drowned in a Bath-Tub.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Mrs. Mary A. Logan, of 98 Taylor street, Brooklyn, was stricken with heart disease yesterday while taking a warm salt water bath at the Ross Pavillion, Ocean Grove, and was drowned before assistance could be summoned. Mrs. Logan had gone to Ocean Grove to secure accommodations for herself and two daughters for the season, and thought to improve her time by bathing before returning to Brooklyn last night, as was her intentions. She received prompt medical attention, but it was of no avail, as life was extinct when the physicians arrived.

Betting on Crackers.

NEW YORK, July 5.—Two gamins on Park row invented a new gambling game with some large firecrackers yesterday. Each cracker was cut in two and the cord withdrawn. The separate pieces were dubbed cat and dog and put close together. Then both were lighted so as to go off simultaneously. The youngsters bet on which of the "sizzers" would prove more aggressive. The gamins took bets from others standing around, and in three successive trials the "cat" won and the bank was ahead.

This Prussian Must Go Back.

JACKSON, Miss., July 5.—After a thorough hearing of the case of Rischke, the Prussian seeking to evade the execution of an extradition writ upon which he is wanted in Prussia on a charge of murder, Judge Lamar dismissed his petition, sustaining the action of Judge Sabine, of Texas, and ordered the prisoner into the hands of the marshal who will take him to New York and deliver him to the agent of the German Empire.

Maxwell to Hang.

ST. LOUIS, July 5.—Gov. Moorehouse refuses to talk to newspaper men about the action he will take in the case of Hugh N. Brooks, alias Maxwell, the condemned murderer of C. Arthur Preller. To others, however, he said he would not interfere with the sentence of the law. Maxwell's mother and his sister visited him in the jail yesterday. They were much more cheerful in spirit than on their first visit.

Emperor William to Leave on the 11th.

BERLIN, July 5.—It is now definitely settled that the Emperor will leave for St. Petersburg on the eleventh.

OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Two stage loads of young people from this city spent yesterday at Boynton Beach.

—A little girl whose name we are unable to ascertain, was run over by a wagon in North Plainfield, yesterday, and had her face terribly lacerated.

—After the Warden & Fowler fire, yesterday, Chief Carey ordered all fireworks venders to remove their explosives from the sidewalk into their stores.

—There was a grand pyrotechnic display in a Park avenue saloon last evening, and later on several balloons were sent up from in front of the place.

—A sky rocket pierced through a window in Messrs. Jackson and Codington's law office, last evening, and set fire to the curtain. But little damage was done and the fire was promptly extinguished.

—Mr. Fred G. Hui, late of New York, has opened a tonsorial parlor in connection with Caspar's Hotel on East Front street. Mr. Hui is a skilled workman in his line of business, and solicits a share of public patronage. His card will appear to-morrow.

More News.

The Somerset street orguinette not content with mixing the dead, has begun mixing the living. Monday's issue stated "Wm. J. Tobin and Miss Mary Connoly, were united in marriage last evening."

The truth is, Mr. W. J. Tobin and Miss Nora Flynn were married by Father Smyth, Sunday evening last. So their indignation at the false statement above may be imagined.

The same told of the death of the wife of ex-Councilman Newhall. This is also false.

City Court Proceedings.

John Burke of Dunellen, threatened to annihilate the entire police force yesterday and officers Lynch and Giesse locked him up. This morning he pleaded guilty to the charge of disorderly conduct, and was fined ten dollars.

Other sentences were imposed as follows: Edward Schwab, drunk and disorderly, sentence suspended, with the understanding that he leaves town; John Langford, disorderly conduct and resisting an officer, fined $15; John Powers, drunk and disorderly, sentence suspended.

A Young Lady Severely Burned.

Miss Mamie Allen of East Front street, had a narrow escape from probably fatal injury, last evening, by the premature discharge of a can of powder. The young lady was entertaining some visitors on the piazza at the time, and near her stood a box and a bottle of powder. Sparks from a fire-cracker ignited with the powder, and an explosion followed. Miss Allen's dress caught fire and the entire front of it was burned off, before the fire could be extinguished. The young lady received severe burns on the hands and arms, which although not considered dangerous, are very painful.

The wood-work on the piazza also caught fire, and a portion of the flooring had to be torn away before the fire was extinguished.

This Morning's Fire.

About ten o'clock this morning fire was discovered on the roof of Mrs. Salome Scheidecker's residence on Church street. The fire burned rapidly, and had gained considerable headway when the firemen arrived. The building is of frame, two-story and attic with gable roof. The second story was occupied by Mr. J. B. Heath and wife. Most of the furniture was removed to a place of safety. The entire upper story was burned off. The firemen labored under difficulty, but succeeded in getting the fire under control after an hour's hard work.

Mrs. Scheidecker's loss is not known. The building is insured for $3,000 with $500 additional on the furniture. Engineer Fred Wilcox of drill engine No. 7, was the first to give the alarm.

Mrs. T. B. Brooks Injured.

A peculiar accident happened at the corner of Central avenue and Fifth street, Tuesday evening, which resulted in serious injury to Mrs. T. B. Brooks of West Seventh street. That lady was driving along Central avenue at the time when the top of her carriage came in contact with the electric light wires. The body of the vehicle was lifted from the ground and upset, causing the horse to run away. Mrs. Brooks was thrown out and sustained serious injury about the head and body. She was conveyed to her home, where a physician treated her.

It appears that a workman had cut a large limb from a tree in the Seventh Day Baptist church yard, and in falling, it lowered the electric light wires. The company is in no way responsible for the accident.

THE GLORIOUS FOURTH.

How the Day Was Observed in This City.

"And the Star Spangled Banner in triumph shall wave,
O'er the land of the free and the home of the brave."

The Glorious Fourth was ushered in at midnight of Tuesday by the discharge of cannons, the explosion of bombs and the bursting of firecrackers, and was continued throughout yesterday and until a late hour last evening. A Newark weather prophet predicted a thunder shower for yesterday, but it failed to materialize and the day was a perfect one for the observance of the Nation's greatest holiday. All day long the city was besieged by a throng of sightseers from the surrounding country, but notwithstanding this fact, the visitors were as a rule orderly and comparatively few arrests were made. The usual accidents and casualties occurred, which are chronicled elsewhere.

Many of the stores remained closed throughout the day, while others closed at noon. Amusement was furnished for all in the shape of ball games, picnic, etc.

The only public demonstration was held in Reform Hall in the afternoon, and consisted of vocal and instrumental music, reading of the Declaration of Independence by City Clerk Oliver B. Leonard, and an oration by Rev. J. B. Cleaver, followed in the evening by a grand pyrotechnical display. The Cornet Band was present and discoursed popular airs. Vice President, Judge Nathan Harper, presided, and beside him on the platform were His Honor, Mayor Male, and Mrs. Geo. F. Opdyke, President of the local W. C. T. U.

There was a noticeable absence of the clergymen, although all were invited to participate in the public exercises, Rev. Mr. Cleaver being the only one to respond to the invitation. Rev. Mr. Cleaver delivered a clear and eloquent oration on the history of this country.

At the close of the exercises, the audience was invited to the parlors below, where an abundance of refreshments was served by Mrs. Opdyke, Mrs. P. M. French, Mrs. Theo. Randolph, Mrs. King and other ladies of the W. C. T. U.

The evening's programme included music, refreshments and a grand display of fireworks, all of which was thoroughly enjoyed by the spectators.

Base Ball on the Fourth.

The patriotism of Plainfield particularly celebrated the 112th birthday by attending at the grounds of the Y. M. C. A. the entertainments provided by the club for their amusement. The grand stand was crowded and great numbers found standing, sitting or lying room about the field. A morning and evening game was arranged, and each succeeded in adding to the reputation and treasury of the home club. The round O lately obtained at Roseville, if not obliterated, was nearly buried under the large scores obtained in each of the games of yesterday. The heavy pressure upon our columns prevents our report from being as full as we should otherwise desire.

CRESCENTS VS. ALPHA.

The game commenced at about 10:15 o'clock. The visitors in stature and age rightly represented their name, and the contrast between them and the Crescents was like that of the Alpha and Omega of the alphabet. The youngsters were not the equals of their mature adversaries either in judgment or skill and suffered a severe defeat. Numerous changes of position were made during the game, but they only hastened the inevitable. Errors were numerous and expensive, but fine plays here and there flashed out in anticipation of the evening's rockets. Kemball and Keeler were their most effective batters and did excellent work, but as a whole the play was loose and inefficient, and their batteries of the flying rather than the heavy artillery.

The Crescents generally played a strong game. Imbued with the spirit of the day they were "free and independent." They made a fortunate discovery, for after long seeking they found the ball, and base hits were the rule and not the exception. Errors were rare and they gave their battery constant and effective support. Where all did well it would be invidious to select individuals. The synopsis will show the contributions of each to their well deserved victory.

CRESCENTS.

	R	O	1B	PO	A	E
G. Cadmus, 1b	4	2	3	11	0	0
Lee, 3b	3	4	2	0	2	0
Murray, lf	2	4	1	0	0	1
McMurray, c	3	3	2	11	1	5
Dilts, 2b	4	3	3	2	2	0
Cornwell, ss	3	3	1	0	5	2
Demarest, cf	2	3	3	2	1	0
W. Cadmus, p	3	3	0	1	12	0
Doane, rf	3	2	2	0	0	0
	27	27	17	27	23	8

ALPHA.

	R	O	1B	PO	A	E
Hegeman, 3b	0	5	0	2	0	2
Ferris, p	2	2	0	0	10	3
Kimball, lf	3	2	3	3	1	1
Keeler, 1b	1	4	2	10	0	2
O'Connell, ss	1	3	0	0	5	2
Smith, 2b	2	1	1	2	1	3
Furman, cf	0	4	0	1	0	1
Spence, rf	0	2	1	0	0	1
Joice, c	0	4	0	9	1	3
	9	27	7	27	18	18

CRESCENTS.....2 0 1 3 4 7 0 4 6—27
ALPHA.....0 1 2 1 0 0 0 1 4— 9

Earned runs, Crescents 8, Alpha 2. Hit with ball, McMurray, Murray. Base on balls, Murray 2, Ferris 2, O'Connell, Smith. Flies caught, C. 5, A. 8. Struck out, Cadmus 10, Ferris 5. Left on bases, C. 6, A. 5. First base on errors, C. 10, A. 4. Passed balls, Joice 3, McMurray 1. Three base hit, Murray. Two base hit, McMurray 2, Dilts 2, Keeler.

Umpire, H. Stover.

Time of game, 2 hours and 20 minutes.

CRESCENTS Y. M. C. A. VS. PUTNAM, BROOKLYN, N. Y.

The Putnam Club bears a high reputation in and about Prospect Park, Brooklyn. They have had many contests with the best amateur clubs and have met with the most gratifying sucess. The personal appearance of the men did not belie their renown. Lithe and active as kittens, their practice play was a fine exhibition of skill and the great crowd of on-lookers expected to see the field thoroughly wiped with the Crescents. With an ordinary pitcher, they would have rolled up a rapid and large score and returned home flushed with victory. The Crescents were proud of their morning play though regretting the child-like forms of the Alphas had dimmed the lustre of their success. They were not confident of winning but determined to deserve a decent burial.

The game was played, and the result surprising. The visitors could do nothing with Stewart. His pitching was erratic—decidedly so—now up, now down, then in, then out, till the Putnams thoroughly disgusted, gave up looking for the ball, become completely broken up and went to pieces. Beecham, Keese and Linton were the best batsmen of their club, and the fine base play of Porter, and the brilliant errorless fielding of Bracken elicited much applause. The catching of Rulyea was all that could be desired, and the pitching of Heithamp would have been of more avail had he been properly supported. Of the Crescents, for fine fielding Lee takes the "palma" making five fine catches. Cornwell admirably filled his position, and with wonderful grace and skill dropped five little base hits without of the reach of all. The general play of the Crescents was excellent, except in the second innings, when a wild throw gave the Putnams three unearned runs, but success was largely due to Stewart whose pitching was so puzzling and troublesome, though he sent to first base nine men on balls:

CRESCENTS.

	R	O	BH	PO	A	E
G. Cadmus, rf and 1b	4	2	1	5	0	0
Lee, 2b	2	4	2	7	2	3
Murray, lf	3	4	1	1	0	0
McMurray, 1b and c	3	4	2	3	0	0
Condon, c and rf	4	2	4	9	2	1
Cornwell, ss	3	3	5	0	4	1
Demarest, cf and p	2	5	0	0	2	1
Stewart, p and cf	3	2	1	0	9	0
Doane, 3b	4	1	1	2	1	1
	28	27	19	27	20	7

PUTNAMS.

Beecham, 3b	3	3	1	3	1	1
Keese, ss	2	2	1	0	6	4
Porter, 1b	0	4	1	9	1	1
Heithamp, p	1	3	1	3	7	2
Emmerson, rf	1	3	0	0	0	1
Rulyea, c	0	3	1	4	2	1
Bracken, lf	1	4	0	3	0	0
Linton, cf	2	1	0	0	0	1
Weed, 2b	0	4	0	5	0	1
	10	27	5	27	17	12

CRESCENTS 2 3 7 9 4 1 2 0 0—28
PUTNAMS 1 3 2 0 0 4 0 0 0—10

Earned runs, Crescents 10; Putnams 4. First base on errors, C 8; P 7. Left on bases, C 6, P 7. Two base hits, G. Cadmus, McMurray, F. Condon, Beecham. Flies caught, C 6; P 7. Struck out by Stewart, 7; by Heithamp, 4. Base on balls, Keese, Porter, Heithamp, Emmerson, 3; Bracken, 2; Linton, Condon, Demarest, Stewart, 3; Doane, 2. Wild pitch, Stewart, 2; Heithamp, 1. Passed balls, Condon, 2; Rulyea, 2. Time of game two hours and twenty-five minutes. Umpire Mr. Steinmetz of Brooklyn.

CENTRALS VS. BOUND BROOK.

The Central nine from this city went to Bound Brook yesterday afternoon and succeeded in defeating the local nine of that place at a match game of ball, by a score of 14 to 9. During the course of the game, Mr. Wm. Allen of the Centrals made a splendid two-base hit, thus allowing two men to cross the homeplate. Mr. J. Edward Crater filled the position as umpire to the evident satisfaction of all. The game was called at 3:30 o'clock. The Centrals met their antagonists with a strong nine composed of Messrs. Voehl, L. Allen, Dawe, W. Allen, Johnson, Mc Ginley, Buckley, Townley, Ball. Following is the score by innings:

Centrals.....4 2 0 0 1 1 0 1 5—14
Bound Brooks...1 2 0 0 4 1 0 1 0— 9

OTHER GAMES.

A nine from the Junior Order of United American Mechanics of this city went over to Rahway yesterday, and were defeated in a game of ball by a score of 19 to 15.

On the Somerset street grounds, yesterday morning, Messrs. Wheeler, Krymer, Lucus, Dunn, Crater, Thatcher, Hoffman, Cutter and Gelhaar, constituting a nine from the Young People's Association of Trinity Reformed church, competed in a match game of ball with the "Hayseeds," a newly organized club in North Plainfield. The latter club won the game by the following score:

Y. P. A.....0 2 0 0 5 0 0 2 1—10
Hayseeds.....2 1 3 1 3 3 2 0 *—15

At the conclusion of the above game, the first named nine played a second match of five innings with a picked nine. At the end of the game the score stood 13 to 12 in favor of the picked nine.

Fell From a Railroad Bridge.

Joseph H. Crelin, a butcher from Washingtonville, made an attempt to descend from the Park Avenue railroad bridge to the street below, yesterday afternoon, when he became dazed and fell to the pavement with a thud, striking on his head. Persons who witnessed the accident say that he did not even move a muscle after landing. The injured man was picked up in an unconscious condition. Dr. Fritts was immediately summoned and soon restored him to consciousness. A hasty examination disclosed a severe fracture of left arm, and an ugly gash over the right eye. The injured man was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital, and today his condition is reported as improved.

—Among those who agreed to close on July 4, was one *feller* who failed to keep the agreement.

POISON IN OUR DRINK.

Not Alcohol—which one may avoid—but BRASS AND LEAD which one takes unsuspectingly. "How—When—Where?" Well, say, in a glass of Soda. Pity the most popular and wholesome of all artificial drinks—which Soda honestly is—should ever deserve a touch of suspicion, but

THE FROZEN TRUTH

is that in some Soda Fountains economy and mechanical facility are studied to the neglect of the weightier matter of purity. Some men are too "smart;" some Soda Fountains are too "ingenious."

We have recently had made a Fountain which secures Absolute Purity *for the beverages. Rather pretty, too, we think. We selected the "Matthews' make" because it is the only fount in which the syrups have positively no metallic contact, being discharged direct from glass jars into the tumblers—no tubes; while the waters are contained in and flow through solid block tin,*

PURE AS CRYSTAL, COLD AS CHARITY.

We make our own syrups—from REAL FRUIT JUICES, or from chocolate or coffee, etc., as the case may be; no nonsense of essences or make believe.

New drinks? Yes, some of our own contriving. "Winks?" Not a wink; not licensed for winks, and we have an opinion of druggists who take a wink.

Come and try the new Fountain; if you like your drink we'll thank you or saying so, and you'll pay us five cents and come again—it will do you good; only don't come Sundays; no use—Fountain WON'T WORK.

REYNOLDS' PHARMACY,
(*Established* 21 *years,*)
Cor. Park and North Avenues, near R. R. Station. 6-9

LADIES HAVE FOUND OUT

THAT "FAST BLACK" hose that will not "crock" or "fade," and at the same time will *WEAR WELL*, can be purchased at EDSALL'S at a moderate sum.

NOTICE THE PRICES:

Ladies' real nice quality, at 39c. Ladies' Extra Fine quality, 50c.
Children's 5in. to 8½in., 37c. to 62c. Children's 5in. to 9in., 32c. to 55c.
Gents' half hose, same dye as Ladies, at 50.

THEY have been thoroughly tested, both as to color and wear, and every pair is guaranteed. The Dye in our Hosiery does not injure the fabric.

OUR SPECIAL offer on Carpets for Month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be LAID FREE OF CHARGE.

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. EDSALL'S.
5-18-tf

THE PLACE where you will find Choice Goods, the Latest Fashions, Polite treatment, and Prices the Lowest, in all kinds of Dry and Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Ribbons, Laces, Fabric, Kid Gloves, etc.

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—7.30, 8.50, 11.45 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m

SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending JUNE 29, 1888.

A B
Angle, D A (2)
Brady, Miss Nora
Burton, Miss M
Barry, Mrs G A
Bryan, Mrs W H
Congdin, Miss Nora
Clegg, Mrs Henry
Cowan, Michael
Carthers, Mrs M
Dodge, Miss
Drake, Mrs A S
Dey, C
Demehy, Wm J
Gadin, Pierse
Gaw, E A
Halderman, Lizzie
Horan, Mrs James
Hickey, Miss Bridget
W. T. K.
Moore, Manda (2)
Moody, Miss
Probst, Miss Kate
Parker, J A
Pearson, Mrs W. B.
Randolph Mrs Mary E
Scribner, Wm H.
Smith, Mrs Annie
Sweeney, Mrs Ellen
" Miss Mamie
" " May
Underhill, Mrs W F
Welsh, Wm H
Wilson, Wm
Walker, Thos S
Walter, L H
Walke, Mrs F
Wright, Mrs Cornelius
White, Miss Amy E
Walter, Mrs Annie

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

SHANNON—In this city, July 3, 1888, of lung disease, Michael Shannon, aged 41 years, 10 months.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

A YOUNG woman wishes a situation at general housework. Please call at 120 West Second street, near Plainfield avenue.

FOR SALE—A bran new Camping Tent; has never been used; size, about 18x10. Can be seen at No. 94 Manning avenue, North Plainfield. 7-3-2

LOST—Tuesday, from carriage, black saeque and child's afghan, red and white. Reward given for their return to Dr. Carman, 49 Somerset street.

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

FOR SALE—A valuable (black) road mare, 5 years old, 15¾ hands high. Sound and kind. Can be driven by any one. Sold reasonable. Asa Niece, 712 Mercer street, Phillipsburgh, N. J. 6-28-w

FOR SALE—Cheap, Village Cart, nearly new. Apply at Day's Stables, North ave. 6-29-w

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street. N. Y. city. my20tf

JOSEPH SATTELS,
PIANO MAKER.
MASON & HAMLIN Pianos. Patent Stringer, Repeating Action. BEST MADE.
Mason & Hamlin Organs. Lowest Prices. Easiest Terms. NEW UPRIGHTS to rent. CONCERT TUNING A SPECIALTY.
23 EAST FRONT STREET,
[Allen's Stationery Store.] 7-3-y

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Closing out our Summer stock of MILLINERY Goods at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Come and see at what Low Prices we can sell trimmed and untrimmed Hats. A good Shade Hat at 25c. Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Suits and Wrappers. Children's Dresses, Lace Caps. An assortment of Ladies' and Children's Aprons as low as 25c. Boys' Shirt Waists—all at very low prices.
MRS. T. J. GILLIES,
No. 7 Madison Ave. 6-14-m

Boarding and Furnished Rooms,

SYCAMORE STREET, opposite Bicycle Club House, and in front of Central Railroad station.
Mrs. Mary Yaeger. 6-16-y

REMOVAL!

SEBRING BROS.,
Clothiers & Tailors,
North Avenue
[FORCE'S HOTEL BLOCK.]
4-4-y

Choice Fruits, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Confectionery, &c.
BANANNAS, Wholesale and Retail.
31 WEST FRONT STREET,
16 NORTH AVENUE, (Paoli's Stand.)

I would respectfully inform the citizens of Plainfield that I have stocked both the above stores with *FIRST-CLASS GOODS* and solicit a share of patronage.
LUSARDI GUATELLI. 6-18-tf

TUNIS J. CAREY,
51 West Front Street,
All kinds of Second Hand
FURNITURE,
Including Carpets, Bedding & Stoves,
Bought and Sold.
I manufacture first-class Mattresses, and sell them at *WHOLESALE PRICES*, as you will be convinced by calling.
Furniture Repaired with Neatness and Promptness.
2-29tf

STEPHEN O. STAATS,
Real Estate Broker
AND
FIRE INSURANCE.
No. 39 North Ave., opp. R. R. Station.
Residence—No. 16 WEST 2D STREET.
P. O. Box 1,277. PLAINFIELD, N. J.
New York Office with J. BLEECKER & SON, 150 Broadway. 2-4-tf

Jersey Milk is the People's Choice.
Put up in Bottles.
Address a postal card to
D. L. DARBY, Box 1,082, Plainfield. 5-18-y

--No. 8--
PARK AVENUE.
Fancy Goods
Worsteds,
Notions,
STAMPING!

PECK'S CORNER.
Embroidered Handkerchiefs!
IN
White and Colors,
AT PECK'S.

SHOT DOWN!
We will sell for a
SHORT TIME,
Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " $1.70.
Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,
Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.
A Nice Rod for the BOYS. 18cts.
Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.
Ask to see the Springfield Roadster—the *SAFETY WHEEL.*
A. M. VANDERBEEK & CO.,
At 33 PARK AVE.,
(*Successors to A. Vanderbeek.*)
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
my10-y

GENT'S FURNISHING GOODS,
Flannel Shirts in Soft Goods and Soft Shades;
Tennis Blaziers & Caps in Bright Colors;
Straw Hats in all Shapes and Fancy Bands
Silk Belts and Every Kind of Neckwear.
A. C. HORTON,
(*Successor to F. A. Pope.*)
NO. 5 W. FRONT STREET.
9-20-y

F. H. BENNETT,
(*Successor to B. H. Bachman*),
DEALER IN
BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,
MEATS OF ALL KINDS,
Fruits and Vegetables in their Season.
42 PARK AVENUE,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Goods Delivered to any part of the city.
8-2-tf

R. W. RICE & Co.,
[Successor to Wm. H. Shotwell.
FINE GROCERIES,
Fruits and Vegetables
IN THEIR SEASON.
North Plainfield, - New Jersey.
CORNER DUER & EMILY STREETS.
1-12-tf

Howell & Hardy,
Fancy and Staple Groceries,
CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.
Creamery and Dairy Butter
FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,
North Avenue, Opposite Depot,
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
TELEPHONE CALL, 30.
11-26-tf

REFRIGERATORS,
PHILADELPHIA LAWN MOWERS
HARDWARE,
PLUMBING,
TINNING.
Have your FURNACES cleaned NOW and save money, time and inconvenience.
A. M. GRIFFEN,
13 East Front Street.
TELEPHONE CALL 6.

PETER W. McDONOUGH,
Horseshoer
AND
Farrier,
NO. 36 PARK AVE., PLAINFIELD, N. J.
Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES.
8-3-tf

YESTERDAY'S FIRES.

Four Alarms Sent Out, But in Each Instance the Fire Was Promptly Extinguished.

The firemen were kept busy yesterday answering alarms. Chief Doane and his assistants were on duty all day, and were conveyed to and from the fires in a carriage.

The first alarm was sent out about half past six o'clock in the morning. This was caused by the premature explosion of a quantity of fireworks in the store of Abraham & Drier, at the corner of Madison avenue and Front street. The plate glass windows was shattered into fragments, and the woodwork was badly scorched. Otherwise the damage was light.

THE SECOND ALARM

Called the firemen out a little after one o'clock in the afternoon. An indiscreet youth, who made his escape, threw a large torpedo into a lot of combustibles in front of Warden & Fowler's store on Park avenue, causing a terrific explosion. The large plate glass window was broken, and several smaller windows on the opposite side of the street were broken by flying rockets, etc. One hundred dollars worth of Roman candles, sky rockets, bombs and fire crackers went up in smoke, and the wooden counter in front of the store was entirely obliterated. At one time a serious conflagration was threatened, but the prompt work of the firemen soon subdued the flames. Messrs. Warden & Fowler's loss, about $150, is total. The loss to the building is covered by insurance.

ANOTHER SMALL FIRE.

About four o'clock yesterday afternoon the firemen were called out for the third time. This time the fire originated on the roof of a frame dwelling occupied by a family named Jackson on Plainfield avenue. The fire is supposed to have been caused by a lighted fire cracker. But little damage resulted.

THE FOURTH ALARM

occurred during last evening, and was caused by a bright light in the direction of Netherwood. The fire proved to be outside of the city limits, and after going a short distance, the firemen were ordered back to the houses.

The firemen did commendable work yesterday by not allowing any of the fires to spread, and their work was warmly commended by the spectators.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Anna O. Marsh leaves today for Windham, N. Y.

Mrs. VanNest Talmage of First place, will spend a season at the Tremont House, Sea Girt.

Mr. and Mrs. John Leal and family go today to Sabbath Day Point, Lake George, for the season.

Mr. Alfred W. Sutphen of Brooklyn, is visiting his aunt, Mrs. Mary A. Martin of West Second street.

Miss Emma A. Martin of Newark, is spending several days with her aunt, Mrs. Stites, *of Somerset street.*

Miss Susie Steiner of New York, is spending a week with her cousin, Mrs. John Gable, of Cottage place.

Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Edder and family of New York city, were spending the Fourth at Joseph Maier's Park Hotel, Dunellen.

"Uncle" Jesse Thorn, an old and highly respected resident of New Market, died this morning, aged 96 years. The deceased resided in this city for many years.

Messrs. E. D. Clarke of Hope Valley, R. I., and C. P. Rogers of Alfred Centre, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. Wm. C. Hubbard of West Fifth street.

Miss Mattie Johnson and Miss Laura Robbins of Flemington, and Mr. John Letzkus of New York city, were the guests of Mrs. L. and Miss Lillie Cole of Emily street, yesterday.

Mr. Michael Shannon of West Third street, died on Tuesday of lung disease. He was in the 48th year of his age. The remains will be interred in St. Mary's cemetery, this afternoon.

Mrs. S. A. Potter gave a *fete champetre* at her Grove street residence, last evening. A large number of society people were present. Dancing was enjoyed beneath a waxen-floored tent.

The families of Messrs. John W. Murray, E. N. Erickson and Geo. C. Martin held their Fourth of July celebration jointly at the residence of the former last evening. A grand display of fireworks was followed by iced cream and cake.

Messrs. C. Frost, F. Randolph and H. Maxson rode via Amboy to Staten Island, from tip to tip, last Tuesday, doing Ft. Tompkins and the Wild West. They report the roads as remarkaby good and pretty level. Crossing at Erastina, the return was made via Elizabethport.

Dr. and Mrs. Vandergrift gave a lawn party to about forty of their friends, Tuesday evening, at their villa, "The Oaks," Washingtonville. There were guests present from New York, Brooklyn and elsewhere, among them being Mrs. Slote of Brooklyn, Dr. Burke, Dr. Musgrave, Mr. and Mrs. Watson of New York, Dr. Gilbert, Dr. Cherry, Miss Gilbert, and Dr. Joseph G. Miller and wife of Plainfield. There was music on the balcony and lawn, and supper served in the large dining room. The place was beautifully illuminated with Chinese lanterns and a fine display of fireworks.

The Perfection

Of the age in the medical line is the liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, manufactured only by the California Fig Syrup Company. It is agreeable to the taste, acceptable to the Stomach, harmless in its nature, painless yet prompt and thorough in its action. For sale in 50 cts and $1.00 bottles by Field & Randolph.

MR. WENDELL MAKES A MISTAKE.

He Abuses the Old Man and Gets Pounded for it by the Son.

Mr. Wendell, a grandson of Mrs. Adam Fritz, Sr., got into a war of words with old Adam, yesterday morning, on Somerset street, back of Aunt Sal's Notch. Fritz accused Wendell and a companion of following him the night before, with the intention of robbing him.

In the heat of the argument the two drifted into personalities, as it were. Wendell told Fritz he was a liar, and the latter retorted with the statement that the former was no better than a highway robber.

Highly incensed, Wendell handed the reins to his wife who was in the village cart with him, and jumping into the road alongside of Fritz, struck the old man several blows in the face. The victim of the assault is over 70 years of age and utterly unable physically to defend himself from such attacks. It is said that after knocking Fritz down by the roadside, Wendell drove off in the direction of his father's residence about four miles distant.

Nemesis, however, in the person of Adam Fritz, Jr., was on his track. Before Wendell had proceeded far into Washington Valley he was passed by a man on horseback who tried to get a glimpse of the vehicle's occupants partially hidden under a large sun umbrella. That man was young Adam who had heard of the assault on old Adam, and he had blood in his eye. He hurried on, but after going another half-mile and seeing no one, he realized that the man he wanted was in the village cart he had passed.

But Wendell's eyes were sharper, and, when the man on horseback passed, he knew who he was and who he wanted. Wendell thereupon hurriedly assisted the other occupants of the cart out into the road, and turning he drove himself rapidly back towards town. Meeting old Adam again, Wendell halted in his flight unable to resist the temptation of again letting himself out where there was no danger.

Young Adam, however, was fast returning, and as he approached, Wendell gave a shout to his horse and endeavored to escape again. Soon seeing he had no chance, he jumped from his cart and plunging through the doorway of the house of an acquaintence, cried aloud and again for some one to save him. Then after wildly racing through a number of rooms, Wendell hid himself under a table.

Meanwhile Adam Fritz, Jr., his heart swelling with good old Democrat loyalty and filial love for the "old man," reached the house, threw the lines over his horse's neck, entered and dragged Wendell from his hiding place.

Thereupon young Adam returned to Wendell all he had given old Adam, with compound interest included. Wendell, we are told, will never forget the licking so long as he breathes. Then Fritz, Jr., told him if he wanted to whip any of the family, to send for him.

Blaze and Beauty at Netherwood.

The Netherwood never was so gay as yesterday. Last Fourth the band concert was fully as good, and the exterior illumination as extensive; but yesterday exceeded in entertainment all other days by its ball game between the happy married men and the unfortunate bachelors, and excelled all other nights in its ball whereat danced more of the younger and handsomer women of this earth than on any previous occasion.

The ball match was played in a grove at the back of the hotel, and whenever a strike was made the batter ran his bases and then joined the rest of the players in an exciting hunt for the ball. The benedicts made twenty-three runs in four innings, but the bachelors could only make thirteen in five. The game was adjourned at this stage, and the umpire hurried in to mix fizzes for both nines. Then the players and their friends on the grand stand, watched a gentleman dressed up in a real pretty suit of blue and white, try to mount from its right side a new horse he had just purchased.

There was not a large attendance of residents at the band concert in the afternoon, but at the extensive and expensive display of set and "unset" pyrotechnics in the evening, a gathering of many hundreds assembled not including the scores left standing at the Plainfield and other stations by the evening trains that run ir regular with such regularity of late. At both the afternoon and evening entertainments, the presence, unusual and kind, of a number of the cottagers, was noticeable, and of course appreciated.

The ball of the night, however, eclipsed all past efforts of the kind no matter how successful. Major Thomas H. Cullen was chairman of the reception committee, and so hearty in his welcome and earnest in his labors for the complete gratification of each and every one, that all were satisfied. To Lieut. Col. H. W. Williams as chairman of the floor committee, joined by Mr. H. D. Brewster, and together with the assistance of the Messrs. Eckert, Plum, Martin, Rice, Ryer, Bridgman, Post and others, too much credit cannot be given for the perfect smoothness and satiety of the terpsichorean feast. Mr. F. E. Miller—whose care and service attracts to the hotel a class of people it has never before been graced with—was also untiring in his exertions to fill everybody with satisfaction; and he did it. Supper was served from eleven to twelve in the large dining room.

—A change of advertisement for N. W. French, will appear in to-morrow's issue.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

NOTIFYING GEN. HARRISON.

HE IS TOLD OF HIS NOMINATION BY THE COMMITTEE.

They Call on Him at His Home in Indianapolis—An Interesting Scene—Hon. M. Estee Makes the Notification Speech—The General's Reply in Acceptance.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 5.—The committee appointed by the National Republican Convention for that purpose waited upon General Harrison at his residence yesterday, and notified him of his nomination for President of the United States. A large number of prominent politicians and friends of the family were present.

Hon. M. M. Estee, chairman of the committee, made the formal notification speech.

"We are commissioned by the National Republican Convention," he said, "to officially notify you of your nomination as the Republican candidate for President of the United States. In doing this we may be permitted to remind you that your selection met the hearty approval of the whole convention. It left no embittered feeling and lukewarm supporters, and it voiced the average and best judgment of the convention.

"It is true that distinguished gentlemen, well known to the people, who are experienced in public affairs, illustrious in character and worthy of the people's confidence and support, were before the convention as candidates, and yet you were chosen. Nor was your nomination due to accident or the result of hasty or inconsiderate deliberation. It indicated rather that you possessed in a more eminent degree peculiar qualities which commended you to the people's favor."

Mr. Estee closed by expressing the personal satisfaction of the members of the committee at General Harrison's nomination, and by predicting his election.

In reply, General Harrison expressed a deep sense of the honor conferred upon him. "I do not assume or believe," he said, "that this choice implies that the convention found in me any pre-eminent fitness or exceptional fidelity to the principles of government to which we are mutually pledged. My satisfaction with the result would be altogether spoiled if that result had been reached by any unworthy methods, or by any disparagement of the more eminent men who divided with me the suffeages of the convention.

"I accept the nomination with so deep a sense of the dignity of the office and the gravity of its duties and responsibilities as altogether to exclude any feeling of exultation or pride. The principles of government and the practice in administration, upon which issues are now fortunately so clearly made are so important in their relations to the national and to individual prosperity, that we may expect an unusual popular interest in the campaign. Relying wholly upon the considerate judgment of our fellow-citizens and the gracious favor of God, we will confidently submit our cause to the arbitration of a free ballot."

General Harrison concluded by saying that he party's platform was in harmony with his views, and that he would write a formal letter of acceptance as soon as possible. The committee was subsequently entertained at luncheon by General Harrison.

To Develop Alaska's Fisheries.

WASHINGTON, July 4.—The Fish Commission Steamer Albatross, now at San Francisco has been ordered to sail this week to explore the waters of Alaska and the Northwest coast of the United States, in the interest of the fisheries. The cod lands off the Alaskan coast are known to be extensive and productive, but are still undeveloped commercially.

Fatal Electrical Storm.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., July 4.—At least six persons were killed in the electrical storm in the vicinity of St. Paul, Sunday. Many houses were wrecked.

Many Visitors to Mrs. Phelps.

LONDON, July 5.—The wife of minister Phelps yesterday received 600 visitors, among whom were most of the Ponanglican bishops.

Baseball Games Played Wednesday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT DETROIT, A. M.

New York	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	—4
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1

AT DETROIT, P. M.

Detroit	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0—1
New York	1	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	—4

AT CHICAGO, A. M.

Chicago	4	1	0	3	2	0	0	0	—10
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	5—8

AT CHICAGO, P. M.

Chicago	0	0	1	0	0	0	4	0	0—5
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	4	1	0	1	0—6

AT INDIANAPOLIS, A. M.

Boston	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0—4
Indianapolis	2	0	3	0	1	0	0	5	8—14

AT INDIANAPOLIS, P. M.

Indianapolis	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1—3
Boston	0	0	0	2	2	0	0	0	—4

AT PITTSBURG, A. M.

Pittsburg	0	2	0	3	1	0	1	2	5—14
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI, P. M.

Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0—3
Brooklyn	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	4	—9

AT ST. LOUIS, A. M.

St. Louis	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—4
Athletics	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—2

AT ST. LOUIS, P. M.

St. Louis	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0—2
Athletics	8	1	6	0	0	0	1	0	—11

AT KANSAS CITY, A. M.

Kansas City	1	0	0	0	1	2	1	0	3—8
Cleveland	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	1—5

AT KANSAS CITY, P. M.

Kansas City	1	0	5	0	0	2	3	0	3—14
Cleveland	1	3	0	3	0	0	1	2	0—10

AT LOUISVILLE, A. M.

Louisville	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—3
Baltimore	2	0	0	2	3	0	0	2	—9

AT LOUISVILLE, P. M.

Louisville	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2—4
Baltimore	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0—1

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 5, stand as follows:

League.	Won.	Lost.	Association.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	37	18	St. Louis	37	17
Detroit	34	21	Brooklyn	41	19
New York	33	23	Athletic	35	21
Boston	33	26	Cincinnati	33	24
Philadelphia	28	25	Baltimore	27	30
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The Pilgrim Takes a Glimpse of Castle Garden and Has an Interview with Buffalo Bill.

THE following pages from a diary of an evident stranger in New York contain his brief allusions to several live topics, and are published herewith by special arrangement with the writer.

NEW YORK, June 1.

"I arrived here yesterday and paid more to get from Forty-second street to the hotel than I did to get from Chicago to Forty-second street. Afterward I found that I could have rode on the horse cars for five cents. I now realize why it is that railroads go into the hands of receivers while hackmen amass enormous sums of money. These men earn big pay during the day by driving around over an intrickit root with gentlemen from a distance, and then at night they haul dissolute New Yorkers up and down the bullyvard at so much per hour. One shrude hackist, they say, has got up a new skeme by which he can attach what he calls a rumbler to a hack or cab which has a tired man in it. He can then hitch his horse and go on a prelonged debotch himself while his salary is still going on. And yet there are men here who look down on those that drives hacks.

"I am located well here with a sightly room, handy to the railroad. I was just arranging my toilet this afternoon as the train went by, full of people who seemed to be pleased about something. Four trains went by before I got time to pull down the blind, and then I found that it would not pull down. Folks that ride on these elevator trains tell me that they see many strange sights. It is a panarammer of home life which is filled with humorsome and sad things. In hot weather a big family fights tiefoid fever and makes cigars in the same room, and there ain't clothes enough in the whole outfit to wad a gun. Such is life in the large towns. They also get so that they don't care for the folks that ride by and look in their windows. They get used to dressing and undressing before large audiences, and finally they get so that even a full-dress ball would not shock them. For myself, I must say that when 525,000 people in twenty-four hours have a chance to see me make my toilet it makes me shudder.

"June 2.—This is a busy mart of trade and general vortex of traffick. It makes my head buzz all the time. Every man in New York in just in the act of catching a train or a car or a ferryboat, and he acts as if he didn't look for another one till fall. Just as quick as you begin to act like you had time to reach the place you are going to you are looked upon with suspicion and told to move on, or asked to buy a draft of some one. So a good deal of this haste is put on, I think.

THE BUSY MAN.

"I saw a man push over several old people and walk on some children this morning he was in such a hurry to catch a train downtown, and I thought he had a repreave for some man that was to be executed at 10 o'clock. When I got down to the Post Office I found him reading the bulletins in front of the newspaper offices.

BUT HE READS THE BULLETINS.

"Another man most killed me in his mad rush to get aboard the north-bound train. He got off at Eighteenth street, and two hours afterwards I found him still there in a crowd of 500 people, watching two rats tied together by the tails and throwed across a telegraph wire. So I have about decided that when you see a man in a big rush here, and he tries to get on the cars before other folks get off, he is on his way to some place where they just tapped a fresh keg of beer, or mebbe to see a sparrow fight somewhere. It is just the same here that it is in other towns I've been in; the man with his sleeves rolled clear up above vaxination mark is generally the man that is really the most suddentery.

"Spring clothes are beginning to appear in the streets, containing all kinds of people. As the warm zeffer stirs the spitz whiskers of the pale man and the female bullfrog sits astride her lowly nest, I see new clothes making their appearance everywhere. Men are still piecing out their pantaloons, in some cases with buff over-gaiters, but the dog is less in demand as an article of apparel than he was a year ago. Summer canes will be lighter, I think, especially for the middle of the day, heavier canes being reserved for the cool and changeable air of twilight. Dogs are much larger than last year and are kept at home more, where they may run their cold and cheerless muzzles up the sleeves of visitors and then sneeze in hoarse accents. The surprised or Pompey door hair and mouse nest or jute whiskers are still in favor.

"June 3.—There are four hundred people here who move in good society. The other 1,999,600 have to squirm along through life the best they can. I shan't be here long enough this time to get into society, but if I was to be here all summer I wouldn't mind taking a hack at it and mingling in the social whirl. Still, if a man mingles in society and tends to it as he ought to here they tell me he don't have time to do much else. It is a round of gayeity and gives one very little time to attend to housework.

"To-day I visited Castle Garden, where 2,000 immigrants are coming in per day. They come out into the bright glare of the sunlight in the Battery, look wildly around, and if you say anything to them they reply invariably, 'Two dollars a day.' They have thin clothes in a tin box with a handle on its top and an appetite which threatens the very foundation of our whole social system. They tell me there is a lighter importation of Mormons this year than ever before. Some say it is because Mormonism is on the wane and others that it is because its Church is waiting for the pest-house and pauper-conservatories of Europe to catch up.

"June 5.—Buffalo Bill arrived here today and I went over to see his troop when it got off of the boat in Tompkinsville. He looks well, though rather refined. His hair is still fluent, and I was glad to see that he wore a checkered fore-and-aft hat home with him.

"Buffalo Bill has boarded at Balmoral for weeks at a time, they tell me, and used to also sit on the throne and read the morning paper before Her Majesty was up.

"The animals of the show seem to be real tickled to get home home, especially the Indians. Red Shirt said to me in substance that too much moisture prevailed in England to suit him, and that chewing-tobacco was almost unknown there. He also said that he had no use for a country that was run by a squaw. He claims that it cost more to live in England than it does in the West. Society demands more of a man there, he says.

"In the matter of clothes alone he is out $7 for a new blanket and £1 for a large red comforter which he wore when he was presented to the Queen. Red Shirt says we have little idea along the banks of the Rosebud, the upper Missouri and Stinking Water what slaves the English people are to Social Ettiket. Sometimes they are five hours eating what he could eat in ten minutes.

"I had quite a long talk with Red Shirt about the voyage. He was indisposed part of the way. He was not real

MR. RED SHIRT IS CONTEMPLATIVE.

sick, but missed several meals, I understood him to say. I asked him why he didn't advertise for them, but he could not understand me. An Indian cannot appreciate humor, especially after he has been in England for a long time.

"Buffalo Bill and the Prince of Wales were very intimate and they say that Wales is very lonely since William has come away. He will soon come to this country, as Red Shirt states, and camp out at Erastina for several weeks, where he can be near to B. Bill and hear the wild buffalo paw the ground and beller. The Queen will have to stay at home and reign this summer, though she does so reluctantly. She leads a busy life reigning over the British Isles, bossing Europe, umpiring India and writing for a syndicate. She told Red Shirt that a good many people envied her lot who couldn't pay taxes on it if they had it.

"Red Shirt says that he likes the dramatic profession better than living at the agency and rubbing mutton tallow on his chilblains every spring. He was never bothered with stage fright but once, and that was when he tried to play first passenger in the Black Hills stage coach at a matinee. He says that they have tried a good many ametoor Indians in their troop, but few had the proper conception of the part as they was to play. In the massacre most Indians are too apt to overplay the part. They allow their enthusiasm and reelism to carry them too far, he says. Of course that isn't his language, but it's what he meant.

"Red Shirt says he was offered good pay to start an Indian outbreak in England while there. He says that England and the Allide Powers is all ready for a rip snorting good war. They have got lots of arm and soldiers and ammunition. All they want is somebody to start the war. He was offered good wages to go on the road and work up a feeling, but he is attached to his profession and states that he has given up carnage and will henceforth work for the elevation of the drammy.

"He says that all he asks for is a chance to act out. Life can give him nothing sweeter than the applause of the people and good press notices, which he can paste in his scrap-book. With a few intimate monarchs and plenty of rich, wholesome food he is willing that the war-path should become overgrown, though he dislikes to see an overgrown war-path more than anything else he knows of.

"Red Shirt has not been spoiled by adulation, however, as I had feared, but knew me right off. I asked him why he did not write me while abroad. He said that he found after he got there that at all the hotels people have to pay for paper, pens, ink, envelopes and et setera. This and the fact that he could not write any way had much to do with his silence.

"He will ride a buckskin palfrey this summer and whoop in a shrill manner as usual. He says that a very beautiful pale-face woman in England fell in love with him and wept when he came away. She saw him act, and from that moment his image was ever in her heart. He says that if he had not been on his guard, his dramatic future might have been clouded by a scandal. An actor cannot be too careful, he thinks. Red Shirt wears on his necklace two artificial front teeth given him by prominent foreigners who tried to ride in the Black Hills coach; also one of the ear-tabs from a B flat coronet.

"He states that the Prince is as pleasant a gentleman as ever sat in his sock feet and saw himself getting gradually baldheaded while waiting for his mother's shoes."

While I do not agree entirely with the author of the above sentiments nor with all of the remarks made by Red Shirt, there is food for thought in some of the statements made, and I herewith turn them over to the thinking minds of America. People using other kinds of minds, of course, will find little to interest them. The thinking mind will be rarely disappointed in anything recommended by me.—*Bill Nye.*

GENERAL SHERIDAN.

THE CAREER OF A BRAVE SOLDIER.

From the Ranks of the People He Rose to Distinction—His Boyhood Days Etc., Etc., Etc.

GEN. PHIL SHERIDAN.

A few weeks before his death Gen. Grant was sitting on the piazza of his temporary residence at Saratoga. With him was his friend James N. Matthews of Buffalo. Phil Sheridan was the topic of conversation. "Sheridan," said Gen. Grant, was a great soldier. He was as great as Cæsar. or Von Moltke. Yes," he added, after a moment's pause, "he was greater than Cæsar or Von Moltke He was great in the field, great at the council board. He could not only plan battles—he could take the field and win them."

Gen. Sheridan was born in Somerset, O., March 6, 1831. His parents were poor and for a long time lived in a one-story frame building on South street in that town. John Sheridan, Phil's father, tried to make some money as a railroad contractor, but invariably met with ill luck. In 1856, after Phil had saved some money from his army pay, he bought eighteen acres of land near Somerset and gave his parents the money to build a house. John Sheridan died there in 1857, but Mrs. Sheridan still lives at the age of 87. Throughout all his career Gen. Sheridan paid his mother a visit, except, of course, when prevented by his military duties.

GEN. SHERIDAN'S BIRTHPLACE.

Phil Sheridan as a boy had but few opportunities. The family was poor and his school days were few. He was always a leader among his associates, however. His time, when not at school or engaged in doing chores, was largely devoted to the juvenile show business, where a charge of from three to five pins constituted the admission fee. Phil was invariably the "slack-rope performer," and if a menagerie was attached he acted the feat of going into the "lions' den," which was a large box with wooden slats nailed on the front side and generally containing two or three dogs and a number of cats. He also took a great fancy to drilling and had a company of eighteen or twenty of his playmates. An old resident of Somerset tells this story of Phil's early days:

"Phil was a little bit of a fellow, but, I guess he whipped every fighting lad in Somerset. He became early in life a most daring horseback rider. His first experience as a cavalryman was on the bare back of an ugly beast without a strap of leather anywhere about him. The critter started into a terrible run and did not halt until he came to a tavern some ten miles away. There he ran in the stable-shed. Sheridan hung on like an Indian and did not seem to be in the least frightened. When asked how he managed to stick the 5-year-old answered: 'I'd been told how to do it. I just hugged his neck and stuck my knees in his side.' No one had ever before succeeded in clinging to the horse's back."

At the age of 12 Phil had to go to work. He found employment in the hardware store in the village kept by

SHERIDAN'S HOME WHEN THE WAR CLOSED

John Talbot, with whom he remained 4 months. He then obtained a place as a clerk for Fink & Dittoe in the dry-goods business, remaining with them until '47. He seemed pretty well satisfied with mercantile pursuits until he read one day of a vacancy at West Point, which half the fathers of the district were begging Gen. Ritchie, the Congressman, to fill with their boys. Phil sat right down and wrote Gen. Ritchie a straightforward application, without anybody's indorsement or even advice. Ritchie knew who the Sheridans were, the Irish were becoming quite numerous among his constituents, and he thought it would be a happy idea to let it go abroad that he had appointed one of the race to the military school. The appointment was quickly made and widely announced.

The young cadet's education being limited he at once went to work to prepare himself for the examination. An old man of the name of Clark, who was considered a fine mathematician assisted him. In three months' time he was ready for the examination and left Somerset for West Point, where he was admitted in 1848, at the age of 17. While there he was put back a year for whipping a higher classman. Thus it took him five years to graduate, but still he was only 22 when he came out, graduating in 1853.

Upon his graduation he was assigned to the infantry branch of the service, serving two years in Texas, and from 1855 to 1861 in Oregon. At the commencement of the Civil War he was appointed Quartermaster of the Army of Southwest Missouri, his rank being Captain. May, 1862, the Governor of Michigan appointed him Colonel of the Second Michigan Cavalry, and July 1, 1862, he was commissioned as a Brigadier General of Volunteers, and was soon in command of a division of the Army of the Ohio. At the battle of Stone River, Dec. 31, 1862, he saved the army from rout by his stubborn resistance of the enemy's onslaughts. For this he was made Major-General. In the march to Chattanooga under Rosencrans he was exceedingly active, and when any necessity seemed to demand it exposed himself with an abandon and recklessness that won the admiration of his soldiers and gained for him the sobriquet of "Fighting Phil." In the battle of Chickamauga, though swept off the field by the breaking of the lines, he recovered himself and returned with his command and some other troops to the support of Gen. Thomas. In subsequent actions about Chattanooga he distinguished himself and was regarded as among the most accomplished and successful soldiers of the West.

In April, 1864, he was called by Gen. Grant to the Army of the Potomac and put in command of the cavalry. During the months of May, June, and July, besides protecting the flanks of the army and reconnoitering the enemy's position, he was in eighteen distinct actions. The 4th of August he was put in command of the Army of the Shenandoah, and soon after of the Middle Military Division, where he succeeded in completely routing Gen. Early, for which he was made a Brigadier-General in the regular army, and in November a Major-General. The campaign against Early over, and in full possession of the Valley of Virginia, he destroyed the mills and rendered it impossible for Lee to longer draw supplies from this fertile region. He then made a detour around Richmond, joining Gen. Grant at City Point, whence he started, March 25, 1865, to strike the final blow for the overthrow of Lee's army. He fought the battle of Dinwiddie Court-House March 31, Five Forks April 1, and compelled the surrender of Lee April 9, 1865.

Burmese Rats Get the Ham.

I thought I would place my ham in a safe and secure position and defy the rodents, says a Burmah correspondent. So before retiring to rest on my bundle of mats on the floor I tied the shank end firmly with some brass wire I had with me, then having broken a beer bottle I strung the neck part on the wire so that the mouth end rested on the end of the knuckle of the ham, leaving the broken, jagged part uppermost. This is a favorite way in the East to protect food from rats. The end of the wire was then thrown over one of the joists overhead, there being no ceilings in these houses, but free space to the roof. The ham was pulled up to hang about two feet from the joist, and the end of the wire secured to a nail I drove into a wall-post. I then retired, feeling I had placed my precious ham in a place of safety, and soon slept the sleep of the weary. I awoke in the dead of the night, being disturbed by the sound of bodies falling on the floor of the next room in rapid succession, a squeaking, horrid noise going on the whole time. I took up my lamp, which I had left alight, in my left hand, and grasping my Colt in the right, I cautiously and noiselesly proceeded to the opening between the rooms, which was covered with a curious mat. On lifting it and looking in I saw that the room was full of rats. They climbed to the joist, and, jumping at the ham, made a bite at it as they fell to the floor. The broken bottle prevented their slipping down the wire to get at the coveted delicacy. Some entirely failed, but others succeeding in taking a piece out, and, had I not been awakened, no doubt by the morning my ham would have been reduced to the bare bone. I empted my revolver among the thieves and for the remainder of the night took my precious pig's meat to bed with me, placing it under my pillow, where the rascals dare not touch it.

The Latest in Needlework.

The work smocking seems to be causing almost as much tribulation as jersey and stockinet did in the days when nine persons out of twenty spelled the former with the capital and the latter with three superfluous letters. Smocking takes its name from the garment on which it is used, the smock or frock of heavy blue or white linen, worn by English butchers. The material is first shirred with great exactness, the number of threads "taken" and left being counted, and then the little gathers are drawn together by stitches on the back forming quaint patterns. When the garment is washed these smocking patches are necessarily left unironed, but so long as the stitches hold they are pretty and ornamental. Rules for smocking may be found in old English books on needlework.—*Boston Transcript.*

A young man at San Francisco who secured an estate worth about $7,000 by getting a will broken, has been called upon by the lawyers employed to pay them sums which will leave him only about $100. He has employed another lawyer to fight the claims, and will probably be bankrupt when he gets through.

Mr. Brudenel Carter, an Englishman, said in a recent address before a medical college that every case of fever cost the community, on an average, $10, and that the annual cost of scarlet fever in England was about $2,000,000. We have no fever in this country costing so much as this, excepting possibly the presidential.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.32, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.13, 11.23, p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.30, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.30, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 8.15, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.12, 11.30, 11.44 a. m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.56, 7.38, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—8.12, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 8.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 4.00, 4.40, 6.47, 8.25, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.17, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.35, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 6 58, 9 24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

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5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

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6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05., p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2 25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sundays—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sundays—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton, 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45, 5.17, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.39, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA

Ninth and Green streets, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 12.00, a. m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 5.30, 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.30, 9.30, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p. m. Sunday—9.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.25, 8.00, 9.00, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.25, 5.50, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 2.10, p. m.

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General Surprise at the Unlooked for Termination of the Great O'Donnell Libel Case—Can it Be Possible That He Was in League With the Times! The Letters Said to be Forgeries.

LONDON, July 6.—The verdict and jury for the Times newspaper in the case of the ex-Parnellite Member of Parliament, Frank Hugh O'Donnell, against that paper surprises no one who has noted the apparently deliberate mismanagement of the case of O'Donnell's part, but the sudden stopping of the case by Chief Justice has astonished every one.

It is evident from his speech that Lord Coleridge suspected that O'Donnell was trying to get square with Mr. Parnell and the Leage for dropping him and that his action was prompted by revenge.

O'Donnell, however, denies that any such motive prompted him in the matter, and in an interview yesterday asserted that he had acted throughout the matter in full accordance to the wishes of his former colleagues. He believed that he forced the Times to declare that it would produce no witness in support of the statements published in its articles on "Parnellism and Crime."

All this is the sheer audacity of a slippery customer.

In his presentation of the case for the defence Attorney General Webster said that no man was libelled to a greater extent than Mr. Parnell, yet Mr. O'Donnell had been put forward to meet the Times's charges.

Mr. Parnell expected to be called in the case, indeed he had been summoned for that purpose. He was not called and is justly indignant at the tricky nature of the whole proceeding. He now announces his intention of making a personal explanation in the House of Commons on Friday afternoon regarding the whole case, including the Times's charges and O'Donnell's conduct. Starting disclosures are expected.

It is generally felt here that Mr. Parnell labors under a real and deep grievance from the charges made by the Attorney-General's opening statement to which he has not been allowed to reply.

Mr. Timothy Harrington and other Irish members declare the Parnell letters to be forgeries of the most transparent character.

The Democratic Clubs' Convention.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 6.—The National Convention of Democratic Clubs met yesterday and adopted a series of resolutions endorsing the nomination of Cleveland and Thurman, and affirming its adhesion to the platform of the Democratic party as laid down at St. Louis. The Hon. John Winans, of Wisconsin, was elected permanent President and the temporary officers were made permanent. The committe on constitution, submitted a report recommending that Hon. Chauncey F. Black, of Pennsylvania, be named as the President of the National Association of Democratic Clubs. Each club was granted the privilege of naming its own candidate for vice-president and for four members of the National Executive Committee.

Fatal Rainstorm in Ohio.

YOUNGSTOWN, O., July 6.—The most terrific rain storm ever known here occurred yesterday afternoon. James Davey and his family were picknicking in a narrow ravine near the city and when the shower came up they took shelter under a large rock overhanging the stream. The stream rose until from a quiet brook it was a veritable raging torrent imprisoning the family. Fearing that all would be lost Davey took his four-year-old child in his arms and attempted to wade to higher ground. The force of the current washed the baby from his arms. The body has not yet been found. The rest of the family were rescued with ropes.

No Flags in Chicago Parks.

CHICAGO, July 6.—One of the rules of the Public Parks Board is that no flags shall be borne through the parks. When a patriotic grocery boy started to go through Lincoln Park with his wagon decorated with American flags he was driven into the street by the park policemen. Other patriotic citizens suffered the same indignity. At one time a riot was threatened, but the police were successful in keeping the national emblem out of their jurisdiction. It is probable that the obnoxious rule will be abolished.

Arranging a Royal Marriage.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 6.—It is reported that a marriage is being arranged between the Czarewitch and one of Emperor William's sisters, to which the Czar has given approval. Prince Bismarck is in favor of the match, and this was his principal reason for opposing the Battenberg-Victoria marriage, which would have made impossible a match with the Czarewitch and Victoria's sister.

Eight Families Homeless.

BURLINGTON, N. J., July 6.—Eight families were rendered homeless yesterday at noon by the burning of eight frame houses four miles above here, at a place called Knickerbocker Row. Alfred Davis and George Watkins lost all their household goods, valued at $300 each. Others who suffered smaller losses were George Davis, John Reed, William Dubel, John Knopler, Cornelius Burden and Frank Carson.

Mr. Morton to be Informed.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 6.—Chairman Estee and Secretary Dougherty of the Notification Committee of the Republican National Convention have telegraphed Levi P. Morton, the candidate for Vice-President, that they will call upon him at his residence in Rhinebeck at noon Saturday. Judge Estee, Mr. Kilbourn and Mr. Foley will join the committee at New York.

A Negro Lynched.

CHRISTIANSBURG, Va., July 6.—A negro stopped at an old white woman's house near New River Bridge last night and asked for food. After eating, he assaulted the woman and choked her nearly to death, accomplished his purpose and fled. Officers pursued and captured him, and a mob hanged him to a tree.

Two Children Crushed.

BOSTON, Mass., July 6.—Michael McCurran, of New Bedford, employed in Tremont and Suffolk Mills, 35 years, and married, had two children fatally crushed between a moving car and building to-day.

Mr. Vanderbilt at Loch Lomond.

GLASGOW, July 6.—Cornelius Vanderbilt, of New York, is staying at Loch Lomond.

JACOB WETSTEIN'S SUICIDE.

He Kills Himself on His Son's Doorstep to Get Even.

NEW YORK, July 6.—Jacob Wetstein, a German peddler aged 61 years, shot and killed himself yesterday morning in the doorway of 24 Eldridge street. The body was taken to the Eleventh Precinct Station House. On his person were found three letters, a note addressed to Coroner Messemer and his commission as a captain in the Hungarian army. Wetstein has had quite an eventful career. He came from a wealthy family and was at one time reputed to be worth $80,000. His trade was that of an engineer, and in the old country he did business as a railroad contractor, at which he amassed his fortune.

He was a stubborn, self willed old man and engaged in many foolish speculations. About four years ago he engaged in some manufacturing business with his son, William Wetstein, who is an optician and does business in the store where the father killed himself. He was of a cranky and impatient disposition, and the connection resulted in a very bitter quarrel. He often visited his daughter, who is the wife of Dr. Samuel Randell of 343 Grand street.

The three letters found on the dead man's person were written in German. One was addressed to the public and the others to his daughter and son-in-law. In the letter to the son-in-law he says: "I tried to kill myself four years ago in Washington Square Park; I did not succeed, but this time I will do it. My lonely condition has driven me to commit this act."

Incendaries in Danbury.

DANBURY, July 6.—There is much excitement and apprehension here over the frequent incendiary fires that have occurred lately. There have been three fires in five days that are known to have been incendiary and several others of which the origin is in doubt. On Monday morning the Bethel and Danbury horse car stables, in which were a number of horses, were saturated in several places with kerosene and set on fire. It was discovered in time to prevent much damage. The company offer $500 reward for the capture of the incendiary.

No Jumping from the Bridge.

NEW YORK, July 6.—A young man on the Brooklyn Bridge last evening took off his hat, spat on his hands and leaped upon the rail on the right side of the promenade. That was as far as he got, however, as Officer Daly dashed forward, and seizing him pulled him back. He said that his name was Frank Smith and that he was a baker by trade. His abode he gave as No. 118 Christopher street, New York. He said that he was tired of living in poverty and wanted to end his existence.

A Big Fire in the West.

CADILLAC, Mich, July 6.—The business part of Lake City was burned shortly after midnight yesterday. The fire started in Vanarsdales saloon and swept everything for two blocks on both sides of the main street. All the newspapers burned, but the Independent was saved being in an isolated building. The loss is at least $75,000 with little or no insurance and no fire protection. The fire was stopped by Cadillac help at 4 o'clock this morning.

Russia and Bulgaria.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 6.—M. de Giers, the Russian Prime Minister, is reported to have informed the British Ambassador that after December 17, the Bulgarians may cut each other's throats, declare their country an empire, or do anything else they please.

Russia will on that date wash her hands of Bulgarian affairs and will not interfere to prevent the natives from carrying out any project they may determine upon.

Scantling Blown Through Him.

MASON CITY, Iowa, July 6.—A cyclone struck a number of towns on the Milwaukee and St. Paul Road. The territory covered about one hundred miles long and seventy-five miles wide. The destruction was greatest in farm property and live stock, but no human lives lost. In the town of Rathven several buildings were levelled. A horse in the street had a scantling blown through his body.

Another Suicide in the Astor House.

NEW YORK, July 6.—A man who registered at the Astor House on Monday as S. B. Henderson, Cleveland, O., committed suicide last night by drinking carbolic acid. His wife was the first to discover him in a dying condition and called a physician, but the man died before help arrived. No cause can be assigned for the act.

Murdered by His Roommate.

PHILADELPHIA, July 6.—Walter McAllister, a brakeman, quarrelled with his roommate, Thomas Cole, over some trifling matter last night. When McAllister was asleep Cole took a hatchet and brutally hacked McAllister about the head and face, inflicting injuries from which he died shortly afterward. Cole was arrested.

The Fishermen Celebrated.

GASPE, Que., July 6.—Twenty American fishing schooners arrived in port last night to celebrate the Fourth. They fired rockets, blew horns, gave a display of fireworks, and caused great excitement. Some of the crew went ashore and had a row with Canadian fishermen. Two government cruisers arrived this morning.

On Trial for Treason.

LEIPSIC, July 6.—Herr Deitz, Herr Appel, and the wife of the first-named, have been on trial here on a charge of treason, having sold information to the French Government of the construction of German strategetic railways. The trial ended yesterday and a verdict will be handed down on Monday.

Typhoid Fever in New England.

CANTON, Mass., July 6.—An epidemic of typhoid fever prevails in town. Most of those affected are employes of the Kingsley Iron and Machine Co., which had been compelled to shut down. Unhealthy water is believed to be the cause. Fifty are now sick; two have died.

Another Firm to Resume.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 6,—Singer Nimick & Co's Mill resumed operations yesterday moring, in part the men agreeing to abandon their labor organization. The amalgamated association of iron and steel workers acceded, providing no reduction was demanded.

Canadian Celebration in London.

LONDON, July 6.—The Canadians resident and sojourning here will celebrate the twenty-fifth anniversary of the confederation of the provinces on Thursday next with a banquet, at which the Mayor of Ottawa will preside.

MORE DYNAMITE IN CHICAGO.

Chicago's Labor Agitators Become Violent, But Their Plans are Exposed.

CHICAGO, July 6.—A dynamite plot was unearthed yesterday, of extraordinary character. Three men were arrested with the explosive in their possession and charged with intent to destroy Burlington and Quincey property. The company has had a large force of Pinkerton men and special officers watching the movements of the strikers and found that several attempts were made the past month to wreck trains by dynamite. Information was received that an attack on the company's property would be made yesterday including trains on track and big office building in Chicago. Supt. Rhodes swore out a warrant and Deputy Marshall Burchard went to Aurora and arrested Thomas Broderick and J. R. Bowles, of the Brotherhood of Engineers, and John P. Wilson. The three men were on the train bound for Chicago when arrested. No resistance was offered. A package of dynamite was found with them. Broderick threw a letter out of the car window but it was found when the train stopped and handed over to District Attorney Ewing who refused to divulge its contents. The prisoners were brought to Chicago without further incident. In a package was found five dynamite cartridges ten inches long and one inch and a quarter square; each containing about a pound of dynamite. In Broderick's pocket were several fulminating Caps. Subsequently he denied any knowledge of the dynamite. The three men were held in $5,000 bail each by U. S. Commissioner Hayne, and in default went to jail for the night.

Sheridan Decidedly Better.

LEWES, Del., July 6.—General Sheridan's physicians issued a bulletin yesterday, in which they said that their patient was as well as before leaving Hampton Roads, and that his condition was such as to permit of the resumption of the voyage as soon as a comparatively smooth run to Sandy Hook could be made.

A bulletin last evening says: "Gen. Sheridan has passed an entirely uneventful day, gaining slowly, but steadily in all respects."

WASHINGTON, July 6.—Resident physicians here who have not been called in to attend General Sheridan have commenced to criticise the regular physicians in the case. They assert that the physicians have kept the public in ignorance of the really critical nature of the general's condition, and have given no information save the meager reports to be found in the official bulletins. They declare that the General is critically ill, that the disease would have terminated fatally had he been kept in Washington, and that the regular physicians were apprehensive that the voyage on the Swatara would result in death. Every effort has been made to keep information from the public, and even the officers on board the Swatara have been ordered not to communicate with any one on shore.

Chief Hanscom Discharged.

BOSTON, July 6.—The Police Commissioners issued an order yesterday dismissing from the force Chief Inspector Orin H. Hanscom for insubordination and disrespect to his superior officer. This action is the result of charges preferred against Chief Hanscom some weeks ago by Superintendent Small. Other charges also were brought, but these are dismissed. Chief Hanscom has been at the head of the detective department of this city for three or four years. Previous to this he did detective service for several years and made a good record. There has been lack of harmony for some time between Superintendent Small and the Detective Bureau, and a change was necessary for the good of the service.

Three Italians Shot.

NORTH ADAMS, Mass., July 6.—Three Italians were shot last night, in this place, by one of their countrymen named Fassier. He met two of them on the road, picked a quarrel with them, and fired at them, slightly wounding both in the head. The third was seized by Fassier, and shot twice. He broke away from his assailant, ran through several lots to the river, and swam across it. He was seriously wounded, one of the bullets having passed through his mouth, cutting off his tongue. The other passed through the neck and fractured the jaw bone. Fassier cannot be found.

Not a Sheriff to Trifle With.

BENKLEMAN, Neb., July 6.—Dundy and Cheyenne Counties have been overrun with horse-thieves the past two weeks, and on Monday Sheriff Buckewald got on the trail of two of the men. He started after them single-handed, armed with a revolver. Near Iolia, Col., he came upon Mike Laughlin and Jack Bonfield, armed with Winchesters. He covered Laughlin with his revolver and ordered him to surrender, and on his refusal to do so shot him dead. Bonfield threw up his hands and surrendered.

A Kansas Mayor Shot by Liquor Men.

GUEDA SPRINGS, Kan., July 6.—Mayor Kenyon and Justice of the Peace Furry attempted yesterday to suppress a whiskey stand which Jim Cherry and Ike David of Arkansas City had established in a corn field here. Cherry shot the Mayor through the breast, and Furry through the leg. The negroes swam the Arkansas River. A posse has been organized and is now searching for them in the Indian Territory. Mayor Kenyon will die.

Whipped for Slandering His Wife.

NEW ALBANY, Ind., July 6.—The White Caps are again rampant, their latest victim being Jonathan Crook, a farm hand at Valeine, who was tied to a tree and given 150 lashes for slandering his deceased wife. He will probably die. Elisha Glenning, by whom Cook was employed, was notified to discharge him, and replied with a volley from his revolver.

Harrison Corps Badge in Flowers.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 6.—John Loban, the State florist, has decided to add to the floral design in Capitol Park the badge of General Harrison's corps. The entire design is now composed of fac similes of the badges of different corps and regiments.

Named for Congress.

LOUISVILLE, July 6.—At Somerset, Ky., yesterday, Congressman Frank Finley of the Eleventh district, was nominated for re-election by the Republicans. He is opposed by ex-Congressman Wolford, whom Finley succeeded.

De Lessep's Stocks Rise.

PARIS, July 6.—The Temps says the Panama Canal Syndicate is definately formed, and that a deposit of rentes has been made, guaranteeing the payment of prizes and the redemption of bonds.

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OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Two police officers were put on duty in the Boulevard, last night, for the first time.

—Some unimportant cases were disposed of at the Court of Special Sessions at Elizabeth, yesterday.

—The Mayor and Council of the Borough of North Plainfield, will meet in regular session this evening.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Union County Board of Chosen Freeholders was held at Elizabeth yesterday afternoon.

—To-day is Temperance day at Boynton Beach, and a large number of the temperance people from this city went over in stages this morning.

—Mrs. S. Scheidecker and Mr. J. B. Heath extend thanks to the firemen for their heroic efforts to extinguish the fire on Church street, yesterday morning.

—White Jerseys are the latest. Edsall has just received a new lot of extra quality—perfect fitting—which he says he is offering at less than New York prices.

—The ball of the Oriental Social Club in The Crescent, on Tuesday evening, was largely attended. A feature of the ball was the grand march, which was unique and pleasing.

—The Harrison lapel buttons the Republicans are wearing, are very pretty as well as prolific. But care should be taken that they are not worn upside down. No Sir Rah!

—The regular monthly meeting of "Gazelle" Engine Company No. 1, will be held in the Company's parlors on the evening of Wednesday, July 11, at eight o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

—The picnic of the Gesang and Turn Verein Society on the afternoon and evening of July 4, was a most enjoyable affair. A large number of persons were in attendance, and dancing was indulged in until a late hour.

—The Fourth of July has passed, and certain acts passed by the Legislature last Winter which deeply concern the public have gone into effect; among them the act in reference to vulgar literature. We call the attention of all newsdealers to this act, and trust that violations of it will receive prompt notice from citizens generally and from Prosecutors of the Pleas.

—The last sociable of the season, given under the auspices of the Ladies' Aid Society of the M. E. church will be held in Vincent chapel this evening. The series of sociables which the society has conducted during the Winter months, have all been of a high class order, and the entertainment for this evening will be no exception to the rule. The exercises will be in charge of the young men.

The Crescent Avenue Church Bell.

The new bell which is to swing in the belfry of the Crescent Avenue church arrived at the freight house this morning, and will be placed in position as soon as an expert at bell hanging arrives from the works. The new bell will probably be tested to-morrow afternoon. It was purchased from Meneely & Co., bell founders, of West Troy, New York, and weighs in all 2,400 pounds. It is said to be sweet in tone, and one of the finest in quality.

Transfers of Real Estate.

(From the Somerset Messenger.)

June 18—Julia B. and Chas. E. Austin to Adam Horn, lot in North Plainfield, $1, and exchange of property.

June 27—Mercy A. and Alex. Thorn to J. V. F. Ryerson, property in North Plainfield, $2,500. James P. Homan et ux. to J. V. F. Ryerson, property in North Plainfield, $400.

YESTERDAY'S STORM.

Much Damage Done in This Locality.

A water-spout burst over this city yesterday afternoon and caused considerable damage to crops and otherwise. For fully an hour the rain came down in torrents, and completely deluged the streets. An immense volume of water fell, inundating the low-lands and flooding many cellars. Particularly was this the case in the Eastern section of the city, where water flowed into many of the cellars. The sewers were inadequate to carry off the water, which backed up under the railroad bridge to a depth of several feet.

The storm was accompanied by vivid lightning and heavy peals of thunder. Lightning struck Westphal's barn on South 2d St., near Pond Tool Works, tearing off the door. A bolt of lightning entered the barn of Mr. W. B. Wadsworth on Park avenue, and knocked Henry Roach, the coachman, and a horse, down. A stove was also upset and a portion of the brick chimney demolished. Mr. Roach was standing on the barn floor when the shock came, and both himself and the horse were rendered unconscious.

Too small a gutter on the Shaw building caused a large quantity of water to accumulate on the roof, and this found its way into Mr. F. C. Langhorne's photographic studio, completely flooding the place. Mr. Langhorne told a PRESS reporter that $1,000 would not cover the loss he sustained by water, as many of his negatives were destroyed. The water ran through to Mr. R. J. Shaw's drug store and damaged his stock to the extent of about $100. The windows facing the street in the Y. M. C. A., rooms were open all through the storm, and the rooms were thoroughly saturated with water.

Other reports of the damage done by the storm continue to pour in from various parts of the city, but most of them are slight.

A Plainfield Prisoner Pardoned.

The Court of Pardons met at Trenton yesterday, and granted a pardon to John Hogan of this city. Hogan it will be remembered was one of the young men alleged to have been implicated in the assault upon Thomas Nowlan, a plumber in the employ of Mr. D. W. Littell, near Campbell's Club House, a few months ago. Through the instrumentality of Mr. Littell he was arrested with four or five other young men, tried jointly at New Brunswick, convicted, and sentenced by Judge Cowenhóven to two years in State Prison.

At the time the sentence was considered very unjust, and an effort was at once made to effect the prisoner's release. THE PRESS had information fully six weeks ago that Hogan would be pardoned early in July. Gen Fay of Elizabeth interested himself in the case, which resulted in Hogan being pardoned yesterday.

Their Individual Merits.

The following record of the season's work, as done individually by the members of the Y. M. C. A., Crescent nine, will be interesting. The table below is made up to date, including the two games of the Fourth.

For the information of those uninitiated into the science of base ball, we would explain the meaning of the columns in their order, thus: at bat, runs, base hits, put out, assisted, errors, batting percentage:

	ab	*r*	*bh*	*po*	*a*	*e*	*b.p*
Dilts	35	8	12	21	20	11	.343
G. Cadmus	42	16	14	56	14	9	.334
Lee	50	13	16	24	20	9	.320
Doane	42	14	12	6	7	7	.286
McCutchen	25	5	7	16	17	11	.280
McMurray	54	17	14	96	6	14	.259
Cornwell	39	10	9	2	14	8	.231
Demarest	52	14	11	15	7	7	.211
W. Cadmus	42	5	7	9	78	14	.167
Murray	53	13	6	10	1	8	.113

WESTFIELD.

(The PRESS is for sale by W. W. French.)

Charley Saulter is confined to his house with a severe attack of dysentery.

Mr. William Alpers was presented by his wife with a ten-pound girl, on Sunday morning.

Overseer Orrin Pierson is putting down a new sidewalk from the corner of Broad and Prospect streets, which is a long-needed improvement.

At the regular meeting of the Sons of Temperance, Monday evening, the installation of officers for the ensuing quarter took place. A number of visiting members were present from Elizabeth and Roselle. After the business meeting the visitors and members repaired to Godshalk's iced cream parlors, where they were treated to cream and cake by Worthy Patriarch, Aaron B. Clark.

The Monmouth Park Races.

Monmouth Park meetings will be unusually interesting this season. The will be six or seven races each day, beginning at 2:30 P. M. The dates of the meetings are as follows:

First Summer Meeting—Thursday, 5th; Saturday, 7th; Tuesday, 10th; Thursday, 12th.

Mid-Summer Meeting—Saturday, July 14th; Tuesday, 17th; Thursday, 19th; Saturday, 21st; Tuesday, 24th; Thursday, 26th; Saturday, 28th; Tuesday, 31st; Thursday, Aug. 2d; Saturday, 4th; Tuesday, 7th; Thursday, 9th.

Second Summer Meeting—Saturday, Aug. 11th; Tuesday, 14th; Thursday, 16th; Saturday, 18th; Tuesday, 21st; Thursday, 23d, Saturday, 25th; Tuesday, 28th.

—The bridges spanning a ditch in Gaylord's lumber yards on South avenue, had to be anchored yesterday during the shower. The ditch filled with water and overflowed, forming a pool in the yard about two feet deep.

DICKENS' SPRINGS.

This Once Famous Summer Resort About to be Resurrected—A Visit to the Delightful Spot.

A PRESS reporter accepted an invitation a few days ago, to visit the once famous Dickens' Springs, about a mile west of the Dunellen depot, on the road leading to Bound Brook. The place although somewhat run down for a year or so past is to be resurrected, and put in good shape again.

The property includes 42 acres of ground, most of which is suitable for cultivation. It was purchased by Mr. A. C. Dickens from Dr. Niell of Harlem about twelve years ago, at a cost of $20,000. Mr. Dickens developed the land, and spent a generous amount, about $50,000 of money, in beautifying the same. About four years ago, reverses in business compelled Mr. Dickens to part with the land, and it passed into the hands of Messrs. Coudert Bros., of New York, under a foreclosure.

The land is beautifully located, and is laid out with walks and driveways. The dwelling contains about twenty rooms, and is equipped with all the modern conveniences. A recent coat of paint has added to its attractiveness. The barn is likewise complete in construction, and is so arranged as to offer every facility for the health and accommodation of stock.

About one thousand apple, pear, plum, quince and cherry trees furnishes an abundance of fruit, all of which are in bearing order. Besides the facilities offered as a Summer residence place, including boating, bathing and fishing, it is a most delightful place for picnic and private parties, the grounds being equipped with Summer houses, rustic benches, etc.

The most notable thing about the place, however, is the springs, six in number. The waters of the springs contain magnesia, sulphur, lithia, iron, silica, sulphate, salts, etc. There are four of the springs housed in, whose waters are an invaluable remedy for dyspepsia. These springs are most favorably located and surrounded by a country unsurpassed for scenery, purity of water, purity of air, and in full view East and West of the Blue Ridge mountains. No stranger can visit the place without being impressed with the agreeableness of its surroundings, and its advantages.

Messrs. Coudert Bros., cannot give the necessary attention to the place, and are anxious to dispose of it. Any information concerning the matter will be cheerfully furnished upon application to Mr. W. S. Stevens, at Dunellen, or Mr. A. P. Miller, 61 North avenue, Plainfield.

Hope Chapel Invites its Friends to the Sea Shore.

It was voted as told in THE PRESS at the time, that the Crescent Avenue Sunday school should have no excursion this Summer, principally because they could not afford it, and were not able to stand the expense of taking the members of Bethel and Hope chapels with them.

Such action, however, did not interfere with the pleasure of the Hope Chapel people in the least. They arranged an excursion to Asbury Park for themselves, and will heap coals-of-fire on the heads of the Crescent Avenue folks by extending the latter an invitation to go along with them.

The Hope Chapelites have issued a card to the following effect, which should meet with hearty response and financial support:

Hope Chapel has arranged for an excursion to Asbury Park on July 20. To insure us against a deficiency we must induce as many of our friends in the Crescent avenue church to accompany us as possible. Inasmuch as the Home School have decided not to have an excursion this year, the teachers at Hope Chapel would be *pleased to have yourself and family arrange* your plans to accompany us. Cars will be provided to accommodate all who desire to spend a day at the sea shore, and we anticipate a pleasant time.

Gov. Green's House on Fire.

The fine mansion of Gov. Green, at Elizabeth, had a narrow escape from destruction Fourth of July night. The Governor's family and some friends were amusing themselves by setting off fire-balloons in the garden. One of the balloons burst directly over the house and the blazing fragments fell unnoticed on the roof. Some time afterwards the Governor's servant discovered the roof on fire. An alarm was given and a couple of men ascending to the roof, succeeded in putting out the blaze with several pails of water.

The Same Old Story.

William Hammond, a thirteen-year-old lad residing on West Second street, started out to celebrate the Fourth Wednesday morning, with a bunch of fire crackers and a half-pound of powder. Sparks from a lighted firecracker set fire to the powder, and as a result the boy's hair and hat were burned from his head, his eyes were entirely closed, and his face terribly discolored, to say nothing of the less dangerous burns on his hands and legs. Dr. Jenkins, the attending physician, says he cannot yet state the extent of his injuries.

Trains For the Races.

The Central Railroad of New Jersey has adopted the following race-train schedule for the season: Trains leave foot of Liberty street every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday after July 4 at 8:15, 9:30 and 11:15 A. M., 12:15, 12:45, 1:00 and 1:30 P. M. The 1 o'clock train will be run as a special limited, and the 1:30 will be a solid train of Woodruff drawing-room parlor cars. From Pier 8, by boat and rail, boats will leave at 8, 9 and 11 A. M., 12:15 and 1 P. M.

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Not Alcohol—which one may avoid—but BRASS AND LEAD which one takes unsuspectingly. "How—When—Where?" Well, say, in a glass of Soda. Pity the most popular and wholesome of all artificial drinks—which Soda honestly is—should ever deserve a touch of suspicion, but

THE FROZEN TRUTH

is that in some Soda Fountains economy and mechanical facility are studied to the neglect of the weightier matter of purity. Some men are too "smart;" some Soda Fountains are too "ingenious."

We have recently had made a Fountain which secures Absolute Purity *for the beverages. Rather pretty, too, we think. We selected the "Matthews' make" because it is the only fount in which the syrups have positively no metallic contact, being discharged direct from glass jars into the tumblers—no tubes; while the waters are contained in and flow through solid block tin,*

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Come and try the new Fountain; if you like your drink we'll thank you or saying so, and you'll pay us five cents and come again—it will do you good; only don't come Sundays; no use—Fountain WON'T WORK.

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ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

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WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

WILL the party who took a pair of Gold Eye-Glasses from the fire yesterday, please return them to Mrs. Scheidecker?

FOR SALE—Very cheap, and on easy terms, or to let, nine-room French roof house. Apply Aug. VanDeventer. 6-7-eod-tf

LOST—An Oxford Tie Slipper. Finder please return to 32 Washington street, or call and get the other one.

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

FOR SALE—A valuable (black) road mare, 5 years old, 15½ hands high. Sound and kind. Can be driven by any one. Sold reasonable. Asa Niece, 712 Mercer street, Phillipsburgh, N. J. 6-28-w

FOR SALE—Cheap, Village Cart, nearly new. Apply at Day's Stables, North ave. 6-29-w

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

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THE FOURTH AT BERGEN POINT.

Regatta and Bicycle Races Under the Auspices of the New Jersey Athletic Club.

There was a large attendance on the grounds of the New Jersey Athletic Club at Bergen Point, on the Fourth, to witness the regatta on the bay at 10:30 A. M., bicycle races at 1:30 P. M., and at 4 P. M., a base ball match.

The bicycle one-mile novice race was won by M. F. Pendleton of the N. J. A. C., in 3:33 2-5. M. P. VanBuren of this city, won his heat, and in the final made a hard fight to win, but the winner's pace was too fast.

The two-mile handicap was won by G. W. Kreger of the Long Island Wheelmen, in 6:19 3-5, with 130 yards start.

The two-mile novice race by W. E. Eldredge, Hudson County Wheelmen, in 7:24 2-5.

The one-mile handicap by G.W. Kreger, in 3:00 4-5.

The consolation race, one mile, by C. E. Kluge, Hudson County Wheelmen.

The one-mile N. J. A. C. championship, by W. H. Caldwell, in 7:24 2-5.

R. C. Annett and E. O. Schuyler came in first in the pair-oared shells, and Messrs. Ayre, J. P. Munn, W. D. Morgan, A. N. Lukens and W. D. Voorhees, coxswain, were victorious in a four-oared barge, after an exciting and well-rowed race.

Plainfield was well represented in the regatta, the following residents, members of the Club, having taken part: Messrs. H. W. Beebe, J. P. Munn, W. D. Morgan, John N. Moore, G. Walz and G. P. Mellick.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck returned from West Ghent, N. Y., last evening.

Mr. F. H. Martin and family, of North Plainfield, are Summering at Schooley's Mountain.

Mr. Smith of New Haven, who has been spending a few days with Miss Kate Potter, returned home today.

Mr. Ed. J. Donnelly, formerly Mr. R. J. Shaw's clerk, and friend, M. E. Nicholson, are visiting friends in North Plainfield.

Mr. C. E. Boss, Principal of the North Plainfield schools, and Mrs. Boss, left yesterday for their customary vacation at Smyrna, N. Y.

Mr. Clarence Pell, a former resident here, but for several months past a resident in the South, has returned to Plainfield on a visit.

Mr. Salmon C. Baker returned today from Cape Cod where he had been spending the Fourth with his wife. Mrs. Baker will remain some time longer.

Mr. Joseph Swope, an employe in the mint at Philadelphia, a Democrat of considerable note, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. C. F. Debele of North Plainfield.

Councilman Dunham is the agent in this city for the American Insurance Co., of Newark, and a number of other good companies of fire underwriters. His office is located with City Clerk Leonard.

Miss Edith Rue of Philadelphia, is visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Day on Rockview avenue, North Plainfield. Miss Rue, who is a niece of Mrs. Day, is arranging for a lawn fair, to be given next week, the proceeds of which will be contributed to the Fresh Air Fund.

Mr. B. Fosgate of this city, is the architect of Mr. P. Traynor's new building at Westfield, now in course of construction. It is 34 feet front, by 60 feet deep, three stories of pressed brick, and will have plate-glass windows. When completed it will be a substantial ornament that Westfielders may justly be proud of.

Assemblyman Ulrich, Justice V.W. Nash, Mr. R. F. Huntsman and the writer spent the day on Tuesday, upon invitation of Assemblyman Ulrich, fishing at Lake Hopatcong. The trip to this famous fishing ground, is through a wild and picturesque country, which bids fair to rival and usurp from Mauch Chunk and Glen Onoko their title of "The Switzerland of America." The fishing at the lake was admirable, and the party returned on Tuesday evening with an abundance of fish and sun-burn.

Mr. L. T. Austin of South St. Louis, Mo., is the guest of Mr. J. C. Runyon of Arlington avenue. Mr. Austin is absent from home on a secret mission, and expects to prolong his stay for about three months. He will sail for Glasgow, Scotland, to-morrow, per steamer, "Etheida" of the Anchor line. Mr. Austin is but one of the many persons who are captivated with our beautiful little city. He says he has travelled through most of the States in the Union, but has never before been so favorably impressed with any city as he is with this as residence place. Here, he says, there is an absence of rowdyism, and the climate is cool and invigorating. Mr. Austin also says that during his stay in this city he has not seen a drunken man on the streets.

Fire at Westfield.

A fire occurred at about 12:45 o'clock this morning, in the rear of William W. French's cigar and news store, at Westfield. An alarm was promptly given and the firemen responded with their apparatus promptly. The fire had gained considerable headway, owing to the construction of the building of light material. The entire contents of the store was destroyed, and the roof and interior of the building were also burned. Mr. French had an insurance on his stock of $200 which will probably cover his loss. The building belonged to Robert Woodruff, Jr., and was insured for $150. Both policies are in the American Fire Insurance Company of Philadelphia, through the agency of John M. C. Marsh, Esq.

Religious Papers on Pending Issues.

The *Christian Union*, in a well-considered article on "The Political Issue," points out the folly of the Republican policy, which, in the face of a surplus of $125,000,000 and its annual increase of $60,000,000, fails to provide against the menace of hopeless bankruptcy to the country induced by the accumulation in the Treasury vaults of money which commerce needs. It thus places in parallel columns the contrasting propositions of the Republican and Democratic platforms.

	Rep.	Dem.
Tax on tobacco	Abolish	Modify,
Tax on alcohol	Reduce or abolish.	Retain.
Tax on raw materials	Retain	Abolish.
Tax on necessaries	Retain.	Reduce.
Tax on luxuries	Retain.	Retain.
Object of tax	Protection.	Revenue.
Expenditures	Liberal.	Economical.

We know of no fairer or more powerful argument than that expressed by this little table. Nor is there any stronger comment to be made upon it than that expressed by the *Christian Union* itself, in the following terms:

We believe that it has vital relations to the future of our country. We believe that the coming election will be likely to settle the trend of national life for some years to come. Nor have we any wish to conceal our personal predilections and prejudices. They are in favor of economical expenditures and a lowered tariff.

It is hard to see how any fair-minded man can conscientiously consider the issue thus clearly made without favoring the conclusion of our religious contemporary.

The Chicago *Standard* and the *Advance* likewise publish editorials expressing the indignation of the moral sense of the country against the Republican platform, and especially the "free whisky" resolution. The immoral course of the "party of moral ideas" respecting finance as well as regarding temperance properly evokes the reprobation of religious journals on whose support it has heretofore relied.

DUNELLEN NEWS.

The M. E. church festival on the lawn adjoining the depot, on Wednesday afternoon and evening was most successfully conducted, and the receipts were large. The lawn was very prettily decorated, and the brilliant light from variegated lanterns formed a pleasing contrast with the dark foliage on the trees. There was an absence of orchestral music, but this did not mar the pleasure of the day.

Mr. Charles W. Oley and bride (*nee* Miss Theodora Wilcox) have returned from their wedding tour, and will make Dunellen their residence place.

Several private and elaborate displays of fireworks were made by the residents on the Fourth, one of the most attractive being by Mr. G. W. Churchill. The lawn in front of his residence was brilliantly illuminated with Chinese lanterns, etc., and the pyrotechnic display was grand.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schepflin gave a musical party to a select few of their friends on the Fourth. The entertainment was thoroughly refined and first-class in every particular. The guests were royally entertained by the host and hostess.

A temperance elocutionary contest will be held in the Presbyterian church on Thursday evening of next week. Gold and silver medals will be offered as prizes by Mr. Demarest of New York, for those who possess the greatest elocutionary abilities. Mrs. G. F. Opdyke of Plainfield, will be one of the judges.

Union County Republican Headquarters.

The following invitation has been sent out to the Republicans of Union county:

REPUBLICAN HEADQUARTERS.
ELIZABETH, N. J., July 2d, 1888.

Republicans of Union County:

You are cordially invited to attend the opening of the Republican headquarters of Union county, corner Broad and East Grand streets, Elizabeth, on Friday, July 6th, from 7 to 10 P. M. Having jointly secured for the campaign one of the largest and best halls in the city, and established a Republican headquarters superior to anything heretofore had in the county, we earnestly desire every Republican to attend the formal opening, and also to feel a personal interest in it throughout the campaign. It is open to all Republicans.

The invitation is signed by the Union County Republican League, the F. A. Potts Republican Club, the Elizabeth City Central Committee, and the Union County Executive Committee.

Settling the Estates of the Deceased.

At the Surrogate's office at Somerville, we learn by the *Messenger*, on June 12 the will of Phebe S. Vail of North Plainfield, was proved, with A. R. and E. R. Vail, executors. Letters of administration were granted on June 19 to D. DeWitt Brokaw, upon the estate of the late Alex. H. Milne.

—Some miscreant embezzled a pair of gold eye-glasses, belonging to Mrs. Scheidecker, while her residence on Church street, was on fire yesterday. The person who took them is asked to return them in an advertisement elsewhere.

Happiness and Health

Are important problems, the former depending greatly on the latter. Every one is familiar with the healthy properties of fruit, and no one can afford to be sick and miserable while the pleasant California concentrated liquid fruit remedy, Syrup of Figs, may be had of our enterprising druggists. For sale in 50 cts and $1.00 bottles by Field & Randolph.

Disturbance of the Heart.

Heart disease is like an assassin, which creeps upon you in the dark, and strikes you when unaware. Therefore, do not overlook any uneasiness in the region of the heart or disturbance in its action, but at once take DR. FLINT'S REMEDY. Descriptive treatise with each bottle. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

NEW JERSEY HAS A TORNADO.

A LIVELY CYCLONE COMES DOWN UPON NEW BRUNSWICK.

It Blows Down a Round House and Buries Three Persons in the Debris—A Dwelling House Completely Destroyed. One Death Reported—The Storm Elsewhere.

NEW BRUNSWICK, July 6.—A tornado struck New Brunswick yesterday afternoon at 1.15 o'clock. Loose boxes, rubbish, and outbuildings were caught by the wind and tossed about like bandboxes, windows were broken by the hail, the streets were flooded, several houses were struck by lightning, trees were uprooted, and one was deposited on top of a house on Schureman street. The residence of Jacob Plumly at Huff's farm, near Millstone, was blown down, and Plumly and two men were burried in the ruins. He is reported killed and one of the other men is badly injured.

The frieght depot at Voorhees Station was blown down and so was the round house at Millstone. In the house at the time were two young men and a boy, James Barry, Hugh Garrigan, and John White, a young son of Robert White, none of whom are employees at the place. They were buried under the ruins, and all were badly hurt. Garrigan had an arm and leg broken, and White had a leg broken. Barry received severe bruises but no serious injuries, and after a while he was able to walk arround and render assistance in getting the others out of the ruins. Word was immediately sent to the depot and men were sent out to the scene of the disaster with a locomotive and caboose. The man and boy who had been injured were placed on this and brought from the Mill run yard to town. Telegraph poles are down south of New Brunswick, and communication cannot be obtained. The Telephone Exchange is burned out. The switchboard was set on fire.

ASBURY PARK, N. J., July 6.—During a terrible storm here yesterday afternoon the new Roman Catholic Church was blown down. The edifice was enclosed and ready for plastering.

SCRANTON, July 6.—The severest wind, hail, rain, thunder, and lightning storm experienced in this city for years prevailed yesterday afternoon. Bartholomew Reagen and John Armstrong were struck by lightning and killed. The rain fell in torrents, choking the sewers ann flooding the streets and cellars to the depth of several feet in many paris of the city. One horse fell a victim to the lightning.

CHICAGO, July 6.—The almost total paralysis of the telegraph service west of Chicago, yesterday, indicates apparently that the storms of the past few days, culminating Wednesday, were the most widespread and severe in a number of years. A great network of wires covers the territory stretching to the Rocky Mountains, but so few of the hundreds of lines running in all directions are this morning in anything like a workable condition that business with points west of here is comparatively at a standstill. The winds and rains that began sweeping over the West Saturday had until last night apparently confined their worse effects to the territory close to this city. Yesterday the Western Union had virtually remedied the trouble, when last evening the storms seem to have broken out with redoubled fury and played havoc over the entire West.

Cruelty of a Jealous Dog.

WALLINGFORD, July 6.—A well-known resident of this place is the owner of a valuable bird dog, which is a great pet of the children of the family. A few days ago a smaller dog was brought home, and he was at once adopted by the children as a playmate, the older dog being for the time completely ignored, which caused a strong feeling of jealousy to grow up in his heart. Two or three days after the arrival of the newcomer the larger dog dug a deep hole in the ground, and, enticing his small companion to it, forced him in, and, when discovered, had nearly buried him alive. It must have taken the dog fully an hour to dig the hole, which was over a foot deep. But for the timely discovery he would have smothered his rival under the dirt.

Killed While Jumping from a Train.

ORANGE, N. J., July 6.—John Ganey, aged sixty-five years, of South Orange, attempted to jump from a moving train at the South Orange Depot this morning. He missed his footing and was thrown under the cars. His body was horribly mutilated and death was instantaneous. Ganey was a mason by trade and had just left his daughter on the train, bound on a days excursion, when the terrible accident occured.

Asleep on the Track.

WATERBURY, Conn., July 6.—A middle aged man named Love, a French wood-chopper, was killed on the Naugatuck road at Littlefield, at 10.30 o'clock last night, by Conductor Tuttle's special excursion train. He was lying on the track asleep.

May Be a Lockout.

ORANGE, N. J., July 6.—The hands in the manufacturing department of Austin, Drew & Co.'s hat shop, have made a demand for an increase of wages. The firm has advertised for new hands, and proposes "to fight it out on this line."

Baseball Games Played Thursday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT DETROIT.

New York	3	0	2	7	0	0	1	0	0	13
Detroit	0	0	10	1	5	0	0	2	0	18

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	1	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	4
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0	3

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	2
Washington	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	3

AT INDIANAPLOIS

Indianapolis	3	0	1	4	0	0	0	1	1	10
Boston	2	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	7

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	0	0	3	0	4	5	0	2	0	14
Brooklyn	0	5	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	7

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 6, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost
Chicago	38	18	St. Louis	37	17
Detroit	35	21	Brooklyn	41	20
New York	33	24	Athletic	35	21
Boston	33	27	Cincinnati	34	23
Philadelphia	28	27	Baltimore	27	30
Pittsburg	18	33	Cleveland	17	37
Indianapolis	19	36	Louisville	15	38
Washington	18	37	Kansas City	19	40

One Hundred Homes Desolate.

WARREN DEPOT, Penn., July 6.—Fire last night destroyed the village of Glade Run. Nearly every business place and forty houses were burned. Hundreds of people are left homeless.

Restrictions in Alsace-Lorraine.

PARIS, July 6.—It is reported that Germany is to adopt more stringent measures regarding French citizens in Alsace-Lorraine.

The King of Denmark to Travel.

COPENHAGEN, July 6.—King Christian will go to Wiesbaden at the end of the month.

Emperor William to Visit Vienna.

BERLIN, July 6.—Emperor William will visit Vienna in September.

Struck by a Waterspout.

NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., July 6.—A waterspout struck the headwaters of the Little Hickman River yesterday evening with a roar which was heard for miles. The flood swept everything before it. Peter Miller was washed off a bridge and drowned. Four residences were swept away. Loss $30,000.

Cashier Pitcher on Trial.

MONTREAL, July 6.—Detective Keller resumed testimony in the trial of teller Pitcher, of Providence, yesterday repeating the story of his capture and giving the facts regarding the purchase of the big draft on Paris.

Rumors of Cannibals Create a Panic.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 6.—The Jonrnal de Petersburg says that the disorders at Se-Oul in Corea were caused by reports that foreign cannibals had abducted native children. Order has been restored.

Fleeing the Other Way.

MONTREAL, July 6.—Charles Bonacina, cashier for James Weed, a cabinet maker, fled last night with $5,000. He was arrested at Rousas Point, N. Y., where he is held by United States authorities.

Emperor William Delighted.

BERLIN, July 6.—Emperor William inspected the Life Guards at Potsdam yesterday and was delighted with the manœuvres. The Order of Hohenzollen was bestowed on Colonel von Gulberg.

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It was noon in India. The sun shone calmly down upon a fearful tragedy.

In a bungalow crouched a terrified woman and child, the mother praying, and at intervals pausing to quiet her weeping little one; while stationed near the door, with loaded weapons and fierce determination upon their faces, three gentleman awaited the expected attack. One was Mr. Dudley, who for some time had been the resident of the bungalow, and the other two were neighbors.

Suddenly a horrible shout broke upon their ears, and rough hands battered down the frail timbers of the door, while from every side a dark cloud of Sepoys, with faces of fiends swarmed in.

"Present arms! Fire!"

A volley simultaneously rang from the three muskets, but before they had time to reload, the deadly gleam of steel flashed through the air.

"Oh, Harvey! my husband! they have killed him!" shrieked Mrs. Dudley, springing forward; but in another moment she, too, fell, with a glittering knife sheathed in her heart.

But not long did the swarthy beings, who, urged on by their greed and hatred of the white man, had been murdering and pillaging the innocent inhabitants for miles around, continue the work of carnage.

A regiment of scarlet-coated men, rapidly riding as they had been ever since the news of the Sepoy insurrection had reached their ears, drew near, and, surrounded the bungalow on all sides. When they saw that they were entrapped, the Sepoys, with cries of baffled rage, threw down their weapons and submitted to the force of strength superior to their own.

Suddenly a child's cry vibrated through the air.

"Papa! Mamma! Oh, speak to little Lola!"

It was the little girl, who, terrified to unconsciousness, had been overlooked in the murderous work, and who had just awakened to her peril.

With a spring a Sepoy near the spot grasped her by her floating hair and raised his knife, which he had succeeded in keeping concealed.

But the next instant his hand was struck from the wrist, and the child was caught against a manly breast—saved!—the only one left of all the family who had so lately been in possession of everything that makes life happy.

As the little one looked up into the face of her deliverer, her blue eyes rested upon his features with a long penetrating gaze, strange in one so young; then her lips quivered:

"I want papa, and my dear, dear mamma."

"What is your papa's name?"

"Dudley—Harvey Dudley. Oh, take little Lola to him!"

A deep red tinged the soldier's bronzed cheek. Still holding her in his arms he carried her to his commanding officer.

Colonel Le Moyne paused in his work of overseeing the menacing and guarding the sullen cowardly horde.

"Thank God!" he exclaimed fervently, "that some living thing has escaped this dastardly outrage! To whom does the child belong?"

"Her father and mother are dead; but I know who her relatives are," the soldier respectfully replied.

So the little orphaned Lola was taken in charge by the kindly colonel, and during her stay in the garrison the soldiers won her from her grief.

Happily childish sorrows are not long-lived.

For one, the man who had snatched her from the jaws of death, she seemed to have conceived a passionate affection.

When the colonel obtained leave of absence to take his charge to England to her relatives, for the first time the manly soldier, to whom the ties of love had long been a stranger, felt what a blank his days would be when the fair golden-haired darling who owed to him her sweet young life should be gone.

Glad and grateful was the grey-haired man who received Lola from Colonel Le Moyne's hands, and many were the expressions of thanks he gave him for all his kind care.

"You tell me that a young soldier saved her life?" he said as they parted. "Take him an old man's blessing. Now that her parents are dead this child is all I have to live for. Her father was my adopted son—a noble fellow, and very dear to me."

Colonel Le Moyne put back the check which, with the above words, Mr. Dudley had offered him.

"No, sir; do not send him money. I have known Charles Graham ever since a mere youth, he entered my regiment, and he would not accept it."

"Then give him this."

Mr. Dudley drew from his finger an emerald set in a plain heavy bar of gold.

"Ask him to accept it in the spirit in which it is given.

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Ten years had passed since the terrible mutiny in India.

In an elegant library, furnished with that rich simplicity which unmistakably proclaims taste and refinement, before a glowing grate fire, a beautiful girl of about seventeen was seated.

Leaning back in her crimson easy-chair, she was evidently in deep thought, when the door opened and a stately old gentleman entered.

"Dear grandpa, how long you have been in coming!"

"Have you not taken dinner yet, Lola? Surely you have not waited all this lonely time for me?"

A conscious flush crimsoned the delicate cheek uplifted for his caress.

"I haven't been lonely, grandpa. Mr. Fane has just gone. I wanted him to wait to see you, but he had an important engagement."

Old Mr. Dudley, after a keen look into the blushing face, drew the girl to him.

"Ah, he has been in a great hurry. Only this morning he asked my permission to address you, and—the very same day——"

"He told me he had your approval, dear grandpa."

"And someone gave him her approval too—eh?" patting the little hand on which blazed a betrothal ring. "Well, darling, I hope you will be happy. I like Arthur Fane right well."

Six months rolled by, and into Lola's happy life had come a vague unrest. As she saw Mr. Fane in the near intimacy which their relations allowed, she became aware of something wanting in her hero.

He was just as handsome as ever, it was true, with his dark eyes and hair, and erect elegant figure; but Lola began, dimly at first, and then more clearly, to see that, under that polished exterior all was not as noble and refined as she had thought. But with her grandfather Mr. Fane was a great favorite, and Lola silenced her conscience, which was already telling her that not to such a one could she give her whole heart, by thinking that she had pledged her word, and that if she broke her engagement now she would lay herself open to the hateful charge of being a coquette. So the time passed.

One afternoon, Lola, radiant in a delicate party costume of azure silk, entered the library for her grandfather's inspection.

As Mr. Dudley wrapped her graceful figure closer in her fleecy cloak before handing her into the carriage, he might well be pardoned his look of fond pride, for seldom did eyes rest upon a more beautiful face and form than Lola Dudley's.

The carriage rolled swiftly through the streets, but just before it reached its destination a crowd gathered around a prostrate object had attracted Lola's attention. Leaning out she saw the figure of a man lying upon the pavement. Signalling to the coachman to stop, she directed him to go and see what was the matter.

He returned in a moment and told her that it was a gentleman who had fallen in a dead faint, and that a card had just been found in his pocket with an address supposed to be his.

From her position Lola could see the still wan face. Acting from a sudden impulse she directed her wondering servant (who, had he dared, would have remonstrated) to have the unconscious man placed in her carriage and driven to his home. He was carefully lifted in amongst the luxurious cushions, and Richard turned the horses' heads in the direction the card indicated.

They stopped before a house in a poor but respectable street, and Richard, with a perceptible curl of his lip at the "low neighborhood," as he teemed it in his mind, came to the carriage-door.

"Find someone to help you as soon as you can, Richard, and have this poor gentleman taken to his room. I will go with you into the house."

The landlady was by this time at the door.

"This way," she said, comprehending the situation; "here's his room. Poor young gentleman! He's been that bad for a long time. I told him he hadn't ought to stir out in the street, least one day his faints should overtake him."

During her ride Lola had discovered, to her unspeakable surprise, that the wan face belonged to the deliverer whom she had never forgotton since, a child of nine, she had clung about his neck in an agony of grief at parting.

Unchanged in all these years, save that the bronze of sturdy out-door life was replaced by the pallor of sickness, it was easy to recognize Charles Graham.

She did not go to the reception, but driving directly home, told her grandfather all that had happened.

The next day old Mr. Dudley, accompanied by Lola, set out to visit the sick man, whose services in the past they hoped now to be able to repay.

It was a plain little room into which they were ushered, but very neat and comfortable, and the occupant's pale face lit up with a smile as he saw Lola.

"Oh, you are the lady who so kindly brought me home. Let me thank you."

Just then a sudden cry interrupted his words, and covering his face with his hands, as if to ward off some unexpected blow, Mr. Dudley shrank backward.

At sight of the old man's agitation, the invalid started up in strange excitement.

Lola looked on wonderingly. What could it mean?

"Father—father! can it indeed be you?—come to forgive your erring son—to take him back to your heart!"

The old man trembled. Then, kneeling by the bed, he bowed his gray head, and as the tears furrowed their way down his cheeks, he exclaimed brokenly:

"Graham, my son, is it thus I find you, whom for long years I have thought of as one dead to me for ever? You ask me to forgive you. It is I who should be forgiven—the unnatural father who drove his son from his home by his sternness, refusing his plea for pardon, adopted another in his place."

So Lola learned (after they remembered her existence) that Graham Dudley was Mr. Dudley's only son.

When a mere youth of eighteen he had grievously displeased his father, who, in his anger, had commanded him to leave home and never let him see his face again.

Two years later, repenting his willful conduct, he had returned to sue for pardon, only to be repulsed, and to find that his stern father had adopted as his heir a young nephew. Stung by his rejection he had then gone to India, leaving no clue to his whereabouts.

Thus, had it not been for the child he had saved—who he even knew then was the daughter of the one who had usurped his place—the long-estranged father and son might never have met again.

Becoming sick in India with a fever, he had been obliged to leave his regiment, and then feeling that his life was not to be a long one, his heart turned to his native land. With his slender stock of money he had taken the modest lodgings in which they found him, and there patiently awaited the coming of the dread foe.

Mr. Dudley had his son removed to his own home as soon as his health permitted, and there, under Lola's tender nursing and father's solicitous care, Graham Dudley gradually regained his health.

Though her new-found cousin was fully twice her age, Lola soon grew to know that she was never happier than when by his side, listening to his soldierly reminiscences, or reading aloud to him some interesting book.

A month had passed since Graham's first coming home, and all that time Lola had not seen Mr. Fane, as he was away travelling on business; but now he wrote to Lola that she might look for him very soon.

The day came for his arrival, and as he entered the drawing-room where Lola was awaiting him, a change in his demeanor was very apparent.

A sudden thought entered the girl's mind.

Could it be that he had heard of her grandfather's finding his lost son, and that the knowledge that she was no longer an heiress had caused this change? She determined to learn the truth, and looking into his face with her earnest eyes, she said:

"Mr. Fane, have you heard the glad news of the return to his home and fortune of my adopted grandfather's only son?"

"Then it is so?" the young man stammered, looking very red and confused. "I had heard, but I hardly believed it."

"Yes, it is true."

"Then; Miss Lola, much as it will wound my feelings, I must not, for mere selfish considerations, allow you to remain bound to a poor man. It would be years before I could afford to marry, and——"

He did not finish his sentence, for, with the dignity of a queen, Lola, in a few brief words, gave him back his freedom. She saw that the instinctive feeling of distrust that had led her to suspect that his face was not the index of as fair a heart had been well grounded.

Half an hour later the library door opened, and a little figure stole in and hid her face upon her grandfather's shoulder.

"Where is Mr. Fane, dear? Is he not going to join us?"

Then Lola told her story.

"The scoundrel!" indignantly exclaimed the old gentleman; "to play fast and loose with my girl's happiness! And I thought him a prince among his fellows, while all the time he was a mercenary heiress-hunter. But what is this?" as Lola lifted her face all unclouded by the tears which he expected to see. Then Lola confessed that for some time she had known she did not love Arthur Fane, but had shrunk from breaking her plighted word.

For a long period the knowledge of Lola's engagement had been a source of secret pain to Graham Dudley; but now that she was free it was no longer necessary for him to battle against or conceal the absorbing love which filled his heart.

A year passed, and then, summoning his courage, Graham asked Lola if she could love him—if only just a little—and give him hope that some day she would be his.

"Do I not owe to you my life, Graham?" Lola answered. "How, then, could I help being proud to devote it to your happiness?"

"But it is not your gratitude I crave, Lola."

Then, with her arms about his neck, Lola whispered softly: "I love you, Graham!"

HOW TO WIN A WIFE.

Personal Neatness, a Stout Heart, and Some Brain Will Captivate the Female Heart.

If men only knew how easy a thing it is to win a woman there would be no hearts locked up against them. In other words, any man who loves a girl can get her if he only goes about it in a scientific way. Wooing is an art. Impressions, no matter how favorable, must be strengthened by artful cultivation, for there is no such thing as love at first sight. Admiration may possess two persons, but immediate affection is out of the question. Let the man find out, if he can, wherein lies his charm, and the game is his; or, fascinated by a pair of pretty feet or twinkling eyes, dilate on these organs, and as sure as he has a tongue in his mouth and brains enough to operate it she is his. More women are won by judicious flattery than by any other means, for every woman is more or less vain and she is irresistibly drawn to the man who finds her weaknesses and handles them with skill. Let a woman once know that her hand is matchless, her eyebrows exquisitely penciled, or her voice melodious, and if a man will constantly remind her, and communicate the fact to a third party who will in turn carry the compliment to her ears, she is certain to have a fondness for him which may be fanned with now and then a bunch of flowers or a sachet of bonbons into ardent love. Make a girl's hair the talk of the club, get the set to admire the way she carries her head, have them try to count her teeth when she laughs because they are so pretty, and you can win her as easily as you can pull a boat down stream. If she hasn't a charm in the world, work on the abstract. It won't do to make fun of her, for no one knows better than she that a crooked nose like hers can't be beautiful; that her big ears are not shell-like, nor her parchment skin deserving of the adjective lovely. Women are not foolish, and girls are even less so, therefore have a care how you trifle with tender points. But the occult. She has the air of refinement; the atmosphere is rarefied by her presence; she has an honest face; though she squints there may be heaven's true blue in her eyes, or "a well of deep, unfathomable truths" in the snaky gray orbs. Nothing makes a woman wilt quicker than talk of this sort, for there is the satisfaction that comes from knowing "however latent beauty to the searcher is it is still self-evident."

In professing to despise presuming, jealous men and women belie themselves most extravagantly. All women are more or less sentimental, and sentiment has nothing to do with complacency. A man may do violence to his cause by evincing security, but let him hedge in a girl, intercept another fellow, waylay his favors, and he goes up several degrees in her estimation. She wants to be striven for, fought for if you like, and bled for if there is no other alternative. Talk about jealousy being repugnant, no woman ever loved a man violently whom she was not able to fire with a sting of the green-eyed monster. It is true that there is a demand for complacent, quiet, impassionate, easy-going, polite men. They are nice to have about a dry-goods counter or a Sabbath-school room; they make good conductors and ushers, but very poor lovers. It is the hot-headed, audacious, impulsive fellows who drive women to distraction and make havoc of hearts. The man who wouldn't kiss a woman when her eyes tell him to, who wouldn't squeeze her hand when she gives him a chance, is an idiot who is not likely to be bothered with a second opportunity.

While the modern girl is not on the hunt for heroes she will not put up with the milk-and-water men who go about with girl ways and girl wisdom. Love must be bold and—clean. Let a man keep himself in clean linen, keep nice hands, his breath sweet, wear good shoes and neat neckties, and, with an average amount of intelligence, and a judicious combination of flattery and devotion, he can win any woman in the world, who doesn't hate him for cause in the start. Men make a great mistake in their love-making when they attempt to meet a girl on her own ground. Such a plan rarely wins, for the reason that the sexes are drawn to and by the opposite. Proportionate to the aversion of a man for the hoyden and the strong-minded woman in woman's antipathy to the womanish lover or the Miss Nancy who never does anything rude. The real woman has too much mercury in her nature to wed a man who won't squeeze her hand in a lovable way when she gives him the chance, or who can't reel off a string of oaths or deal a knock-down blow to the loafer on the car or the sidewalk, who falls against her. Women love manly men and idolize cleanliness. A parting word to the faint heart—keep your mouth in good shape. Keep your teeth clean, your breath free from onions, liquor, and tobacco, and don't wear a beard. A chin clad in long, crisp, wiry, rust-colored hair may be well enough at 45 to amuse the children, lessen the expense for neckwear, and take the place of a chest-protector, but to a sweet, pretty girl who is just beginning "love's young dreams" there isn't the least bit of romance about it. It has a disagreeable, scratchy look about it, and, like the back-alley cat, moults in a way that is unpleasant. Ask your sister and the girls in her set about it; ask your mother how she regarded the matter at 18, and you will hear nothing but objections to the wiry thing.

Good looks cut a small figure in love-making, and lucre plays no part at all in youth. People have to get old before they become sordid, and then love has taken wings. A man may have a voice like an unhinged barn door, a nose like a cucumber, a foot like a fiddle-box, hands like hams, teeth like a step-ladder, eyes like a jay's, and a mouth like a cellar-door, and if he sues judiciously no arrows of misfortune can keep the wreath from his brow, provided he keeps clean-shaven, clean linen, and a clean mouth. He may be attenuated to the very verge of emaciation, or be elephantine in movements and dimensions, but perfumed with the scent of fresh linen and possessed of wit enough to use his tongue, he may win any woman whom he studies with care.

By way of caution, don't let a girl get the upper hand of you. It is time enough to let her rule when you are married, but if you want to succeed with your suit keep the reins in your own hands; be tenacious, stubborn if you like, and she will value you just a hundred per cent. above par. Women have an intense admiration for power and authority. They like to feel that there is iron under the velvet glove. Bad managers themselves, and worse fighters, they want to feel that there is a strong right arm between them and the world, which feeling never comes to a woman when she is allowed to mold the man she loves to every whim and caprice. Look at the justice of a request and stick to it in spite of remonstrance, yielding only when the issue is trivial.

Three things excite love, says Moelmud—a present, a courtship, and a kiss. Let your gifts be few and simple. Don't try to buy love, for it is not to be had in that way. Let your courtship be, like your kisses, brief, so as not to intrench on the joys of married life.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00 m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.33, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23, p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a. m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.38, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.48, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.13, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 9.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.25, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6 58, 9 24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton, 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45*, 6.02*, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.39, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA

Ninth and Green streets, 7.30*, 8.30*, 9.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 5.30, 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 9.05, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.25, 8.00*, 9.00**, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.25, 6.05, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.18, p. m.

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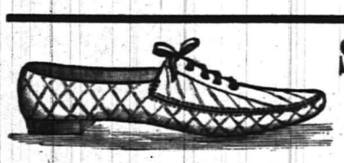

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SHERIDAN IN NEW YORK BAY.

ANCHORED OFF BEDLOE'S ISLAND ON THE SWATARA.

The Dispatch Boat Atlantic Carries Gen. Schofield Alongside—Mrs. Sheridan Delighted With the Effects of the Voyage—The Doctors' Bulletin More Hopeful Than Any Yet Given Out.

NEW YORK, July 7.—The United States ship Swatara arrived in port at 8.15 last evening with General Sheridan on board and immediately dropped anchor off Bedloe's Island for the night. General Sheridan received word from Long Branch at 4.40 P. M. that the Swatara had left there and would arrive in the vicinity of Governor's Island about 8 o'clock.

At 8.10 he boarded the United States dispatch boat Atlantic, commanded by Captain Loring, accompanied by his aid-de-camp, Lieutenant Sawer and Gen. Tompkins, Chief Quartermaster.

The Atlantic came alongside of the Swatara a few moments after she had dropped her anchor. General Schofield hailed the ship, and was answered by her commander, Captain McGown.

"How is the General?" hastily inquired General Schofield of Captain McGown as the Atlantic drew nearer the Swatara.

"He is considerably improved to-day, general," replied the captain in a cheery voice.

Just at that moment Mrs. Sheridan appeared on deck, accompanied by her brother-in-law, Colonel M. V. Sheridan, and requested General Scofield to come on board, an invitation which he availed himself of at once.

"I trust the general is much improved," said General Schofield, as he took Mrs. Sheridan's hand.

"He is much better, general," she replied.

"I had grave doubts when we were at Delaware breakwater if the general would be able to pull through. He is a very sick man, and I shall not feel at ease until we reach our destination at Nonquitt."

Doctors O'Reilly and Yarrow, the attending physicians, seem very hopeful, and do not anticipate another relapse if the general is kept perfectly quiet.

"He takes very little nourisment in solid form as yet, and will not be able to do so for some time," said Doctor O'Reilly. "Milk is his principle diet. I have hopes that the generals's condition will be favorable enough to permit us to continue the journey as soon as possible. He has expressed a desire more than once to get to Nonquitt as quickly as possible. His pulse has been regular during the day and his respiration fairly good. His appetite is improving fast and assimilation is also very good.

The Swatara has made on an average about nine knots an hour from the Delaware Breakwater to New York, although she could have come up in much quicker time.

Colonel Sheridan, the Generals brother, thought that the crisis was passed and that as soon as Nonquitt was reached and his brother got on terra firma again he would pick up at once.

General Schofield ordered a quantity of milk and ice to be sent down to the Swatara at 5 o'clock yesterday morning, and also all the daily papers. The doctors issued the following bulletin at 8.30 last evening:

Gen. Sheridan slept more than usual during the day. His respiration is less interrupted, he coughs but little, expectorates well, and has a good pulse. He is interested in the details of the voyage, and is anxious to get to Nonquitt as soon as possible.

(Signed) DR. R. M. O'REILLY,
DR. H. C. YARROW.

The Swatara will remain at anchor off Liberty Island until high tide to-day, when she will proceed through the Sound to her destination.

Signing the Scale.

IRONTON, Ohio, July 7.—There are accessions daily to the list of manufacturers signing the Amalgamated scale. The Lawrence Iron Company yielded to-day, and work will be resumed by them immediately.

It is reported that the Jones & Loughlin works, in which B. F. Jones is interested, will sign in a day or two. If this proves true the lock-out will end, as all will give up the fight when Jones signs.

CINCINNATI, July 7.—The Newport Iron and Steel Works, employing 1,000 men, signed the scale last night,

Is He a Detective?

CHICAGO, Ills., July 7:—Two brotherhood men from Creston, Iowa, who called on Chairman Hoge at the National Hotel yesterday are of the opinion that the man Bowles, arrested in connection with the dynamite plot against the "Q" road, was a Pinkerton operative. His cries of outrage and yells for bail aroused suspicion and his case will be investigated today. District Attorney Ewing, when questioned regarding the contents of the letter thrown from the train declined to say that it contained anything incriminating.

Ex-Attorney General Gilchrist Dead.

JERSEY CITY, July 7.—Ex-Attorney General Gilchrist, of New Jersey, died last evening at his home, Jersey City. Death resulted from heart troubles. He was born in Jersey City in 1823, and in 1847 he was admitted to the Bar. In 1876 Governor Randolph appointed him Attorney General of the State to fill an unexpired term of ex-Congressman George M. Robeson. He was afterward appointed to a full term.

Accident to a Circus Train.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 7.—Two cars of Forepaugh's circus containing 85 horses including the 30 famous train steeds jumped the track and were smashed near Central street early yesterday morning. Frank Fagan, of New Britain, Conn., was pinned in ruins for half an hour, and John Wood, of Boston, was trampled by horses and seriously injured. Three horses were killed.

A Balloon Found in Newport.

NEWPORT, July 7.—On Wednesday morning a citizen discovered a large balloon apparently caught in a stone wall. The sand bags were marked "Prof. Myers Mohawk, N. Y." The balloon was marked "Carlotta."

Steele Mackaye Stabs an Actor.

CHICAGO, July 7.—Steele Mackaye, while playing in the "Noble Rogue" made a stab with a knife at the villain in the play. The blade of the weapon pierced one of the hands of the actor.

Umpire Gaffney Disabled.

ST. LOUIS, July 7.—An eminent surgeon has pronounced Umpire Gaffney's injury to be serious and the great umpire will abandon his work and return to his home at Worcester at once.

O'DONNELL THREW A BOOMERANG.

Letters Said to be in Parnell's Handwriting Proved Forgeries.

LONDON, July 7.—The announcement that Parnell would this morning make a statement in the House of Commons relative to the charges brought against him by the Times, drew an immense crowd to the Parliament building. In his statement Mr. Parnell read the letters seriatim, and pronounced them all forgeries, with the possible exception of the one dated Tuesday, beginning. "I see no objection." He said this letter might be authentic.

All the letters purporting to come from Mr. Egan he pronounced forgeries, and said he never knew anything of the departure of Byrnes. The only money he ever gave him was a subscription for the Dr. Gutt memorial.

He announced that he had attended the Chief Justice's court two or three days, prepared to take oath that the letters and those alleged to be in Campbell's handwriting, were forgeries.

He said that in 1879 he had changed his signature, while the fac simile in the Times, of the letter dated 1882, bore a signature the like of which he never used later than 1879. This was positive proof that the letters were forgeries.

Justin McCarthy followed, and admitted he had given Byrnes £100, but he never heard him say a word that would lead him to believe he contemplated crime.

Parnell's explanation is regarded as thoroughly satisfactory, the general opinion being that he has triumphantly yindicated himself.

The cost to the times in defending the suit was £12,000, for which it will try to make O'Donnell liable.

Dynamiters' Doings in Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 7.—In connection with the discovery of an alleged plot of the Brotherhood engineers to destroy the trains and buildings of the Burlington road with dynamite, another arrest was made yesterday at Aurora. A United States marshal took into custody John A. Bauereisen, chief engineer of Division 32 of Burlington on a charge similar to that preferred against the men arrested before. He was at once arraigned before United States Commissioner Hoyne.

Chairman Hoge, of the Grievance Committee says Broderick never worked a day on the "Q" road, but was employed on the Illinois Central. Bowles, he say, worked thirteen days as a scab on the "Q," but quit on his brother's advice. The third man seems to be a stranger to all of the men.

Hoge says there never was any suggestion or intimation of dynamite made to him or to Chief Arthur, and if there had been they would have been promptly sat down on. If the men had been guilty of using any dynamite, it is not with the sanction or knowledge of the order, and all attempts to drag the order into the scrape are malicious.

Two Brotherhood engineers who called on Chairman Hoge this morning are of the opinion that Bowles, arrested in connection with the dynamite conspiracy, in a Pinkerton man. His cries of outrage and yells for bail aroused suspicion. The District Attorney still refuses to disclose the information in the letter thrown from the train.

Robbed of $2,000 by Highwaymen.

FRANKLIN, Pa., July 7.—Yesterday J. J. Kilgore, a young farmer was in town and received $2,000, the proceeds of a sale of land. He started for home with $2,000 in his pocket. He was met in a lonely spot by four men. They relieved him of his money. To-day Kilgore offered $500 reward for the arrest of the highwaymen.

Fearful Fire in Canada.

MONTREAL, July 7.—Terrible forest fires are raging on the line of the Canadian Atlantic Railroad, between here and Ottawa. Eighteen miles of tracks have been destroyed and cars burned. At McCauley's Landing, three mills and many houses were destroyed and thousands of feet of lumber swept away. Settlers are clearing out.

Delegates Having a Good Time.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 7.—Members of the Democratic Club convention spent yesterday morning in sight seeing and in the afternoon visited Bay Ridge, where they were banquetted. At night there was a grand display of fireworks on the Chesapeake Bay and an illuminated steamer parade from Fort Carroll to the city.

Henry Villard's Expected Return.

NEW YORK, July 7.—Henry Villard, the organizer of the Oregon Transcontinental Railway Company, is expected from Europe, and will again take a prominent position in Wall street. He will probably arrive in time for the annual meeting of the Northern Pacific Railroad Company.

Charity Convention.

BUFFALO, July 7.—At the session of the Charities and Correction Convention today a paper on "Industrial Training in the New York Catholic Protectory" was read by Henry L. Hoquet of New York. This evening a reception was given the delegates in the building of the Woman's Union.

An Indian Territory Massacre.

DENISON, Texas, July 7.—It is reported here that on the Fourth a party of hunters in the Kinishi Mountains, discovered five dead men and evidence of a hard fight. The theory is that four hunters from Texas got into a fight with the mountainers and were slaughetred.

Thirty-two Times Married.

DETROIT, July 7.—J. W. Brown, the bigamist, was arraigned yesterday morning charged with marrying Mary Benjamin while having a wife living. He pleaded not guilty. It is now stated that Brown has been married thirty-two times.

Blown From a Train.

MOUNT HOLLY, July 7.—As a coal train was passing the village of Dayton, N. J., it was struck by a tornado, and Conductor John Dyer of Trenton, with two of the other train men, were blown from the train and mortally injured.

Mayor O'Brien Opposes Junketing.

BOSTON, July 7.—The order passed appropriating money to defray the expenses of the city Government upon its trip to the centennial celebration at Cincinnati in September next has been vetoed by Mayor O'Brien.

Jesuits Too Avaricious.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 7.—Bishop Lapleche has issued an order suspending the Jesuits in this diocese. Jesuits had influenced persons to change their wills in favor of their society. Thirty-four families refused to attend mass because of such experience.

DARING HIGHWAYMEN.

They Attack Gentlemen in Chicago and Appropriate the Valuables.

CHICAGO, July 7.—The story of a bold highway robbery on Central boulevard, in this city, on the evening of the Fourth, which the police sought to keep secret, has come to light.

Frederick F. Sherman with S. Henry Dunning and two other men were driving north on the Boulevard in a two-seated buggy. Just as they were reaching Chicago avenue, a wagon containing three men drove in front of them bringing them to halt. The three strangers leaped from the wagon, and at the same time two others sprang from a hiding place at the side of the Boulevard. Sherman and his friends were dragged from their buggy by the five darling thieves, despite their restraints.

Dunning and Sherman stood their ground, but their two friends took to flight. One of the thieves tore out the whole front of Sherman's shirt to get his $350 diamond stud. Two men who saw the assault upon the occupants of the buggy ran up, and the thieves leaped into their wagon and drove away.

Explosion of Battery Boilers.

PITTSBURG, July 7.—A battery of five boilers in Groetzinger's tannery, Allegheny, exploded about 4.30 P. M. yesterday The engineer of the tannery, William Wetzel, was blown through the roof and received injuries from which he died soon afterward. Four laborers who were standing just outside the building at the time of the explosion were seriously injured. Two of them may die.

Parts of the boilers were thrown to the top of Troy Hill, which is 200 feet in height. A two horse wagon was blown through the house in which Wetzel lived, and his wife and children were injured by it. The tannery was wrecked. The loss will be $100,000. An engine cab standing on a railroad track was blown a block away.

Idleness in the State Prisons.

ALBANY, July 7.—Superintendent of State Prisons Lathrop is in the city with the Wardens of the three State prisons, formulating a report on the prospect of idleness among the prisoners. It appears that men at Clinton prison are now idle, that at Auburn all will be idle by August 1, and that at Sing Sing all of the men will be idle by July 15. It is difficult to see how a special session of the Legislature can be avoided.

Shot by a Judge.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 7.—At Hardingsburg, Ky., County Judge A. M. Pulliam shot and killed James Miller, a farmer. Miller's brother is County Clerk, and Miller was a good deal about the court house. Pulliam called Miller into his office, and a number of shots were heard. Pulliam surrended to the jailer. A crowd gathered and found Miller dead. Pulliam refuses to talk further than to admit that he killed Miller.

Killed His Wife's Paramour.

COLUMBIA, July 7.—Last night William Gray shot and killed Craddock Mew. Gray made the discovery that Mew was paying attentions to his wife. Yesterday Gray told his wife that he was going away for two days on business. At 10 last night Mr. Gray returned surprised Mew with Mrs. Gray. Gray killed him on the spot. The injured husband surrendered to the Sheriff.

Strike of Locomotive Engineers.

CHATTANOOGA, July 7.—There is a prospect of strike of the Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers on the great East Tennessee system. The engineers running in here are divided in opinions. As Vice-President Fink in New York, to-day sustained the action of Gen. Lige Hudson in refusing to reinstate Engineer Monahan, the issue is fairly made.

The Officers at Fault

NEWBURG, July 7.—In the case of the persons whose lives were lost in the collision of the naphtha yacht Enid with a steamer the Coroner's jury find that precautions on the part of the officers of the Enid would have prevented the collision. They recommend that yachts run by naphtha or electricity be brought under the steamboat laws.

The Loss by Pitcher's Defalcation.

PROVIDENCE, R. I., July 7.—James M. Ripley, counsel, says the bank's loss by Pitcher will not exceed $5,000. Pitcher will be convicted and punished in Canada, and then he can be extradited after serving his sentence, on the ground of forgery in filling out the cashier's checks signed in blank.

Treasonable Manifesto.

PARIS, July 7.—The police seized, at the residence of M. Dafinele, an address by the Comte de Paris to the conservative mayors, which denounces the administration, its system of education, and urges a monarch. The government denounces the manifesto as seditious.

A King's Escort.

BERLIN, July 7.—The Kaiser's escorting squadron of iron-clads will be under the command of Admiral Knorr, and will consist of the ironclads Bohen, Boyevn, Friedrich der Grosse Kaiser and Despatch, and the war vessel Siethen, mounting thirty-one guns in all.

A Queen's Sorry Mission.

LONDON, July 7.—Col. S. Groulich, Servian Ministsr of War, on behalf of King Milan and Bishop Leirrityi, and Queen Notalie, has arrived at Weisbaden to discuss the proposals of Queen Notalie of the term upon which her separation from King Milan are to be settled.

Suicide at His Wife's Grave.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 7.—Joseph J. Rapp, an Allegheny barber, visited the cemetery where his beautiful young wife was buried a few days ago. He was found dead yesterday, lying across her grave with a bullet hole in his head.

A Theatrical Manager Killed.

ST. LOUIS, July 7.—William C. Mitchell of the People's Theatre and a well-known manager in the West, was killed by a Franklin avenue cable car last night, while attempting to jump.

Robbed a Whole Town.

HUDSON, Wis., July 7.—Word has been received that burglars at Star Prairie broke into all the stores and blew open every safe in the place. They secured considerable booty.

An Alderman Sued for Slander.

CHICAGO, July 7.—Eugene Little entered suit for $30,000 damages against Alderman George K. Rix, for accusing him of attempting to bribe members of the City Council.

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OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—"Keep cool" is seasonable advice, but difficult to freeze fast to.

—There are 1,899 Young People's Societies of Christian Endeavor in the United States with a membership of 120,000.

—People will find it more comfortable and pleasant to stay at home this torrid weather, than to be gadding about from post to pillar.

—It is stated that thousands of song birds have been killed by the heavy thunder showers in this locality within the past few weeks.

—It is about time that some of the dogs which are running loose about our streets donned the muzzle. Reports of rabid dogs are coming in from all directions.

—John Hogan who was pardoned from State Prison on Thursday, was pardoned on the ground of "improper conviction." He was sentenced on January 6, to a two years term.

—One of the large panes of glass in the window of Messrs. Maynard & Hill's barber shop on Park avenue, was broken by a large fire-cracker on the evening of the third instant.

—The school children are now happy, and they go about the streets with smiling faces and merry laughter, anticipating many days of pleasure during their Summer vacation.

—Hunting's circus will begin a three day's engagement in this city on Thursday next. The show exhibited here last season, and gave in general good satisfaction. The price of admission will be ten cents.

—We have seen no account in the "chess column" of the return match at Newark between the players of this and that city. It was played two weeks ago. If the "organ" wants the score, THE PRESS can furnish one.

—If these merchants who have their sidewalks swept every morning as the commuters are passing to the station, would have them sprinkled first, the nuisance would be less. The better way, however, is to sweep before seven o'clock.

—The warfare against cigarettes has taken a new twist, and now it is asserted that the wrapping paper is saturated with arsenic and the tobacco impregnated with opium, the combination producing an overpowering desire for some powerful narotic, thus enslaving and finally breaking up the cigarette smoker.

—Mr. R. J. Shaw, the druggist, says that the cause of the deluge in his store and in Mr. F. C. Langhorne's photographic studio on Thursday, was due to a clogged gutter on the *Central Times* building, and was not in any way due to his neglect to provide adequate means for conveying the water to the ground.

—The excursion of the Warren Mission and Hope Chapel occurs Friday, July 20. Arrangements have been made to accommodate those who desire to go in the vicinity of Hope Chapel and the Pond Tool Works, to take cars at Grant Avenue station, and upon return the train will stop there. The Committee in charge is doing all they can to make this excursion a success in every way.

—After Whitman:

The noon of Summer fits the socket of the year, Caloric drips, Swelter the *genus homo*; Caucasian; Hottentot; Swedenborgian; everybody, cinerated, limp, poached on solar toast, so to speak.

The handkerchief goes up to the bald-head and mops it; the cit goes up to the mountain-top and laps the air; the mercury goes up the tube; in fact, everything goes up

Except prices at Collier's, where temperature and prices are reasonable and you can't fail to get just the bargain you've been looking for.

—See advertisement—Gold Watch lost.

—A colored man named White, is said to have knocked his wife down three times on East Second street, Tuesday evening, but when the police approached the fellow made his escape.

—Mr. P. C. Johnson of Plainfield avenue, picked up in his yard on the morning after the Fourth a large balloon that was sent up at East Millstone. The balloon bore the business card of an East Millstone barber.

—There was a large attendance at Boynton Beach, yesterday, the day being especially devoted to the reception of the temperance people. Three stage loads went over from here, and all report having had a good time.

—The first excursion of the season from our city to the Seashore will be that of the W. C. T. U., on Tuesday of next week, to Ocean Grove, etc. The time for leaving the shore has been fixed at 7:30 thus giving an opportunity to have a full day's enjoyment. Train leaves Plainfield at 8:02.

—A young man who had become nearly exhausted from rowing his best girl around Tier's Lake on the Fourth, fell out of the boat and into the water when attempting to anchor at the landing. He presented a sad appearance as he walked away, with the water dripping from his garments.

—The majority of people have no idea how much service and protection the public receives from the police. Chief Carey's concise report of the past six months' work of himself and his men, is published in full elsewhere. It is instructive and interesting to all, and creditable to the police force of Plainfield.

—A report was current on the streets on Wednesday, that a man and woman had inadvertently jumped from the Grant avenue railroad bridge, while trying to escape from a lighted fire-cracker, but a PRESS reporter was unable to gain any information on the subject. It is stated that both the man and woman received serious injury, and that they were driven home in a carriage.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

It is expected that Mr. W. H. Sampson and Mr. Seeley Edsall will address the Reform Hall meeting, to-morrow evening.

The Sunday school service at the Mission chapel is held every Sunday afternoon, commencing at 2:30. The evening session commences at 7:45 with a song service.

Thomas Foulke, of New York, a minister of the Society of Friends, will attend their meeting on Peace Street First day morning, the 8th instant, at eleven o'clock. All are cordially invited.

Services to-morrow in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. The Rev. George J. VanNeste of Glasco, New York, will preach at both services. All are cordially invited.

The pulpit of the Congregational church will be occupied, to-morrow morning, by the Rev. A. H. Lewis, D. D., who will continue to preach in the absence of the Rev. Mr. Goodrich, for the ensuing four Sundays.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church to-morrow: Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, at 10:45 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. Morning theme: "Enduring Individual and National Character of Divine Workmanship." Evening theme: "God's Exhaustive Knowledge of Man."

The Death Record.

There has been a noticeable increase in the death list during the past few days. Mrs. Amelia T. Manning, wife of Mr. Daniel Manning, died at her home on Clinton avenue, Wednesday, after a short illness from pneumonia. Deceased was about fifty years of age.

Mr. Washington Jones, a resident of West Seventh street, died on Thursday, aged 80 years. Death resulted from old age.

Mr. John H. Boardman, for the past two years a resident of this city, died at an early hour this morning of inflammation of the bowels. He was sick about a week only, and death came before his family who reside in New York State, could be notified of any danger. Deceased was 45 years of age.

Mr. Thomas Franklin, of Fanwood, was over come by the heat a few days ago, and his death followed on Thursday afternoon.

Sarah, the five-year-old-daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Smalley, of North Plainfield, died on Thursday evening from spinal meningitis.

No Time Taken in the 400 Mile Race.

The birds of the Plainfield Homing Club, entered in the 400 mile race described in THE PRESS, last week, were released by Mr. Robert H. Cook at Martinsville, Va., Saturday, June 30.

Owing to a severe storm of the day before, the wires were down at some point between there and here, so no notification of the start of the birds was received by their owners. The next morning one of the birds was found in its loft, and a tour of the lofts of all the members discovered a bird home in each.

Of course no time could be taken, but the credit of having a 400-mile bird is placed upon the record of the lofts of Messrs. George Sanders, J. Hervey Doane, Chas. Doane, F. R. Stevens and Sydney Dorman.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. J. B. Weaver and family will spend the season at Little Silver.

Mr. and Mrs. C. Schepflin of Dunellen, will sail for Europe on the 18th inst. They will return about the middle of September.

D. D. G. C., H. J. Martin, last evening installed the newly elected officers of Good Will Lodge, K. of P., of Scotch Plains.

Rev. Mr. Schenck will preach in Rev. Dr. Taylor's Reformed church, Clinton avenue, Newark, to-morrow morning and evening.

Mr. J. G. Langgood, a hair cutter in the employ of Mr. Geo. Kesselring, will start for Boston on Monday, where he will open a shop of his own.

The compliments of the petitioners for a cross-walk at Emily and Vine streets are extended to the Borough Council for their prompt action in the matter.

The Hon. Robert Livingston returned yesterday from Greenwood Lake, where he found the fishing on the Fourth rather below the reputation of the place.

The New York Stock Exchange has just organized from its members a Republican Club, of which Mr. John B. Dumont of this city, is permanent Treasurer.

An interesting letter will appear in Monday's PRESS from President Wm. D. Murray, of the Y. M. C. A., who with other Plainfielders is in camp at Northfield, Mass.

Mrs. A. V. V. Raymond is in the city, the guest of Mrs. Henry B. Opdyke of Farragut avenue. Already have scores of Mrs. Raymond's friends seized the opportunity of calling on her.

The lawn *fete* mentioned in these columns as having been held on the grounds of Mr. S. A. Potter's residence on Grove street, Wednesday evening, was a garden party arranged by the Park Tennis Club. Mrs. Potter generously offered the use of her lawn and kindly consented to matronize the young folks and assist in the reception of their guests.

The Accident Not Due to the Electric Railway.

Now that there is some hope that the desire of the people for street railway accommodations is to be consummated, anything bearing upon the subject of different methods of transportation is of personal interest to the entire public.

Mr. Frank E. Kinsman of Sherman avenue, an expert in the science of electricity, endorses for THE PRESS the following from an exchange, as "based upon fact and theory."

"The alleged accident on an electric railway at Jamaica, L. I., by which a woman is said to have become paralyzed by an electric shock, still continues to call forth communications in the daily press and in other journals. The weight of testimony of those who are competent to judge, who have gone over the ground and examined the circumstances, leads to the inevitable conclusion that no accident due to anything in connection with the electric equipment of the railway was possible. In a forcible article published in the *Long Islander*, Mr. A. Livingston Bogart, who lives upon the line of the road, details the result of his examination, and states his conclusion to be, as we have already intimated, that there are no possible means of the passengers obtaining an electric shock."

Will This Be a Hot Summer.

The impression seems to prevail, pretty generally, that we are to have a hot Summer throughout the country.

The Indiana Pharmacist predicates it upon the following theory, which has been advanced by others: The weather seems to run cycles of about seven years, that is, when we have a hot Summer, it is always followed by a cold one, and it takes about seven years to reach another equally hot. It will be remembered by many that the Summer of 1867 was very hot, and so dry that during August the grass crumbled under the feet when trod upon. The Summer of 1868 was noted for its coolness, the thermometer very seldom getting above 85 degrees, and we did not reach the top wave of thermality again until 1874, when it was extremely hot. The following Summer was cold to a remarkable degree. From then on the Summers grew gradually warmer until 1881, which was excessively hot and very dry, no rain falling for over nine weeks, and there were more sunstrokes that Summer than there has been in all the Summers since.

The Summer of 1882 was quite cold, a few flakes of snow fell on the morning of July 4, followed by hail in the afternoon, and during the rest of the month and through the month of August the temperature was so low that overcoats were necessary for comfort, particularly at night. The Summers since 1882 have grown warmer and warmer, and last Summer was a moderately hot one, but unless all signs fail, the coming Summer will be the climax of the cycle, and a hot, dry season may be expected.

In Hard Luck.

Mrs. Salome Scheidecker, whose dwelling house was partly destroyed by fire on Thursday morning, also met with another loss while the fire was in progress. Some mean thief entered one of the rooms and confiscated a box of jewelry. Besides this most of the furniture, bedding, etc., that was removed from the house, was exposed to the heavy rain storm which passed over the city a few hours later. The insurance companies adjusted her claim yesterday by allowing $600 on the house and $157 on the furniture and wearing apparel.

WE HAPPEN TO HAVE

LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

WE ARE RUNYON & CO., AND OUR BUSINESS IS FURNITURE.

LADIES HAVE FOUND OUT

THAT "FAST BLACK" hose that will not "crock" or "fade," and at the same time will *WEAR WELL*, can be purchased at EDSALL'S at a moderate sum.

NOTICE THE PRICES:

Ladies' real nice quality, at 39c. Ladies' Extra Fine quality, 50c.
Children's 5in. to 8½in., 37c. to 62c. Children's 5in. to 9in., 32c. to 55c.
Gents' half hose, same dye as Ladies, at 50.

THEY have been thoroughly tested, both as to color and wear, and every pair is guaranteed. The Dye in our Hosiery does not injure the fabric.

OUR SPECIAL offer on Carpets for Month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be LAID FREE OF CHARGE.

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. 5-18-tf **EDSALL'S.**

THE PLACE where you will find Choice Goods, the Latest Fashions, Polite treatment, and Prices the Lowest, in all kinds of Dry and Fancy Goods, Hosiery, Ribbons, Laces, Fabric, Kid Gloves, etc.

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CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

LOST—Gold Watch and Necklace, in heart of city, on Thursday or Friday. Leave at PRESS office and get $10 reward. 7-7-2

WANTED—By a middle age American lady, situation as Housekeeper, or as companion to lady. Competent and experienced. Address, A. B. S., 422 Linden street, Elizabeth, N. J. 7-7-2

DRESSMAKING engagements by the day. Mrs. M. V. Hall, 147 Somerset street.

HOLLY GROVE BUTTERMILK—fresh from the churn. Delivered in hermetically sealed bottles every Monday, Wednesday and Friday. Send orders to Holly Grove Farm, Lock Box 833, or Geo. A. Moore, 14 North avenue, Plainfield. 7-7-2

WANTED—$100 for a few months. Will give life insurance policy for $500 as security; also personal property. Address, "Insurance," PRESS office. 7-7-tf

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office, ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street, N. Y. city. my20tf

Jersey Milk is the People's Choice.

Put up in Bottles.

Address a postal card to

D. L. DARBY, Box 1,082, Plainfield. 5-18-y

NOTICE.

I would hereby inform the public and all parties interested, that my wife, Phebe A. McCall, having left my bed and board, I shall not be responsible for any debts of her contracting—whether for necessaries or otherwise, and I hereby give full notice that I shall not pay any bill or debt contracted by her, either in my name or in her own.

Dated Dunellen, N. J., July 5, 1888.

[Signed], JOHN R. McCALL. 7-7-2

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Large Barn, Cemented Basement, Cow-houses, Ice-house, Wood-shed, Pig-houses, Hennery; 42 Acres Land, 1,000 Young Fruit Trees, Falling Stream, and several valuable Mineral Springs. Situate about 1 mile from Dunellen depot, on the main road to Bound Brook. Along frontage on main road. Known as the "Dickens' Springs Farm." *A BARGAIN! TERMS EASY.*

Apply to

W. S. STEVENS, Dunellen Depot.
Or, A. P. MILLER, opp. Station, Plainfield. 7-6-tf

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I would respectfully notify the public that I have opened a

First-Class Shaving and Hair-Dressing Parlor, where I will be pleased to receive patrons and treat them in an ARTISTIC MANNER. Fred. G. Hui, Casper's Hotel, E. Front St. *Tonsorial Artist. Hot and Cold Baths.* 7-6-tf

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A Car of Prime Timothy Cut Hay.

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FLOUR AND FEED of all Kinds.

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No. 7 EAST FOURTH ST. 6-9-tf

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Choice Fruits, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Confectionery, &c.

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Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,

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Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES. 3-1-tf

BOROUGH COUNCIL MEETING.

Mayor Cooley and Councilmen Needham, McGee and Emmons constituted a quorum of the North Plainfield Council, who met in Warren Engine house for the transaction of business last evening. Councilman Riker came in later.

After the roll call Mr. McGee asked to have the regular order of business suspended, so as to allow him an opportunity to submit a set of resolutions condoling the death of ex-Councilman Alexander W. Milne. He said that for the first time in the history of the borough there was a vacancy in the Council, caused by the death of one of the members. The following resolutions were unanimously adopted:

WHEREAS, It has pleased Almighty God in his prudence to remove from this life our late associate and fellow Councilman, Alex. H. Milne.

Resolved, That as a mark of respect to Mr. Milne's memory we desire to record our sense of his usefulness and efficiency as a member of this body.

Resolved, That we extend to his family our deep sympathy in their affliction.

Resolved, That a copy of these resolutions be sent to the family of the deceased.

The regular order of business was resumed by the reading of the minutes, which were adopted as read.

Petitions were presented and referred as follows: For a cross-walk at Emily and Vine streets; from residents on Washington avenue and Plighter Place, asking that something be done for their relief in the shape of street improvements; from residents on Somerset and Pearl street, asking to have the sudden and abrupt decline at the intersection of these streets, remedied; from residents on Westervelt avenue, asking Council to have that thoroughfare macadamized from Grandview to Brook avenues, said petitioners agreeing to pay $200 toward the cost of the same.

Several petitions for peddlers' licenses were presented, referred and subsequently granted.

Claims were ordered paid from the various funds, as follows: N. Y. and N. J. Globe Gaslight Co., $259.54; Job Coddington, $3.04 and $37.50; P. Kelleher, $10.20; A. Leader, $7; Chas. Graeder, $8.50.

The reports of the Borough Clerk and Collector were received and filed. The former showed the total receipts for licenses during the month to be $25, making a total of $248.98 in his hands. The Collector's report showed that $2,584.30 had been collected up to date.

Mayor Cooley stated that the Fire Department bonds had been issued and executed, and had been sold to the highest bidder at an average of about one and one-half per cent. premium.

The Fire, Water and Lamps Committee, through Mr. McGee, reported that on account of the extra risk on the Fourth, firemen were kept on duty at the engine house.

The same Councilman, from the Laws, Ordinances and Election Committee, to whom was referred the papers in the certiorari cases of hackmen Lynch and Finney, and the proposition of Messrs. Suydam & Stillman offering to release the borough upon payment of the costs in each case, reported in favor of accepting the proposition, and submitted a resolution authorizing the borough Counsel to adjust the claims. The resolution was adopted.

Mr. McGee also reported for the Committee on Streets and Public Health, that a check for $600 had been received from Mr. Morgan S. Taylor, being the amount pledged toward the improvements on Rockview and Washington avenues, and that the same had been placed to the credit of the cost of said improvement; also, that the committee had made a contract with Mr. J. H. Wilson for 1,500 tons of crushed stone at 85 cents per ton. The report stated that cross-walks had been laid, and other improvements made on the streets.

Mr. Needham from the Committee on Printing, Stationary and supplies, reported progress. He said the committee had obtained estimates for printing the borough ordinances, but thought perhaps it may be well to incorporate the fire department ordinances in the pamphlet.

Mr. McGee offered a resolution authorizing the Street Committee to negotiate a loan of $800 to be used exclusively for street purposes, the same to be paid from the first road taxes collected.

Mr. Riker offered a resolution providing for the laying of a stone cross-walk on Duer street at Park Place, in accordance with a petition presented at the last meeting. It was adopted.

The matter of filling the vacancy caused by the death of Alex. W. Milne, was then taken up, and Mr. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., was upon resolution adopted, elected to fill the vacancy. Mr. Hegeman came in later and took the oath of office.

Mayor Cooley presented a communication from Mr. H. H. Baker, naming the streets upon which there are no street signs. The communication was received and Mr. Baker was authorized to proceed with the erection of the signs.

Mr. McGee made a statement with reference to the above petition from residents on Washington avenue and Plighter place, and stated that that portion of the street where the improvements were asked, had never been accepted by the borough, and consequently no money could be expended upon it.

Mayor Cooley assigned Councilman Hegeman to the chairmanship of the Street Committee, and also placed him on the same committees his predecessor was a member of.

Council then adjourned.

HOW OUR CITY'S PEACE IS GUARDED.

Chief Carey's Report of the Police Service for the Past Six Months.

To the Mayor and Honorable Members of Police Committee of the Common Council of the City of Plainfield:

GENTLEMEN:—I beg leave to submit a statement concerning the department under my supervision for the past six months.

The police force at present date consists of five regular policemen and fifteen special police.

It is a pleasure for me to bear testimony to the fidelity and efficiency of all the regulars. Without exception, they have been vigilant and impartial in protecting the right of citizens and unswerving in their arduous duties of preserving peace and good order in our midst. The special policemen have always been ready and prompt at any call to do detailed service and have performed their part with entire satisfaction. The whole force is in excellent working condition.

I respectfully offer the following as the result of six months careful exertion in enforcing the City Ordinances and sustaining the supremacy of all other righteous laws whether enacted by your Honorable body or by the Legislature of the commonwealth.

There have been 101 arrests made:

Being drunk and disorderly	27
Being drunk	21
Fighting	23
Disorderly conduct	12
Selling on Sundays	7
Fast driving	3
Insulting women	3
Theft	2
Bathing in the brook	2
Peddling without license	1

The penalties attached and fines imposed have been:

Committed to County Jail from 10 to 60 days	15
Sent to State Prison one for 2 years and one for 3 years	2
Fines collected	$747.00

The City Court by timely advice and wholesome ruling, has ably assisted the police department in making a practical execution of the local statutes whereby wilful violators of the law have been brought to justice and taught to respect the needful ordinances designed to maintain morals, peace and good order in Plainfield.

Respectfully,
TUNIS J. CAREY,
Chief af Police.

Plainfield, N. J., June 30, 1888.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERINGS.

The glorious Fourth brought with it the usual quota of accidents, most of them of a trifling nature. The most peculiar mishap, if not the most serious, was that of Master Rutherford D. Shepard. This young man started out on the Fourth upon his bicycle, and went to the base ball ground. A few hours later he came home in a dazed and bewildered frame of mind and with a very painful headache. The strangest part of it was that he could not remember how he had been hurt. His recollection was clear up to the ball game, and between that and his arrival home all was a blank. Perhaps the unsuspecting wheelman was appointed umpire.

Scotch Plains received an influx of journalistic talent last week by the presence of Mrs. Sallie J. Battey and Mrs. Belle E. Cable of Newark, who were at lunch with Mrs. David P. Hall, the author of "Social Customs," and other works. Mrs. Cable and Mrs. Battey are the proprietors of the new quarterly—*World and Home*.

The hackmen did a thriving trade on the evening of the Fourth, in taking parties to the concert and fireworks at the Netherwood Hotel. In addition to the number who rode, a great many walked over in the evening, so Scotch Plains was well represented both inside the Hotel and out.

A picked nine from Fanwood tried conclusions with a similar team from that mysterious region which the boys call Ramtown. The game came off on the Fourth, and at the conclusion thereof she Ramtown Rangers turned homewards, sadder and wiser men.

The cherries, strawberries, currants, and in fact all sorts of fruit seem to be turning out badly. This is attributed to the continued cold weather last Spring, and to the frequent showers during May. That never-to-be forgotten blizzard comes in for his share of the blame. It will probably be many years before we hear the last of that wonderful March storm.

Speaking of bicycles, two others of the numerous Shepard family have just returned from a long bicycle trip. Mr. Augustus D. Shepard, Jr., and his brother Burwit H. Shepard have been with a tutor during the Winter at Lincoln, a town in New Hampshire. They thought it would be a good idea to ride home on their bicycles, and they accordingly came down through the New England villages until they reached New York. This seemed a good terminal point, and so there they boarded the train and proceeded the rest of the way by rail.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERER.

—Officer Charles Giesse's son has succeeded his father as night-watchman in the Second Ward.

—The old Crescent Avenue church bell was shipped to Troy, yesterday. The old bell weighed 1,360 pounds, and the new one weighs about 1,000 pounds more.

—The regular monthly meeting of "Gazelle" Engine Company No. 1, will be held in the Company's parlors on the evening of Wednesday, July 11, at eight o'clock. A full attendance is desired.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

JERSEY CITY HAS A DUEL.

TWO MEN RUN THROUGH THE STREETS AND EXCHANGE SHOTS.

Both of Them are Hit by the Bullets, and a Little Girl who was Sitting on a Stoop when They Passed was also Wounded—A Quarrel Arising from an Insult.

JERSEY CITY, July 7.—There was a duel in Jersey City last evening, in which both the principals and a 13-year-old school-girl were wounded. The weapons were five-chambered revolvers. The principals were Carl Kormanhaus, 25 years old, and Charles Hendrix, 34 years old. They are neighbors and fellow workmen in the Matthiessen & Weichers sugar refinery. Hendrix is married and has two children. It is said that a week ago Kormanhaus, who is unmarried, insulted Hendrix's wife. A fight was prevented at the time.

On Thursday night the men met about 6 o'clock, and Kormanhaus challenged Hendrix to fight. Hendrix told him he had no time to fight. About 8 o'clock last evening Hendrix was sitting on the front stoop of his house holding his baby, in his arms. His wife standing at the foot of the steps. Kormanhaus came along addressing Hendrix, he said:

"You called me a liar, didn't you?"

Hendrix did not reply.

"If you are a man I'll make you fight," said Kormanhaus. At the same time he turned to Mrs. Hendrix and struck her twice in the face. She fell down. Hendrix set his baby in the doorway and jumped for the sidewalk. As he did so Kormanhaus drew a revolver and fired a shot at him. Hendrix also drew his revolver and fired at Kormanhaus, who retreated down the street, firing as he ran. Hendrix followed him, also firing his revolver.

Half a block down the street Hendrix fell, with a bullet in his groin. Kormanhaus fired one more shot, and ran toward the ferry. Policeman Shelworth caught him and took him to the Gregory street police station, where it was found that he was bleeding from a wound in the leg. Policemen hurried to the scene of the shooting. At 57 Sussex street little Margaret Gorman was found lying on the front stoop. Her father and mother were kneeling beside her, and a physician was probing for a bullet that had lodged in her ankle. The bones were terribly shattered. According to her story the second shot that was fired had struck her. She was sitting on the stoop reading a school book when the trouble began, and when the first shot was fired she jumped up and started to run into the house. She did not get through the door, however, for a bullet struck her, and she fell backward almost off the stoop. Her father and mother heard the shots and heard her scream. It will, in all probability, be necessary to amputate her foot.

Hendrix was found where he fell. His wife and friends were around him. He was unconscious. He was taken to the City Hospital. A physician probed for the bullet, which entered his body just above the hip, and passed upward, lodging, it is supposed, near his back. It was not found. It may not be dangerous.

Kormanhaus, in defending himself, said that he was walking quietly along the street when Mrs. Hendrix ran up to him and spat in his face. He remonstrated, and Hendrix jumped off the stoop, and drawing his revolver shot at him. Hendrix fired five shots in all, Kormanhaus fired four.

Sam Jones Raises the Funds.

WINDSOR, Ont., July 7.—The evangelist Sam Jones succeeded, by his own peculiar methods, yesterday, in collecting $650 for the payment of a debt of $900 on the organ in the Methodist Church here in which he opened a revival meeting. Sam's terms are $50 for a lecture and $75 if he makes an appeal for funds.

Vestibule Car Injunction Dissolved.

CHICAGO, July 7.—Judge Gresham dissolved the injunction against the Wagner Car Company, the Wagner Company giving a bond to indemnify the Pullman Company for damage resulting from the continued use of such cars by the Wagner Company.

Peach Growers Convention.

DOVER, Del., July 7.—The peach growers in convention here yesterday resolved that the Bureau of Information and Distribution and the Delaware and Fruit Exchange work together. The total crop is estimated at 12,000,000 baskets.

Mr. Morton's Statue of Liberty.

PARIS, July 7.—The Municipal Council has granted $13,500 for the erection of a pedestal on the Grenelle Bridge for the statue of Liberty presented to the city by Mr. Morton, the ex-United States Minister.

Another Beckwith Firecracker.

NICHOLASVILLE, Ky., July 7.—A dynamite bomb was exploded in the court yard here at midnight, shattering the plate-glass windows of the Critic Clerk's office. The books and records had to be removed.

Baseball Games Played Friday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT INDIANAPLOIS

Indianapolis	1	0	3	1	0	0	0	3	0	0	1—9
Philadelphia	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0—8

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg	0	1	0	0	0	1	1	0	0		0—3
Washington	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0		0—2

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

St. Louis	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0		0—2
Brooklyn	1	0	0	3	0	1	1	0	0		0—6

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1	1		1—6
Cleveland	0	0	1	0	2	0	0	0	0		0—3

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	2	4	1	1	0	1	0	0	0		0—9
Athletics	1	1	3	1	0	0	2	0	0		0—8

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 6, stand as follows:

League.	Won.	Lost.	Association.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	38	18	St. Louis	37	18
Detroit	35	21	Brooklyn	42	20
New York	33	24	Athletic	35	22
Boston	33	27	Cincinnati	35	24
Philadelphia	28	27	Baltimore	27	31
Pittsburg	19	33	Cleveland	19	38
Indianapolis	20	36	Louisville	19	40
Washington	18	38	Kansas City	17	38

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Friday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	107⅛
Chic. Burl't'n & Quincy	112⅜
Del. Lack. and West	130
Lake Shore	90⅞
Missouri Pacific	72⅞
N. J. Cent	82
New York Central	103½
New York Lake Erie & West	24⅝
New York & New England	39⅛
Philadelphia & Reading	50¾
Pac. Mail	34
St. Paul	86
Union Pacific	55⅝
Western Union	76¾
Oil	76¾

WHEAT 81½; CORN, 59@60; OATS, Ungraded mixed, 38@40; FLOUR, patents, $4.65@5.20; extra $3.25@4.50; LARD $8.75; BUTTER creamery, 18@20; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream, 6@7; skim, 2@3; Eggs, 16½@16¾.

The Fire Fiend at Work.

FALL RIVER, July 7.—Callahan's block, on Lindsey street, was burned this morning. Eight families are left homeless.

Novel Insurance Litigation.

VINCENNES, Ind., July 7.—The Supreme Council of the Royal Arcanum has a novel insurance question on hand. Joel B. King, who died in January, held a policy of $3,000 in favor of his wife. King got a divorce from his wife, but never changed the beneficiary of the policy. The wife claims half of it, but the guardian of King's son objects to her having it.

Encyclicals in Preparation.

ROME, July 7.—The Pope is preparing an encyclical on the relations between Church and State, and an encyclical on the social question will also be issued.

The Strike a Failure.

CINCINNATI, July 7. — The Union Beer Brewers' strike was declared off yesterday to save the organization. Only a hundred members were left out of nearly a thousand.

Found Guilty of Murder.

JAMESTOWN, N. Y. July 7.—The Coroner's Jury investigating the death of Leroy M. Bogardus find that George W. Foster is guilty of the murder.

George Hamilton Dead.

DEXTER, Me., July 7.—George Hamilton, a prominent citizen and treasurer of the Dexter savings bank died last night after a short illness. He has made himself prominent by advocating the suicide theory in the famous Barron murder case.

One Week for Bigamy.

BELLEVILLE, Ont., July 7.—Mrs. Rosa Arabella McDonald was to-day found guilty of bigamy and sentenced to one week in prison. Her husband No. 1, named Zimmerman, who pushed the prosecution, it has been learned, is himself a bigamist.

The Curse of Rum.

EAST LIVERPOOL, O., July 7.—Mrs. William Elwell, aged 65, and her son, aged 40, whom whom she was leading home drunk, were struck and killed by a train last night.

Gov. Ames's Condition.

BOSTON, July 7.—A rumor was circulated yesterday afternoon that Ames's was much worse and the statement is officially made that he is no worse.

SPORTING NOTES.

THE Buffalo Dog Club claims Sept. 11 to 14 for the first international show.

THE Mascoutah Club, of Chicago, will not have a bench show until next year.

BUBEAR easily won the International Sculling Race at Amsterdam, Englishmen coming in second, third and fourth.

TEEMER and Hamm are matched against Gaudaur and McKay for a double-scull race on Aug. 2. The race will be three miles for $2,509 a side.

THE match race for £500 a side between Hanlan and Tricket was rowed on the Fitzroy River, Queensland. Hanlan beat his opponent by six lengths.

THE well-known champion pointer Witch Water Lily died June 4 from paralysis. She was eleven years old and was brought to this country in 1881, by Mr. Chas. H. Mason.

THE National Dog Club's committee of management is the strongest combination ever banded together for the benefit of dog owners. The delay was time well spent when the result is noted.

It is not generally known that in China it is a less crime to steal an ox than to steal a dog The former is simply personal property, but the latter takes the place of a man—a watchman. And quite right, too.

MR. Arthur B. Suit says of the Vernier bird which he caught in the United States Senate Chamber:—"I reckon the bird is a Democrat. I found him perched over the door of Senator A. P. Gorman's committee room."

THE three-mile boat race between Kennedy, of Quincey, Ill., and Plaisted, of Portland, Me., on Lake Quinsigamond, was easily won by the former. Kennedy finished thirty lengths ahead in 22.07 1-2. Kennedy stopped rowing once. He pulled the last mile very lazily Plaisted made bad work steering.

A RACE meeting took place at the Bruckenmile Course, Berlin, Germany, before 10,000, the events being international in character, Ralph Temple won the two thousand metres race in 3m. 19s., thus beating the best record ever made on the Continent—that of Edinger on June 5, at Frankfort. The amateur bicycle championship of Europe was won by Loehr of Frankfurt, against eleven competitors. The second prize fell to W. E. Crist, of Washington, D. C.

THE mails just received from Australia give full particulars of the race of May 5 between Hanlan and Kemp for the championship of the world on the Paramatta River, and they do not bear out the cable despatches. No fouls are mentioned and only at about the mile was Hanlan in front. Kemp had led from the word, but was here passed and Hanlan passed the Pescon a length in front. Kemp soon rowed him down again and led at Calsrita Wharf by four lenghts. Hanlan decreased this to two lenghts by his expiring efforts passing One Min Wharf. He was then done for and Kemp won as he pleased by three lengths in 21 1-2.

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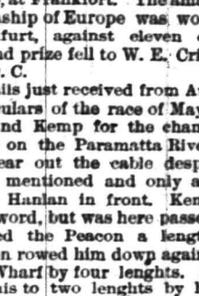

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Cupid in the Rain.

The corner lamps were kindling fast,
The stages crowded rumbling past,
The twilight slowly settling down
On the damp, unresponsive town,
When pretty Melanie peeped out
And turned her dainty head about.

Fifth Avenue was wet, the rain
That stopped at noon began again—
May rain, that chills the budding leaves
And sighs and sobs along the caves—
When Melanie in macintoshes
Emerged, a Naiad in goloshes!

Her small pink ears and tender heart
Had heard a cry and with a start
Warm from the boudoir's cosy fold
She'd rushed in the gloaming cold—
Something there was about that cry
That bade her beating heart reply!

And there, bedraggled wings, and bow,
Trailed in the gutter's turgid flow,
Curls limp, legs drooping, quiver sped,
A tattered garland on his head
And shivering like a half-crowned dove,
She found her Little Master—Love!

Oh, cold May rains! full many a match
Yo've quenched e'er Love could raise the latch
That oped his cottage! Quick she flies
To soothe those fond, complaining cries;
Clasped to her breast she bears him straight
To cuddle up before her grate!

A month she'll feed her pris'ner high—
The bird that's fed to Strasbourg pie
May borrow lessons from the art
That feeds this captive all to heart—
A month, and then by mount and main
The saucy Elf himself will reign!

—John Paul Bocock.

UNCLE SAM'S GIRLS.

OUR PRETTY GOVERNMENT CLERKS,

Many Thousand Curious People—Pretty Money-Counters and Plump Printers—How They Live.

The Washington correspondent of the New York *World* says:

There are about 4,000 women in the government departments, and these are scattered from the treasury to the government printing office, and they do all manner of work. Some of them are stenographers and typewriters. Some of them are printers. Some are copyists and translators. Some have to do with the legal questions of the departments, and some of them receive high salaries as special examiners in the Patent Office. Now two women clerks receive $1,800 a year, and some of the most responsible business is done by women. As a rule, however, they get lower salaries than the men for the same work, and it was thought to be a big thing when the first woman received $1,600 a year.

It was through Treasurer Spinner that women got their first hold on the government, and the demand for clerks was so great during the war that he employed a number. This was in 1862, and women then received $720 a year as copyists and money-counters. They are now the best money-counters in the service, and they can count thousands upon thousands of dollars without making a mistake. Sitting at a desk they take roll after roll made up of hundreds of dollars of greenbacks, their fingers fly as though moved by electricity, and their rosy lips touch each other in counting at the rate of hundreds of times per minute. It makes me think of the small boy with his nose pressed against the confectioner's window when I watched these girls thus earning $75 a month by counting hundreds of thousands of dollars a week.

The fastest counter in the government service is a woman, and women are the best counterfeit detecters. They seem able to tell a bad bill by intuition, and they have to count dirty bills as well as

COUNTING MONEY.

clean. The money they count is old as well as new and it comes from every part of the United States. In the Redemption Bureau of the Treasury the bills are counted in packages of 100 bills each, and the pretty Treasury counter moistens her finger on a wet sponge as she goes rapidly through these packages. If she finds that a package is not right she notifies the chief, and the bank which sends the package has to make up the loss. If she makes a mistake herself the money is taken out of her salary, and this is true in respect to a counterfeit as well as for an error in counting. When a bill is lost in one of these rooms or in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing the whole force is kept in the building until it is found, and not long ago there was a big excitement in the Treasury over a lost government bond.

The certificates of deposits of national banks are presided over by a little withered-up anatomy who came here as a clerk for Andrew Jackson, and who, surrounded by hundreds of millions of dollars works for a few dollars a day. He is rather luxurious in his tastes, and when he goes to the department he takes off his boots and puts on slippers. He was counting some bonds for certification or registration when one happened to drop off the table into his boot without his noticing it. He recounted the bonds, and there was $1,000 short. His white hair stood up like the quills of the porcupine, and with bloodshot eyes he sought the chief. The department was in an uproar until the evening shades began to fall, when the antiquated clerk thought he would put on his boots and the bond was found.

The Treasury is the largest department at Washington. It contains between 3,000 and 4,000 employes, and looks like a tomb. Sombre and massive, with many columns of dirty white stone, the doors which enter its basement look like the holes of a cave, and one almost looks for the letters over Dante's Inferno:

All hope abandon ye who enter here.

These words ought to be written over the door of every government department.

A wrong impressson prevails in some sections of the country as to the female clerks of Uncle Sam. There may be some bad women among them, and there undoubtedly are some. Among 4,000 women it could not be otherwise, but the percentage is very small, and the average female clerk is a good and pure woman. She is, as a rule, a woman of intelligence and culture, and the great majority of them come from good families. Many of them are the widows of noted men, and some of our greatest statesmen have married department clerks. Attorney General Brewster's wife was the daughter of a Secretary of the Treasury, and he married her from the departments. Stephen A. Douglas married a department clerk, and I know daughters of Governors and Generals employed in the departments. Many of the ladies of the departments go into the best society of Washington, and there are descendants of Jefferson and Tyler at work in the departments here.

The sexes are mixed together in the Governmental work, and the desks of the ladies stand side by side with those of the gentlemen. Some of the old lady clerks are very fine looking, and there is one gray-haired lady in the Treasury whose husband was Lieutenant-Governor of Ohio, and the daughter of a minister to Mexico works within the same walls. There is a fine looking old lady in the Pension Office who boasts of being a great-grandmother, and who was the first woman clerk ever elected by a legislature in this country.

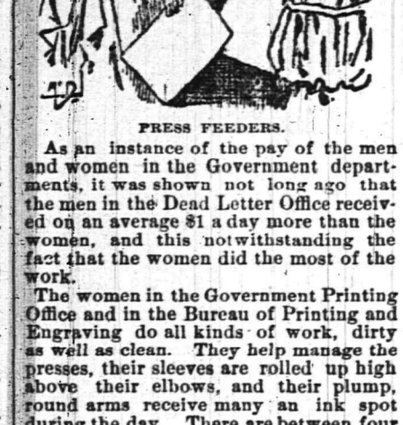
The lady clerks of Washington dress well. As a rule they keep themselves posted on topics of general interest, and they are good talkers. Many of them are employed in the Post-Office Department, and they do the most of the Dead Letter Office business. Every year about 5,000,000 letters come to the Dead Letter Office. The ladies look over these letters deciphering their contents and send them where they should go. One set opens the letters, another set reads and sorts them and another examines and redirects them to their proper places. Every year there is from $30,000 to $40,000 in these letters, and a year ago the letters which came to the Dead Letter Office contained drafts and money orders to the amount of $1,500,000. Eighty-four thousand letters contained postage stamps and 25,000 contained articles of merchandise. There are on an average about 15,000 letters a day which come into this office, and the women handle the most of this immense mail. They don't have time to waste over the love letters, and the sad stories they hear they are bound not to reveal. It is in this office that a woman must know how to keep a secret.

PRESS FEEDERS.

As an instance of the pay of the men and women in the Government departments, it was shown not long ago that the men in the Dead Letter Office received on an average $1 a day more than the women, and this notwithstanding the fact that the women did the most of the work.

The women in the Government Printing Office and in the Bureau of Printing and Engraving do all kinds of work, dirty as well as clean. They help manage the presses, their sleeves are rolled up high above their elbows, and their plump, round arms receive many an ink spot during the day. There are between four and five hundred of them in the Bureau of Engraving and Printing, and they work behind a partition of iron network, and every piece of paper and every bill is counted. Many of them clean off the presses or push the sheets to the printer, and there is no better place in the United States where one can study the beautiful anatomy of a woman's arm than here. It is the same in the Government Printing Office, where they feed the presses, attend to the binding machines, and do all kinds of work that men do, and a surprising thing is that in not a few of these branches colored women work side by side with white women without clashing. The Government Printing Office employs over one thousand women, and the printers among them are paid by the hour, and some of the women printers make as high as $70 a month.

There are over one hundred very pretty seed-senders here, and these put up seeds for the Agricultural Department. They make seed bags, keep account of the seeds which each Congressman gets, and see that they go properly out. There are some women telegraph operators in



GAS STOVE.

the departments, and there are some who do map-draughting and tracing. The male clerks of the departments do all kinds of work. The Government has salaried carpenters, chemists, scientists, lawyers, and experts of every kind. The army of private secretaries and stenographers is numbered by hundreds, and the private secretaries of chiefs get $1,800 a year and upwards. Now every Bureau has its stenographer, and the click of the typewriter is heard in every room.

How do these clerks live?

Very much like other salaried people the world over. Some of the men and a few of the women have saved money and bought property in Washington, some own houses and some rent houses. The majority, however, live in rooms, and board. A few of the ladies do light housekeeping, and I have known of clerks who do their cooking over gas-jets and who live very well by understanding how to do so. The mantel-bed and the folding-bed are great institutions in Washington, and here appearances are everything. Rooms in a convenient and fashionable locality cost $15 a month and upward each, and it is wonderful what a nice little home a lady clerk makes with one room. Her mantel-bed looks like a bookcase and her washstand looks like a writing desk. A highly colored portiere is hung over the locked door which leads to the adjoining room and which is occupied, perhaps, by another clerk. Easy-chairs are scattered about the room, it is well carpeted and furnished and it looks like a parlor. Here the young lady may receive her callers, and here she lives with all the comforts of a parlor until she gets ready to retire.

Then the scene changes. She lifts up the writing desk, turns on the spigot, and straightway has a porcelain basin of the purest Potomac water. She gives this red Turkoman curtain a push, loosens the hook and opens her bed. It is already made, and its springs are as soft as those of a millionaire. She sleeps like a child and wakes as fresh as a daisy. It costs her but little, and she maintains the appearance of having quarters which would cost a Congressman $50 or $75 a month, for $15. She may cook her own breakfast over a lamp, and she may dine at a restaurant or a place where she gets only a dinner for so much a month. But the one thing about which she is most particular is her clothes. These must be good, and she knows how to make a last year's bonnet look like that of a Massachusetts avenue belle at one-tenth the expense. I have known, however, of girls who bought their dresses on the instalment plan, and who had worn them shabby while they were yet paying for them. Such cases are, however, few, and the girls as a rule pay the cash for what they get. They do good with their money and some of them keep whole families out of their salaries. A number board nicely and spend all they make. A few are married and many are widows. All told, they are as nice a class of women as you will find.

Do I think the government service a good place for women?

I don't know. The wages are good, the hours are easy and the position of the women here, as elsewhere, is just what she makes it. It is the same with men, but a young fellow with any snap in him had better begin by breaking stone than accept a place in one of these departments, which, if he sticks to it, is sure to break him.

Catching Fish in Georgia.

Mr. Hatcher says: "Whenever I felt as if I wanted a trout for dinner I would stroll over to the pond and bring one down or up with my rifle. Between 11 and 12 o'clock at midday are the hours when they can be shot, as for some unexplained reason they come up near the surface. I always aim for the head. No, the ball never penetrates the head or any portion of the fish. It is seldom that even a scale is disturbed. The rifle ball never touches them. They are killed apparently by concussion. The water, I think, flattens the ball. Immediately upon being shot they rise to the surface, floating upon their backs. I never take the trouble to fish with a hook, preferring my rifle." Mr. McClellan recently noticed that the fish were dying by hundreds and rising to the surface. He had the pond dragged and brought out from it fully five hundred dead trout or black bass. At least one hundred of them would weigh eight pounds or over. They were thrown upon the bank and the buzzards feasted upon fish. It is suspected that persons to whom the owner of the pond had refused the right to fish from it had poisoned its water and with it the finny life with which it teemed.

A lazy but unlawful method of obtaining fish from the ponds was once quite common among negroes and others. This was stupefying or drugging the fish by means of some narcotic plants. The favorite growth for this purpose was the devil's shoe-string, a small plant with extremely long, tough, and slender roots. This queer plant, with its uncanny name was much used by the Indians as a medicine, and is said to be the basis for several blood purifiers with long and alliterative names. A plentiful supply of the plant being obtained the negro finds a log which projects well out into the water, and getting astride of it dips it in and alternately beats it with a stick or paddle. After every good beating it is shaken about in the water and the supply replenished, and this continued until the pond is thoroughly impregnated with the singular properties of the weed. The fish soon commence rising to the surface and gasping for breath. A few faint struggles follow and then the fish lie helpless and inert upon the surface only to be gathered in and serve as a meal. It is said that the meat is not at all affected by the treatment the fish have undergone, but it is with considerable squeamishness and trepidation that a person for the first time dines upon poisoned or narcotized fish.

A Man's Reasoning.

"The trouble with women," said Smitherimpkins, "is that they want us to have fun their way. They want us to sit in the house and talk about the weather, sir; to discuss the eternal mysteries of dressmaking and cooking, sir; and to read novels, sir, and worship babies. They can't see why a man should want to go to a club or a public dinner, sir, or take in a base ball game or a horse race. They want us to do as they do, and enjoy ourselves their way, sir. But did you ever hear of a man wanting a woman to have fun in his way? No, sir; not much, sir. You never heard of any man's trying to persuade his wife to go around the corner, sir, to a nice quiet place, sir, where some very elegant gentlemen were engaged in a rubber of cards, sir, and to smoke cigars and drink beer with the party, sir, and sit up till the cock had made himself hoarse with crowing, sir, and then meander home singing. Did you ever hear of any man's trying to persuade a woman to have fun that way—his way? No, sir; not by a jugful, sir!"—*Harper's Bazar*

Mount Hood's Changing Splendors.

Mount Hood, besides having various elements of grandeur as of altitude, contour, &c., boasts of one remarkable attribute which few great "snow cones" possess. It rarely presents just the same appearance every time one takes a look at the old peak. One writer, in describing some of the great snow mountains of Switzerland, makes use of "changing splendors." That expression applies with equal felicity to Mount Hood. There is more character and variety of expression to the mountain than that of any snow peak on the whole Pacific coast. Atmospheric conditions, state of the weather, and the appearance of the sky, all contribute to these varying aspects of the snow-crested monarch. Even the seasons, and the change of the landscape around the base of the mountain, have much to do in producing the fitting moods and humors as shadowed forth by the different appearances. Residents of Oregon have noticed and noted these peculiarities, and doubtless have seen the old peak under various circumstances.

Those who looked at Mount Hood Wednesday afternoon saw it assume a new phase. Extending from the base to nearly the summit was a dense cloud. This cloud completely enveloped the lower part of the peak, and, though soft and hazy-like, was perfectly opaque. Down near the base it presented a dark blue color: a little higher the hue shaded the point off into a bronze purple; from midway up to where the cloud ended abruptly the filmy veil was of a pale rosy tint. But the glory of the whole scene was the summit of the peak. Probably only about one-tenth of the mountain was unobscured and this was the very tip. On that portion the sun shone with undimmed splendor, lighting it up with a brilliancy which was painful to the eye. It glowed like burnished copper for a moment and then changed to a ghostly whiteness, so that one readily fancied he could discern the snowy crystals. Looking at the grand old mountain, the lines of Bayard Taylor, flitted through the mind unconsciously:

We rise and journey onward,
Through valleys green and old,
When the far white Alps announce the morn,
And keep the sunset's gold.

Only for a short time, however, could this rare vision of beauty be seen. Twenty minutes later dark masses rolled upward, obscuring the sun and leaving every trace of Mount Hood buried behind a sombre pile of commonplace clouds.—*Oregonian.*

Beginning With Small Potatoes.

Fifty years ago, says the Pittsburg *Dispatch*, Ignacio Inez lived in a little cabin on the bank of a creek in Santa Clara County, California. Ignacio kept a pig and raised just enough potatoes to support life. There was land enough lying around loose out of doors to raise ship loads of potatoes, but that would have required work, and Ignacio never suspected that providence put him here to work. So he rolled cigaritas and watched his few plants grow. Potato patches like Ignacio's were called "milpas" in the Greaser dialect, and the Spanish law permitted the governor to issue grants to the holders of milpas in order to protect them from the cattle barons, who were in the habit of driving their herds across country devastating any little farms that might be in the way. So Ignacio asked for a grant. The Alcalde looked at his milpa, and found it so small that in derision he described it in his report as a "milpitas," or little potato patch. In a facetious spirit he called the ditches "creeks," and described the lines as running from a certain tree to a point on a creek, from one creek to another, etc. Gov. Michael Toreno approved and issued to Ignacio Inez a grant for the Rancho Milpitas, and Ignacio was protected from the raids of arrogant vaqueros and their lowing herds. When the territory came into the possession of the United States this country agreed to protect the rights of all landholders. Ignacio's grant said "from creek to creek." The facetiousness of the Alcalde was not appreciated, and Inez' milpitas of two or three acres grew to the Rancho Milpitas of 48,000 acres, and was so patented under the laws of the United States. The heirs of Ignacio, the cigarita-rolling Greaser, became wealthy hidalgos and their daughters were sought in marriage by Gringo adventurers.

How Americans Throw Away Money.

It gives one an idea of the stupendous increase of wealth in this country that the Ponce de Leon Hotel at St. Augustine, Fla., which cost $2,500,000 and holds about 1,000 guests, has paid so well that its owner is adding to it the Alcazar, across the street at a cost of $3,500,000 more. The Atlanta *Constitution* describes this hotel as a world-wonder of splendor and luxury, but the paragraph that gives the best idea of its elegance and the wealth of its patrons is this:

"The rates? Five dollars a day and upward. Eight out of ten visitors pay $5 a day. The other two taking private parlors or extra rooms, pay from $8 to $100 a day. The suit of rooms engaged by Mr. Pulitzer were $650 a week. The Duke of Newcastle paid $580 a week for his rooms, ordered in an extra sideboard, and kept them while away two weeks in Southern Florida. A lady paid $1,000 for two weeks for her apartments. The bridal chambers cost $40 a day—not a steep figure for young folks. The price paid for dinner is $2—simply because the boats and trains bring scores of sight-seers every day who take dinner, hear the concerts and explore the house from the picture gallery and gardens to the sheltered roof below which and far away the ocean unrolls its thunderous majesty."

Truly we are a great people when we can pay such hotel bills and still get home from such a distance.—*Rochester Union.*

A new use has been found for the nickel 5-cent piece—it can be used as a unit of measure in calculating by metric system. It is exactly two centimetres in diameter, and weighs five grains.

A New York scribe says that the typewriter, as an invention for catching husbands, becomes more and more successful everywhere.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.32, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.33, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23, p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 12.35, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.30, 5.54, 6.29, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.43 a. m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.50, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.12, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 8.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.40, 6.47, 8.10, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.25, p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6.58, 9.24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Dritton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 12.33, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 12.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 12.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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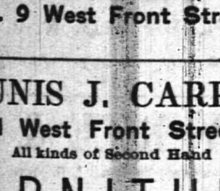

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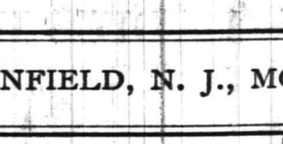

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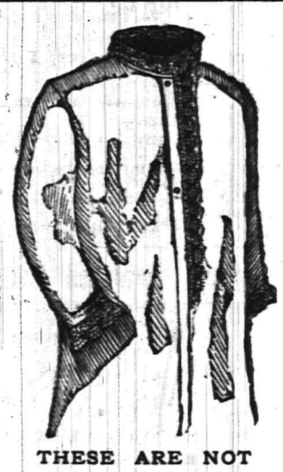

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DAVITT IS NOT DAUNTED.

HE INVITES THE ATTORNEY-GENERAL TO ARREST HIM AND PARNELL.

If the Government Has Proof Implicating Them in the Phœnix Park Murders, It Should Put Them in the Dock—Parliament Will Be Asked to Investigate.

LONDON, July 9.—In his speech at the Irish demonstration at Glasgow yesterday, Mr. Michael Davitt, referring to O'Donnell's libel suit against the Times, said it had been hinted that there was collusion between O'Donnell and the Times. This charge, he said, was entirely unjust and untrue. On the contrary, O'Donnell had pursued the course taken by him against his own judgment and will and on his (Davitt's) advice, along with that of some other Nationalists, who believed that the case would receive an impartial hearing before a British Judge. They had been grievously disappointed. Surely Chief Justice Coleridge when he discovered that there was no case on which to go to the jury, ought to have prevented Attorney-General Webster from trying to make out a charge against men who were not in court and who had no means of defending themselves. The excuse of the Times that the lives of their informants would not be safe if they were brought forward was absurd and an insult to common sense.

The real danger was that the informants themselves would be placed in the dock on the charge of forgery. The Attorney-General's assertion that he could prove the charges contained in the Time's article on "Parnellism and Crime" made the taking of futher action inevitable. But by whom was such action to be taken? If the letters alleged to have been written by Mr. Parnell were genuine; if the Attorney-General, as a law officer of the Crown, really held proofs sufficient to convict Parnell, the speaker, and others of conspiracy to murder, it was his duty to place them in the dock. [Cheers]. He challenged the Attorney-General to adopt such a course.

If the latter did not take up the challenge, as given from a public platform, he (Davitt) would put in a letter, giving the Attorney-General the alternative either of admitting that there was no proof with which to substantiate the charges or of forcing the Government to place on trial Mr. Parnell and himself. If the Government did not put them in the dock, it would be because they knew that the allegations were but the weapons of cowardly moral assassination. This was the only way in which the charges could be sifted to the bottom and the truth be made known to the people of Great Britain and Ireland. [Cheers.] There could be no shirking the issue.

The Sunday Observer says: "The disclaimer made on behalf of Mr. Parnell of any approval of O'Donnell's action against the Times is correct so far as Mr. Parnell personally is concerned, but the Parnellites admit that, at the instance of Mr. Davitt, Mr. Biggar, as Treasurer of the party, was in constant and friendly communication with O'Donnell during the preparations for the trial."

It is learned that Mr. Herbert Gladstone was subpœnned to give evidence regarding the correspondence between himself and O'Donnell on the subject of Mr. Parnell's release from Kilmainham jail, the letters forming the basis of the Kilmainham treaty.

Arrangements are being made to hold public meetings, at which there will by presented for signature a petition asking Parliment to take decisive measures to bring the charges against the Parnellites to a definite conclusion.

Mr. O'Donnell writes to a news agency that his counsel adopted the mode of proceedure taken in his suit against the Times at the instigation and on the unasked advice of two eminent Gladstonian members of the House of Commons. These gentlemen, both of whom are lawyers, urged that the Time's move would be completely exposed if that paper were compelled to show its whole hand, including that of O'Donnell, for rebutting the case. O'Donnell's solicitor also writes to contradict the Parnellite denial of knowledge of the case. He says that Davitt wrote in February offering on behalf of Mr. Parnell every assistance in his power. Since then they were acquainted with everything that occurred. Mr. Parnell requested that O'Donnell return from Italy for the purpose of having a private interview.

The Haverhill Fire.

HAVERHILL, Mass., July 9.—Hundreds of people yesterday visited the ruins of the Academy of Music fire. The opera house will probably be built at once. There were sixteen occupied tenements in the building, including the Commonwealth Hotel. The tenants moved out their furniture and lost heavily by damage.

The furniture in the hotel was insured for $3,000, which will not cover the loss. The occupants of offices in the front portion of the building moved out, and suffered severe loss from damage. The losses will not probably exceed $50,000, the estimates of last night being too large on the building and contents. Manager West expects to open the season in the rebuilt opera house in September.

Prize Fight Between Women.

BUFFALO, July 9.—A prize fight for from $500 to $1,000 a side is being arranged in this city. Hattie Leslie, a young married variety performer, issued a challenge to engage in a match with fists under prize ring rules, and it was accepted by Peter Bagley of Bradford., Pa., on behalf of Alice Leary, who is a professional club swinger and athlete. Mrs. Leslie is only 20 years old, but Miss Leary is 24. The latter is now swinging clubs at the Theatre Comique. John Leslie, the challenger's husband, said last night that a meeting would be held to-day to sign articles of agreement.

Coffee's Conviction Confirmed.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 9.—The judges of the Court of Errors have handed down a decision denying a new trial to Peter Coffee, who was sentenced to imprisonment for life for the murder of Charles I. Way of Stony Creek on May 7, 1887.

Two Children Drowned.

LACONIA, N. Y., July 9.—A carriage containing Mrs. Kelly of New York and Mrs. Brocklebank of Lynn and her two children, was backed off the road into Lake Winnipesaukie yesterday morning and the two children drowned.

Honoring the Brave.

NEW HAVEN, July 9.—The funeral of Edward Hubbell, the fireman who was killed at a Fourth of July fire, was held yesterday and was the largest ever known in this city. A fund of $500 has been raised for his family.

DUTCH KILLS' THIRD TRAGEDY.

The Circumstances Attending the Murder of Mrs. Watson.

DUTCH KILLS, L. I., July 9.—This place has furnished three murder cases within twenty four hours, the last one occuring Saturday night. The last victim is Mrs. Eliza Watson a widow 54 years old.

Joseph Smith and his wife and James Hewitt are now locked up in the Queen's County Jail for the murder, and John Woods is held as a witness.

John W. Smith, no relation to the prisoner, lost his wife a few weeks ago and proposed marriage to Maggie Graham. They were married, and a reception was held in the little building in the rear of the "House of Blazes." The occupants of that resort were invited. All accepted except Woods.

The beer flowed freely. Shortly after 10:30 o'clock the people from Watson's house went back there and sat on the stoop facing on Puavis street.

The young fellows of the neighborhood heard of the wedding and determined to give John Smith and wife a "calathumpian." Smith rushed out from the house and told the gang that he would pay for a keg of beer if they would leave him. At the same time Joseph Smith ran down stairs from his apartment, followed by his wife, and with curses ordered them away. Hewitt seemed to enjoy the racket, and told them to go ahead and amuse themselves themselves all they wanted to.

Woods sat in the basement and was a witness of all that ensued. He was perfectly sober and had not joined in the general hilarity. Hewitt's remark angered Joseph Smith and he turned upon him. In a moment the two were engaged in a hand-to-hand fight. Mrs. Smith joined in to aid her husband. Mrs. Watson had gone into her kitchen before the beginning of the row. The Smiths had beer glasses as weapons, while Hewitt used a base ball hat with telling effect upon the heads of his opponents.

A couple of minutes after Mrs. Watson ran out she succeeded in pushing her brother, James Hewitt, into the house. He still held the base ball bat which he had picked up in hand. Then Joseph Smith and his wife caught the unfortunate woman, and hurled her over the railing. She fell head first to the ground. She gave one or two short gasps, half opened her eyes, and died. Her neck was broken by the fall.

Prizes for Marksmen.

NEWARK, July 9.—Hundreds of dwellings and business places in Newark were decorated with flags and bunting early yesterday in honor of the biggest shooting festival ever held in this country, which will begin this morning with a large parade.

On Saturday night the Reception Committee received official notice that Gov. Green and his entire staff would visit the festival on Thursday afternoon.

About fifty riflemen from different States arrived in Newark on Saturday night. As soon as they reported to the accommodation committee, they were assigned to their quarters for the week. The guarantee fund of the union is $25,000, or $500 in excess of the amount required for the festival.

The "Honor," "American Champion" and "Stich" targets will be open to members of the union only. For contestants on the two former about 200 prizes each will be given, while on the "Stich" 75 money prizes, aggregating $1,000, will be given. The "King," "American Standard," "Man" and "Point" targets are open to all comers.

On the "Ring" $1,500 will be divided into 125 prizes; on the "Man," $1,100, divided into 100 prizes; on the "Point," $1,100, divided into 100 prizes; on the "American Standard," $850, divided into 50 prizes.

The latter target is open only to rifles weighing under ten pounds and having a trigger pull of at least three pounds. Besides the 50 prizes for points on this target, 100 prizes will be given for the best bulls' eyes, a silver medal for 25 points, a gold medal for the next 125 points, and for each 50 points thereafter $3 in cash.

Besides being crowned "kings of the marksmen," and receiving the $100 diamond-studded badge, the man making the most points in his first 300 shots will receive $25 in cash.

O'Donnell Dies Hard.

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Superintendent Hasbrouck Resigns.

TRENTON, N. J., July 9.—The resignation of Dr. Washington Hasbrouch, principal of the State school, has been accepted and Professor J. M. Green, of Long Branch, will be his successor. This is the outcome of the contest in the Democratic party, dating back to Chapman's election, whose successful candidacy Ex-Governor Abbett espoused much to the disgust of Ex-Senator Cattle, who wanted his relative, Professor Green, chosen.

Uncertain on the Question.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—It is announced that Representative McAdoo, of New Jersey, who has been counted upon as being a Randall man and one who would vote against the Mills bill, has decided to vote for that measure.

This will leave Randall and Snowden, of Pennsylvania, and Foran, of Ohio, about the only Democrats who will vote against the bill.

By His Own Bullet.

NEW YORK, July 9.—The suspicions of foul play concerning the death of Arthur Otto, Governor Robinson's former butler, who was found dead on Saturday evening at Fritz Janas's hotel, are now thought to be groundless. Assistant Coroner Jenkins made an autopsy yesterday and became convinced that it was a case of suicide. The body will be buried in Woodlawn Cemetery.

Gambling By The Seaside.

LONG BRANCH, N. J. July 9.—All of the gambling houses here have been in full blast to-day, and to-night they are crowded with players. A well-known sporting man is reported to have won $12,000 at the faro table in Phil Daly's Pennsylvania Club House Saturday night. He cashed in his chips, drove up to the Long Branch Club House of John Daly, and resumed play. In about three hours he left the table, having lost about $22,000.

SHERIDAN SAFE AT NONQUITT.

His Condition as Favorable as When He Left the Capes of Delaware.

NONQUITT, July 9.—The Swatara came to anchor off this village at 2 o'clock yesterday afternoon, after a run of seven hours from New London. About two hours afterward General Sheridan was brought ashore without any apparent discomfort, and is now in his own cottage.

A large crowd of citizens and visitors watched the transfer of General Sheridan to the shore. The General lay on a couch in a small boat, which was towed by the Swatara's steam launch. When the boat reached shallow water a dozen sailors waded out and lifted the bed, bearing it carefully to the shore. Mrs. Sheridan and two Sisters of Charity, who have attended the General, were brought ashore first and were ready to receive and care for the patient as soon as he was safely borne to the cottage.

A bulletin issued by General Sheridan's physicians to-night says:

"He was somewhat restless last night, and consequently has been rather nervous to-day; nevertheless, his circulation continues good and his general condition is quite as favorable as it was when he left the capes of Delaware."

A Child Attempts Suicide.

NEW YORK, July 9.—A very pretty little girl boarded, early yesterday morning, the sloop Nanson, lying at the foot of Seventy-ninth street in this city. Scarcely had she got on board when she jumped into the river. Martin Burns had his attention attracted and jumped after her, then began a fight for the lives of both. The little one was only 11 years of age, but she fell into a convulsion when Burns took hold of her, but he finally succeeded in reaching the sloop with her.

She was little Lottie Hornbustle, and has for some time past been subject to convulsions, which deranged her mind. Yesterday morning she managed to escape from the home of he parents, where she had been for some time under watch, because of her complaint. The poor little unfortunate will not, it is thought, be seriously injured by her unwitting attempt to commit suicide.

Trouble Among the Bald Knobbers.

ST. LOUIS, July 9.—Information from some of the Bald Knobber counties in southwest Missouri is to the effect that trouble is brewing between two factions of the Bald Knobber organization. A man known as "Doc" Petters was arrested at Cassville last week as a Bald Knobber, and the arrest is likely to prove an important one, as Petters is known to be one of the leaders of a band who have stolen during the past year more than 2,000 cattle off the ranges in Ozark, Christian and Taney counties. One of the factions asserts that the other has been revealing the secrets of the order, and already more than one member has been murdered for giving information to the authorities, and more murders are daily looked for. Both sides are well armed, and if an open war should take place, great loss of life is apprehended.

Gen. Boulanger Speaks.

PARIS, July 9.—Gen. Boulanger, speaking at a banquet at Rennes Saturday, vehemently attacked the Chamber of Deputies for the futility of its work. He said: "It is time to end this Chameer and this sinister constitution. The great voice of the people must make itself heard at the elections. The nation must declare its will. Let us arise and defend the republic. Let dissolution and revision henceforth be our only aim. May that one cry alone rally us and enable us to attain that end."

Killed Her with a Stone.

KANSAS CITY, Mo., July 9.—Mrs. Jane Bradley and Mrs. Mary Childers, two of the most prominent women in Lamar, Ark., living in adjacent houses quarrelled yesterday morning. When Mrs. Bradley started into Mrs. Childer's yard the latter seized a stone and threw it at Mrs. Bradley. It flew true and Mrs. Bradley fell unconscious with her skull fractured, and died this evening. Mrs. Childers surrendered to the authorities.

Strikers Quiet.

CHICAGO, July 9.—General Manager Stone said there were no new facts yesterday regarding the Burlington dynamite conspiracy, but it is understood that a number of additional arrests will be made by the United States Marshal to-day. General Superintendent Rhodes was in the city yesterday morning for a short time in consultation. He left suddenly for Aurora and at night went to Burlington.

Murderous Malays.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 9.—Latest advices from Australia state that at a festival at Normantown the Malays killed three white men. In revenge the Europeans set fire to all the Malay houses. They also destroyed all their fishing tackle. The Europeans are looking for the Malay murderers with the intention of lynching them.

Chicago Has A Mystery.

CHICAGO, July 9.—The life saving crew saw a human body floating in the lake about two miles off shore yesterday afternoon. When the body was hauled into the boat it was found that a forty-pound stone was tied to its feet. At the Morgue it was found that the body was that of a man of large stature and about 40 years old. It is thought to be a case of suicide.

Corn Cure that Proved Fatal.

BELLEVILLE, Mich., July 9.—Mrs. Marvin Strong, 68 years old, who lives near Dentonville, had been troubled with bad corns for some time past and had tried to get relief for doctoring with some patent medicine. They gradually grew worse, gangrene set in, and she died last night in great agony.

Another of the Dutch Kill Victims.

DUTCH KILLS, L. I., July 9,—Another one of the alleged gang of rough who attacked Teeney's saloon at Dutch Kills, L. I., late on Friday night died yesterday. His name was Cornelius Welsh. William Owens, was buried yesterday.

Hung With a Bandana.

LONG ISLAND CITY, July 9.—Dangling from a branch of a tree on Noble street yesterday morning was the dead body of a man. Nothing was found that would lead to his identity. He hung himself with a bandana handkerchief.

Three Attempts at Suicide.

SPRINGFIELD, Ohio, July 9.—Nellie Goodson, who attempted to kill herself last evening by taking three ounces of chloroform, is still alive, but her recovery is doubtful. This is her third attempt at suicide. She had brain fever at 15, which left her unsound in her mind.

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OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The eight o'clock meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms this evening will be led by Mr. Geo. F. Brown. All men are heartily welcomed.

—The *Stolen News* of Saturday copied from these columns of the days before, the arrival of the Crescent Avenue bell, the fracas of Wendell and Fritz, and the Westfield fire.

—Yesterday was one of the most delightful days thus far this season. The atmosphere was cool, and made an agreeable change from the extreme heat of the past week.

—An alarm of fire on Saturday evening called out the firemen, but the fire was found to be somewhere beyond New Market, and consequently their services were not required.

—Mr. B. Fosgate, architect of North avenue, has awarded the contract to Waterson & Richardson of this city, for the erection of Mr. L. Wessing's new residence at Cranford, N. J.

—The heavy rain storm on Thursday afternoon last, caused the water to flow into the Trinity Reformed Sunday school room and thoroughly saturate the carpets and furnishings.

—The regular Monday evening open-air concert which was to have been given at Caspar's Hotel this evening, has been indefinitely postponed. Due notice will be given through the newspapers.

—The first excursion from this city to Ocean Grove and Asbury Park, will be that of the W. C. T. U., to-morrow. This enterprise on the part of this noble band of women should be largely patronized.

—The key of the new bell of the Crescent Avenue church, is G natural. It is one of the best toned in the city, but not any the less do some of its neighbors complain because the old bell was replaced at all.

—There will be a special meeting of the Plainfield Camera Club in the Y. M. C. A., hall, this evening, at eight o'clock. All the members are earnestly requested to be present, by order of the Secretary, Mr. G. Harry Squires.

—The first grand picnic of the Shooting Section of the Plainfield Gesang and Turn Verein Society, will take place at Keller's Grove, North Plainfield, on the afternoon and evening of Thursday, July 19. If stormy the picnic will take place on the following Thursday.

—A horse and wagon belonging to the Adams Express Company ran away from the stable on Madison avenue, early this morning. The animal was subsequently caught on Park avenue, near Second street. The only damage done was a wrecked wheel on the wagon.

—The *Somerset Democrat* says of Assemblyman Ulrich's paper: "The June number of *The Royal Craftsman* is very interesting, as usual. The article on 'Masonry' is more than interesting. The poem on 'True Brotherhood' is a gem, while the editorial is bright, crisp and refreshing. P. M., Ulrich, the editor, is to be congratulated on the success he has made of this journal. Every Mason should read the June issue."

The Father Vindicates His Son.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—I see in your issue of July 5, that my son is accused of an alleged attempt at robbery, which I believe to be unfair, in view of the fact that I have investigated the matter and have talked personally with Mr. Jas. McLimax on the subject. The latter says he would be willing to testify in court that my son David was in no way connected with the alleged attempt.

JOHN WENDELL.

"SUMMER SCHOOL OF METHODS."

Programme for the Session at Ocean Grove.

The programme in full of the "Summer School of Methods," an important branch of the W. C. T. U. work, will be found below. Three sessions—morning, afternoon and evening—will be held at Ocean Grove to-morrow and on Wednesday. Following is the

PROGRAMME:

Tuesday, July 10—10 A. M., devotions led by Mrs. A. M. Hammer of Newark. 10:30, address of welcome by Mrs. Sara Culver, Ocean Grove. Response by Mrs. N. L. Caminade, Trenton. 11, "How may prison and jail work be most successfully carried on?" Mrs. Batchelder of Glenridge. 11:30, "Best methods of distributing literature," Mrs. H. H. Connah. 12, noontide prayer and adjournment.

Afternoon—2:30, devotions led by Mrs. M. R. Denman of Newark. 3:00, "Practical work of flower and fruit mission," Mrs. E. R. Fuller of Rahway. 3:20, "Best methods of juvenile instruction," Mrs. P. H. Bennett, Plainfield. 3:30, chalk talk, Mrs. A. M. Hammer. 4:00, recitation, with musical accompaniment, Misses Jessie and Minnie Ellis. 4:15, "How may the masses be reached by our evangelistic department?" Miss Cassie Smith, Ocean Grove. Collection and adjournment.

Evening—7:30, Mrs. J. T. Ellis, corresponding secretary, presiding. Devotions led by Mrs. A. M. Bruen, Belvidere. Fraternal greetings by Dr. E. H. Stokes. Address, Mrs. M. A. Woodbridge of Ohio.

Wednesday, July 11—10:00 A. M., devotions led by Mrs. M. G. Underhill of Rahway. 10:30, paper on county organization, Miss A. F. Leavitt of Vineland. 10:45, paper on finance, Mrs. E. A. Mickle of Millville. 11:00, sketches of international council of women, Mrs. Fannie Humphreys of Summit. 11:30, paper on heredity, Mrs. Dr. Church, Passaic. 12:00, noontide prayer and adjournment.

Afternoon—2:30, devotions led by Mrs. H. B. Anderson of Newark. Bible reading, Mrs. J. T. Ellis, corresponding secretary. 3:15, paper on young people's work, by Miss M. E Campbell of New Brunswick. 3:25, Y. W. C. T. U. work, Mrs. A. M. Bruen of Belvidere. 3:35, hints on parliamentary usage, by Mrs. Downs. 4:00, paper on the influence of impure literature, Mrs. A. H. Ames of Roadstown. 4:15, social purity, Mrs. F. M. Harris, (Hope Ledyard) of Brooklyn. Collection and adjournment.

Evening—7:30, Mrs. Dr. Tomlinson of Plainfield, presiding. Devotions led by Mrs. Morehead of Philadelphia. Recitation, Miss Jessie C. Ellis, Ocean Grove. Address, Mrs. Clara Hoffman, president Missouri W. C. T. U. Collection and final dismissal.

Notes—Questions and discussion will be proper after each paper. Collections will be under the direction of the State Treasurer, Mrs. E. A. Mickle. Sisters will please wear the white badge, and be sure to *call and register* at our State headquarters, "white ribbon cottage," 22 South Ocean Pathway.

Literature table will be under the care of Mrs. Connah, State Superintendent.

Death of an Old Citizen.

At his home near the Two Bridges, at about five o'clock yesterday afternoon, occurred the death of Mr. Daniel Lee, better known as one of the Lee Brothers. The deceased was about 70 years of age, and was a sufferer from heart and dropsical troubles. His last illness dates back for a period of about two months.

Mr. Lee and his brother, Frazee, the latter the only surviving member of the family, have occupied the house in which the younger brother died, almost all of their life time. By strict economy and careful attention to business the two brothers have amassed a fortune estimated to be worth in the neighborhood of $200,000. Much of the money is invested in real estate in this city, some of the most valuable being located on East Front street between Park avenue and Peace street. In 1887 the property here was assessed for $28,050, but this is only a small portion in comparison with the money invested in farms elsewhere.

About six or seven years ago, the deceased's mother died, and since then the brothers have kept house for themselves. The funeral arrangements have not yet been completed.

Vanderbilt's Brother-in-Law.

Col. Elliot F. Shepard who spoke to the Sunday school of the Crescent Avenue church, yesterday morning, is the abnormal owner of the New York *Mail and Express*. This paper publishes each day at the head of its editorial page, a text from the Bible recording the fact that "the heavens opened and a white horse appeared," or some other equally important event.

Mr. Shepard has leased two cottages at Bar Harbor for the season, one for himself and family and the other for his guests. Mr. and Mrs. A. D. Shepard, of Scotch Plains, and their family, will be included among the latter.

It is said that a private wire will connect the Colonel with the office of his newspaper, and each morning during his absence he will transmit the text of the day. As this gentleman tried to boost a railroad president into the White House, none need be surprised at anything he does. He married a daughter of the late Wm. Vanderbilt, a sister of the present railroad King.

Upset From a Buck-Board.

Mrs. McCready and Mrs. Corson of the Hotel Netherwood, were thrown out of a buck-board by a frightened horse, about noon, today. The accident occurred on Berckman street near the railroad, and the unfortunate ladies were seen lying in the road by Engineer Monoyhan who was passing on No. 33.

Upon arrival at the station here, the Engineer notified hackman Sweeny and the latter hastened to the spot, helped both ladies into his carriage and took them to the Hotel. Neither was seriously hurt, although both were somewhat shaken up.

The horse, which was Mrs. McCready's, after upsetting the wagon and emptying its occupants out, returned at once to the Netherwood stables.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. John G. Langgood, the barber, will open a shop in Baltimore, Md., and not at Boston as reported.

Mr. W. F. Adams of North Plainfield, went to Boston on Saturday, to attend the funeral of his brother, who died there last week.

Mr. Geniah Harris, a former resident of our city, but now of Philadelphia, is visiting his brother-in-law, Mr. Joel Bryant, of West Fifth street.

Mr. Isaac Schwed of the enterprising firm of Schwed Brothers, clothiers and dealers in gents furnishing goods, is rusticating at Saratoga.

Mr. J. H. Taber, formerly connected with the Electric Light Company in this city, but now of New Bedford, Mass., visited friends here yesterday.

A private letter from Mr. Wm. H. Brower, to THE PRESS, dated at London, states that he is enjoying exellent health and had a most delightful voyage over. Mr. Brower says he hopes to get some salmon fishing in Scotland.

THE PRESS on June 28, announced the marriage of Miss Eva Kelly of Oak Tree, to Mr. John H. Campbell, son of Mr. Ellis Campbell, proprietor of the Club House on Park avenue. A strange co-incidence is the fact that a cousin of the groom, also of the same name, was married at Woodbridge, on the same day and at the same hour to Miss Kate Elma Mawbey, a lovely young lady of that place. It appears that each of the weddings were arranged, unknown to the other couple. Both the newly-wedded couples will be "at home" at the Club House on Park avenue, on Thursday, July 12, at eight P. M.

A Denial.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS—I see in your issue of July 5, a statement to the effect that a companion and myself followed Adam Fritz, Sr., with the intention of robbing him on the evening of July 3. This I deny. The facts are these: On the evening of July 3, between 9 and 10 o'clock I was walking along Somerset street, on my way home, in company with my wife, when my attention was attracted to the opposite side of the street to two colored women whom Fritz was talking to as they walked along Somerset street. My suspicion was at once aroused, and when I arrived at my dwelling I told my wife to go inside as I wanted to see what was going on. I had walked but a short distance when I met another man whose attention was likewise drawn to Fritz and the colored women. We conversed together for a few minutes when one of the colored women crossed the street by the mile bridge and disappeared from sight, followed by Fritz. I upbraided Fritz for his scandalous conduct and he bounded toward me with a terrible oath. I then left them.

My companion's name is James Mc Limax who I believe is a respectable citizen of North Plainfield. I had no intention of robbing Fritz but followed him simply to satisfy my own curiosity.

DAVID G. WENDELL.

Entered Her Bed-Chamber.

Mrs. Arthur Scott, whose husband works at the Potter Press, and who occupies a house on Washington avenue, near Front street, was awakened about half-past one o'clock on Saturday night, by a man prowling about her bed room. The lamp she left burning when she retired was out and the room was in total darkness. Mrs. Scott recognized Andrew Duthie, a man who had formerly boarded with the family.

Springing from her bed Mrs. Scott ran to the floor above and notified her brother-in-law, and the latter started out to notify Mrs. Scott's husband, who was at work at the Press Works. Duthie was arrested at his boarding house soon afterward and locked up.

This morning Mrs. Scott formally lodged a complaint against the prisoner, charging him with entering her room through a window. The man declared his innocence, but Judge Suydam adjudged him guilty and committed him to the County Jail for 60 days.

Trinity Reformed Church Services.

At both the morning and evening service in Trinity Reformed church, yesterday morning, there was a large attendance. In the morning Rev. Geo. L. Van Neste, formerly pastor of the Reformed church of Bound Brook, but now of Glasco, N. Y., preached, taking his text from Romans, 5th chapter, and a part of the 20th verse: "But when sin abounded, grace did much more abound."

In the evening the reverend gentleman took for his text: "Martha and Mary," as related in the latter part of the 10th chapter of Luke.

A Public Meeting

Will be held at "Gep's" Headquarters, No. 20 East Front street, on Tuesday evening, the 10th inst., at 8 o'clock, on the occasion of the organization of the "Tippecanoe Club" of this city. The silver tongued orator, Peter Bergen of Somerville, and others, will address the meeting, which will also be enlivened by singing by a local glee club. All are cordially invited to attend.

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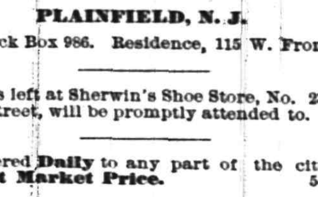

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TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS.

DEAR SIR—Among the many qualifications of D. L. Moody, not the least beneficial to others is his power of drawing men to himself. This is seen in the magnificent gifts which have been made to him by men who have become attached to him through the message he brings from his God. And this quality of his character is strikingly shown in this little town—his native place—where friends have furnished the means to erect five handsome buildings costing from $30,000 to $75,000 each. And nestling here as they do, on the rising slope of the river bank, over-looking the neighboring mountains of Vermont, Massachusetts and New Hampshire, they form the ideal school grounds. For here in the midst of nature in her fairest robes, with the fine mountain air and peaceful surroundings, study can be real study. In such a place Mr. Moody for two years past has convened his Summer school for Bible study, calling it a "college of colleges," for its primary object is to bring college men together. It is true, however, that all are welcome, and again his power of drawing men shows itself, for he has had here the best Bible teachers of the country. This year we have Dr. Broadus, a great favorite with young men; H. Clay Trembull, editor of the *Sunday School Times* and a noted scholar and orientalist; Mr. R. P. Wilder, one of the originators of the great missionary movement in our colleges; Dr. Hudson Taylor of England, founder of the China Inland Mission; Prof. Harper of Yale, an authority on Old Testiment studies; Bishop Hendrix and others, not forgetting Mr. Moody and his companion, Ira D. Sankey. And not only have these great men been drawn here, but four hundred young men from Yale, Harvard, Princeton, Amherst, Dartmouth and nearly every college in our land have come to study with them. And the men are choice men, and men influential in their own colleges—Stagg, Yale's great pitcher; Cowan, Princeton's foot ball captain; members of the nines, crews and foot ball teams of the leading athletic colleges, and they are not here for effect, but for work—as Mr. Russell Sturgess said at the close of a meeting the other day, after a prayer by Mr. Stagg, "he hoped the day would come soon when his own college, Harvard, would not be so handicapped by a praying preacher." And the men have come from all climes—India, Japan, China, Siam, Africa, Canada, England, Switzerland. The English delegation from Oxford and Cambridge is a notable one, as it is by Mr. Studd, the great cricket player. And outside of the college men many Young Men's Christian Associations are represented, occupy some thirty tents on the brow of the hill, the foremost one being inhabited by members of the Plainfield Young Men's Christian Association.

The day here is devoted to study and recreation. A meeting is held at 8 A. M., at which association work is discussed. At 10 o'clock the regular meeting is begun at this meeting we have had addresses on Consecration, The Holy Spirit, Assurance and Bible studies on different subjects. No meetings are allowed in the afternoon, and base ball, tennis, swimming, riding, walking and the multitude of sports so enjoyed by hearty men are indulged in to the full. Last Tuesday Yale played a picked nine and won by 6 to 4. The next day a cricket game was managed by the Englishmen; on Saturday we have athletic sports and so the time is filled. In the evening at 7 a missionary meeting is held and quite a number of volunteers have already been added to the 2,300 who now stand ready to go into foreign fields. At 8 comes the evening meeting, at this meeting we have had talks on Bible geography, personal work and kindred topics. Following this many of the delegations hold prayer meetings in their tents and rooms and some in the open air. It is well worth living to see this day when a man can come into this mount of privilege and see four hundred strong young men each with his own Bible going into the work so heartily.

As I said before this great opportunity is open to all who desire to spend a day or more in listening to the men who have been named while they expound God's word. For all who desire to become more efficient in Christian work; who desire more of the Spirit of Power, this place is wonderfully fitted, and it is the hope of those of us who are here from Plainfield that more of us will next year take the opportunity.

Very sincerely yours,

WM. D. MURRAY.

NORTHFIELD, MASS., July 5, 1888.

Reform Hall Meeting.

There was a very interesting meeting in Reform Hall last evening. The speakers were Wm. H. Sampson, C. W. Hillman and Seely Edsall, each of whom spoke in the order named and to most excellent effect. The recital of the story of Belshazzar by Mr. Hillman produced a marked influence upon the audience, which was increased by the after rendering of the "Handwriting on the wall" by Mr. Vanderbeek and his choir. Judge Harper occupied the chair as Vice President and Mr. Seely Edsall conducted the devotional services. The singing of the doxology closed the meeting.

—School days for many of our young women and young men are now over, and, may we not stop to inquire: "What are your plans for the future? Are they of a high order which draws your attention to the highest round in the ladder of fame and usefulness?"

EX-GOV. ST. JOHN'S OPINION.

An Infamous Proposition—Every Dollar to "Protection" a Thousand Dollars to Capital.

THE PRESS will give all sides of every question. Already the Republican and Democratic principles, platforms and political proceedings have been and will continue to be given. The way the Prohibitionists look at things, also deserves record. They are a most important factor in the result of the next election for a President of these United States.

At a meeting of the Staten Island Prohibitionists, held last Friday evening, ex-Gov. St. John of Kansas, said, among other things:

"The Republican party in its platform says we must reduce the surplus in the Treasury, first, by removing the tax from tobacco, because it is a burden upon agriculture; second, if the removal of the tax on tobacco is insufficient for this purpose, the party favors the removal of the tax on alcoholic liquors used in the arts and for mechanical purposes; and next, most monstrous of all, it deliberately proposes to revise our present tariff laws so as to check the importation of foreign goods, and thus reduce the revenue; to shut out all healthy competition and build up giant monopolies—in other words, to keep the burden upon the people's clothing and food. You little realize how much this tariff is costing you. The suit which I have on (of gray Scotch goods) cost me $35 in Kansas. I have just come from Halifax, in Nova Scotia, and while there I went into a tailor's shop and asked him what he would duplicate the suit for. He said $20, and before I left he offered to make it for $18. This shows that I paid an extra price of $17 for my suit in Kansas. This set me to inquiring. I thought I would buy a black platform suit. I had one that cost me $70 in Kansas, and the tailor made me one of the best West of England cloth for $35."

"How about the wages?" some one in the audience asked.

"They say that there men were working for pauper wages. I asked the tailor how much he paid the man who cut and made my suit of clothes and he answered $100 a month. I found the wages of the common laborer there $1.25 a day. They do not have free trade in Nova Scotia, but their tariff rate is away below ours. Now this great Republican party, instead of proposing to reduce the tax $17 or $35 on a suit of clothes, says, 'No we'll take the burden off tobacco and liquors used in the arts, and if that is not sufficient we will raise the tax on clothing in order to shut out competition.' Thus, instead of taking the burden off the masses, they propose to pile the burdens higher on them. And if this is not sufficient to reduce the surplus they say that they propose to remove the tax from every distillery and brewery and saloon rather than to take the burdens from the necessaries of life. The people of this country will never endure such an infamous proposition.

"The Republican party is wrong in proposing to take a tax from whisky, because it is wrong to take a tax from any iniquity. If the Republican party had joined to its action in respect to whisky a condemnation of the liquor traffic, it would have received the approval of Christian men. The great trouble is that there is ten times more politics in their purposes than protection for the people. I say that for every dollar of protection extended to labor there is $1,000 given to capital."

When Twenty-One.

The general election takes place November 6th this year, and any man otherwise qualified can vote that day if his birthday on which he calls himself 21 doesn't come until the day after, that is November the 7th. It seems queer, but it is a legal fact, that the man whose birthday is the 7th, becomes 21 at midnight after the 5th. The law recognizes no parts of days, and so legally if he is 21 at any time of the 7th, he is 21 all day of the 6th, and he vote on that day. It is a matter that has been tested and demonstrated, and any young man, reading this, who thinks he will be 21 on the 7th because it is his birthday, is hereby advised that he will be 21 on the 6th, and it is his duty and privilege to get himself made a voter in due season.

More New Passenger Cars.

The Woodruff combined buffet and sleeping cars Christiana and Raritan, just received by the Central Railroad of New Jersey, are models of elegance. They are finished in mahogany and highly polished. Large plate-glass mirrors ornament the panels and Wilton carpets cover the floor. Ladies' and gentlemen's rooms are at either end, while each berth has an electric bell button to summon the porter, if needed. Neither time nor expense has been spared to fit these cars up in a style second to none, and the ease and comfort enjoyed in them while spinning over the rails is something to be appreciated. They are mounted on steel-tired paper wheels.—*Ex.*

To Shoot for the Championship.

A live pigeon shooting match for $100 cash and the championship of New Jersey, will be contested for on the grounds of the Jersey City Heights Gun Club, on Thursday, the 12th inst., at two P. M. The contestants are Mr. Charles Smith of this city, and Mr. Gus Manitz, a member of the Orange Valley Gun Club.

The conditions of the match are at fifty live birds each, according to Hurlingham rules. A large number of persons will doubtless be present to witness the contest.

—The roar of political artillery is already heard in the land.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

MUHR IS ADJUDGED INSANE.

TAKEN BY STRATEGY AND INCARCERATED IN BELLEVUE.

He Attempted to Drown His Wife at Long Branch and Wanted to Kill His Mother-in-Law—Taken to Police Headquarters and Thence to the Insane Pavilion.

Mr. Joseph Muhr, the eccentric jeweler of 13 Maiden Lane, who has been laboring under the hallucination that his relatives are trying to kidnap him, walked into police headquarters at 9 o'clock last night in company with Dr. E. C. Spitzka of 712 Lexington avenue and Dr. Albert Sussel of 60 West Fifteenth street. He was greatly excited and said he wanted to send out a general alarm for his wife who had been kidnapped. Sergeant Kellaher, who heard his complaint, asked him when he had missed his wife and then he said that she was not missing. His mother-in-law, he said, was missing, and he wanted to find her in order that he might kill her.

Then the sergeant looked sharply at him and then inquiringly at the two doctors. Dr. Spitzka wrote the name "Joseph Muhr" on a slip of paper and handed it to the sergeant. Muhr then asked for a piece of writing paper and wrote this telegram, addressed to himself at Hollywood, Long Branch:

"I am at police headquarters sending out a general alarm. Detain Theodore. Look for the cook and Katy. Find driver of the wagon containing the Isadors."

(Signed) JOSEPH MUHR.

Mr. Muhr handed this dispatch to the Sergeant, and told him to send it out forthwith as a general alarm. The sergeant took it and invited him and the doctors into the Inspector's room. Dr. Spitzka then told Acting Inspector Captain McLaughlin that Mr. Muhr was suffering general paresis, and should be sent to an asylum. Captain McLaughlin sent for a Bellevue Hospital ambulance; but when it came the man was very indignant. He refused to leave the building, and as there promised to be a scene and a struggle, the captain advised the doctors to take him in a carriage. A carriage was then summoned and the patient and doctors, a nurse and a policeman entered it and Mr. Muhr started for the insane pavilion at Bellevue Hospital.

Dr. Spitzka says that he and Dr. Sussel were summoned to Long Branch yesterday to see Mr. Muhr. He had been out driving in the forenoon and had nearly frightened his wife to death by trying to drive her into the sea in the dog cart. The doctor saw the necessity of placing him under restraint and coaxed him to come to this city, a proposition which he readily agreed to. By degrees they got him up to police headquarters under the plea that he should send out a general alarm for some of his alleged persecutors. By this means they placed him in charge of the police and accomplished their mission with very little trouble. Dr. Spitzka says he believes the young man can be cured.

Seven Buildings Burned.

DANVILLE, Va., July 9.—Fire broke out at 2.15 o'clock yesterday morning in the Farmers' Leaf Tobacco warehouse, corner of Union and High streets, operated by Redd & Berger. The building was completely destroyed. Arnott, Snell & Co.'s mammoth tobacco manufactory, with a large stock of manufactured tobacco, was destroyed also. Stores on Union street, occupied by William Norris, grocer; D. Staum, clothier, and H. Cook, undertaker, were burned. Two unoccupied stores with boarding houses above, adjoining the warehouse, were partly burned. The warehouse property belonged to the estate of the late Dr. Thomas D. Stokes, and was valued at $20,000. Redd & Berger's loss is $20,000; insurance, $10,000. Arnott, Snell & Co.'s loss on building, fixtures and tobacco is $110,000: insurance $90,000. Other losses amount to $10,000. The fire lasted until 4 p. m.

Folsom Heirs Want Their Property.

OMAHA, July 9.—A petition was filed in the District Court Saturday by Frances C. Cleveland, Benjamin Folsom, N. E. Folsom, and ten other heirs of the late John B. Folsom, for the petition of their several interests in fifty lots in the city of Omaha, forming part of the Folsom estate. The property is valued at several hundred thousand dollars. The petition in the course of a very long and elaborate statement of the case explains that "the plaintiff Frances C. Cleveland is the same person as Francis C. Folsom, named as one of the devisees in said will, she having since the date thereof intermarried with one Grover Cleveland."

Suit to Eject Settlers.

TOPEKA, July 9.—Suit was begun Saturday to eject about 200 settlers in Allen County, who have occupied their farms for the past twelve or fifteen years. The suit is brought by the Missouri, Kansas and Texas Railroad, and by speculators. The controversy relates to about 30,000 acres. The railroad company claims that the lands were granted it by Congress in 1882. The settlers say the description does not cover the lands in controversy.

Seven Cases at South Norwalk.

SOUTH NORWALK, Conn., July 9.—The quarantine flag is flying from several houses here. Smallpox prevails.

Baseball Games Played Sunday.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3
Brooklyn	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	2	—4

AT KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2
Baltimore	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	—3
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0	0	—4
Athletics	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 8, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	38	19	Brooklyn	44	20
Detroit	35	22	St. Louis	37	20
New York	34	24	Athletic	36	23
Boston	34	27	Cincinnati	36	25
Philadelphia	28	28	Baltimore	27	33
Indianapolis	21	36	Louisville	21	40
Pittsburg	19	34	Cleveland	19	40
Washington	19	38	Kansas City	19	38

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Saturday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	107⅜
Chic. Bur'l'n & Quincy	113
Del. Lack. and West	130¾
Lake Shore	91¼
Missouri Pacific	74½
N. J. Cent	82⅜
New York Central	104½
New York Lake Erie & West	24⅞
New York & New England	39⅜
Philadelphia & Reading	60⅝
Pac. Mail	34½
St. Paul	60
Union Pacific	56¼
Western Union	78⅝
Oil	76¾

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A Young Colored Burglar.

LOUISVILLE, Ky., July 9.—Henry Montgomery, colored, about 20 years old, was arrested last night for burglary. He confessed to many bold robberies. The detectives have tried to trace the burglar by watching the pawn shops, but Montgomery carried his booty to William Cobb, a manufacturing jeweller with a small shop and trade, and Cobb melted the metal into bullion, and about $20,000 worth of stolen good's was found at Cobb's shop.

A Third Trial for Ridenour.

WINCHESTER, Va., July 9.—Judge Clark had decided that T. A. Ridenour, who has been convicted of the murder of his friend, William Andrew Broy, twice, and twice sentenced to be hanged, shall be tried again in August before a Rockingham county jury. The new code of Virginia provides that the term of the County Court shall not last longer than fifteen days. Each of the former trials consumed one month.

Editor Cowles Seriously Ill.

LOCKPORT, N. Y., July 9.—Edwin Cowles, the editor of the Cleveland Ledger, who is on a visit to his son here, was siezed with a serious hemorrhage yesterday morning. Mr. Cowels was in London, but was ordered home by his physicians. His family is still in England.

The Duchess Arrives.

LONDON, July 9.—The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough arrived at Quakertown to-day on the Aurania. They will return to America shortly in order to allow the Duke to go on a projected Western shooting trip.

Republican Daily in Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The proprietor of the Sunday Gazette announces that the Gazette will in a short time be issued as a daily morning Republican newspaper, advocating protection.

DIAMOND DATA.

BROWN is still a great catcher.

HASSETT is laid up with a lame leg.

BALTIMORE is surely Brooklyn's Jonah.

GORE is no longer popular in New York.

COMISKEY is suffering from very sore hands.

WARD has been under the weather all season.

LOUISVILLE is after Hankinson of Kansas City.

THE Kansas City club has dropped Pitcher Hatfield.

MAL N SULLIVAN, of the Chicago's is nursing a lame back.

BOSTON howls for better batsman. Where can they be had?

CLARKSON will go to Australia with the Spalding aggregation.

CINCINNATI has never yet made a successful first trip to the East.

CARUTHER'S hasn't once complained of heart disease this season.

THE Chicago maroons have released Pitcher Dunn to Lima for $500.

MCLENNAN is not putting up the game he did earlier in the season.

JOHN QUINCY ADAMS STUCK has become Milwaukee's crack pitcher.

TWICE this season has Keefe struck out the side at bat in succession.

VAN HALTERN is one of the finest all-round players in the League.

BURDOCK is the only regular League player who has not made a long hit.

MANAGER WATKINS fined pitcher Getzein $100 in $10 clips for back talk.

THERE are three Snyders in the Central Interstate League, and all catchers.

BROOKLYN is the luckiest club in the association. It has no postponed games.

CLARKSON has pitched in more championship games than any League pitcher.

ESTERBROOK had not made an error for sixteen games previous to his retirement.

IF BARNIE had tried Shaw sooner his team might have more victories to its credit.

ANSON is financially interested in the trip of the Chicago Club to Australia this winter.

MILLANE has an arm that nothing can hurt. He certainly never complains of lameness.

KNOCK, they say, has only speed, but then he has German phlegm and is cool and nervy.

IT IS said that the Western Association umpires are better paid than those in the League.

IT IS a singular fact that the tail-ender, Louisville, actually leads the Association in batting.

BARNIE is said to be dickering with Louisville with a view of trading Joe Sommer for Hecker.

CLARKSON now realizes how much a pitcher is indebted for effectiveness to the team behind him.

ESTERBROOK'S chief and only weakness as a first baseman is said to be inability to handle high thrown balls.

BATES, of Harvard, has been elected a member of the Staten Island Club, and will pitch for them this summer.

HARDIE Richardson leads the League in two-baggers; Johnson in three-base hits, and Roger Connor in home runs.

NASH is back at Boston's second base and playing the bag as well as could be wished. Sutton is again on second base.

IT is estimated that there are over 600 amateur ball clubs in Chicago, with a membership of between 7,000 and 8,000.

PITTSBURG has offered $1,000 for pitcher Obrien, of the Lima Club. He is a good one, and that sum won't catch his club.

THE Detroits are in a bad way. Brouthers has a split hand, Hanlon has Charlie-horse, and one or two of the other men are injured.

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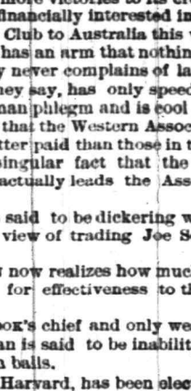

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DEAR SIR:—You have traveled a great deal, I hear, and if you will kindly drop me a line and tell me how to spend the summer I shall be greatly obliged. Excuse my troubling you. Very Respectfully, JOHN Q. PAYNE.

I appreciate the delicacy of your complaint, John Quincy, but I would have been just as deeply indebted if you had consulted a boarding-house directory and some railway time-tables and saved yourself the brain work and the large blue envelope with which you have honored me.

How can I tell what you wish to do or go fishing? Please answer the following questions by return mail, together with a certificate from your family physician, which I will place on file:

First—Are you married or single, or both. If so, how long?

Second—From what college did you graduate and what position did you hold on the team?

Third—Does your health require the daily use of fresh asparagus, cigarettes and lawn tennis, or can you withstand the hardships of a season in the Catskills?

Fourth—How often have you been engaged, and if frequently, state the most prominent feature of the family objections.

Fifth—Is there any particular spot you would like to infest during August and September, and if so, are you financially able to get there and get back without leaving a lien on three blazers and that irregular watch?

Sixth—Do you like the seashore, or do you prefer to flee as a bird to the mountains and walk back?

Seventh—Can you swim with both feet off bottom, or do you generally drown in deep water?

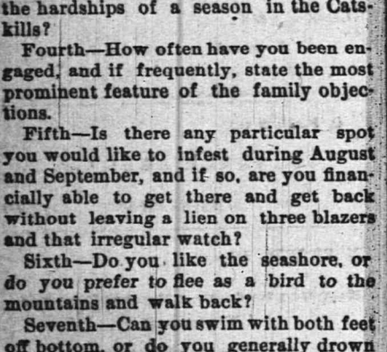
By a swift perusal of the above form properly filled out, I will be enabled to detect your wants and to give you advice, but at present I do not see my way clear to doing your case justice.

You have a large and varied field open to your choice, John, and you must indeed be fastidious if you cannot be pleased.

To the south lie Long Branch, Coney Island, Patchogue and ninety-four miles of Long Island boarding-houses; to the east are the camp-meeting and bicycle joys of Vineyard Haven and northerly are Newport, Bar Harbor, or the primeval forests of Maine. Withersoever your fancy's butterfly wings may flutter, your decision cannot but bring you content.

Through your pleasure-purpled meanderings my best wishes shall follow.

Blue-eyed June shall find you in the twinkling shadows of the larches, hand



AMONG THE LARCHES.

in hand with her—goddess of your day-dream's desire.

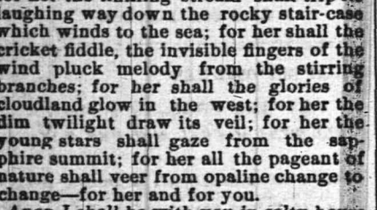
For her and her alone shall the sunshine sift aslant through the leafy arches, where the bobolink and thrush pour music into the golden urns of the silence of noon.

For her shall the Marguerite's pale splendor jewel the mead; for her the shy anemone nestle among the grasses; for her the tinkling stream shall trip its laughing way down the rocky stair-case which winds to the sea; for her shall the cricket fiddle, the invisible fingers of the wind pluck melody from the stirring branches; for her shall the glories of cloudland glow in the west; for her the dim twilight draw its veil; for her the young stars shall gaze from the sapphire summit; for her all the pageant of nature shall veer from opaline change to change—for her and for you.

Anon I shall be with you in salty hours by the sea, when, weary of ocean's glitter and roar, weary of the hard-thumped piano and the twitter of girls, weary of watching the vanishing sails on the mystic rim where the lips are meeting of billow and sky, weary and wan you clamber to tropical attic repose, lulled by the serenade of multitudinous wings.

THE SERENADE.

Yet anon shall I follow you upon the bosom of the deep, your strong arm driving the airy canoe from watery curve to curve—sapphire above and crystal beneath—the skill of your seamanship defying the elements until by some unforseen turn the pesky thing goes bottom side up and your shrill thoughts fly toward home.



THINKING OF HOME.

Up the summits of mountains old and hoary, down the balsam-scented ravine, over the rolling crests of Neptune, or where the hamadryads and the shadows are wedded, my spirit shall be pursuant to your wayward course.

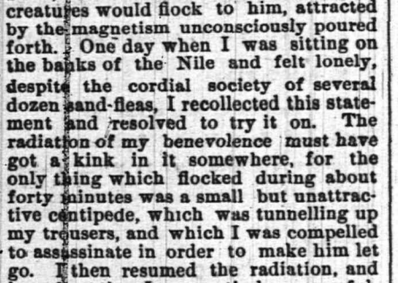
But do not, O John, burden your soul now with the vexations of choice. Put your trust in Providence or bull luck, buy your ticket for any where and you will be happy.

I also learn with great pleasure that a Mr. Pennington Carr, who inserts several dozen small-cap letters after his name but is otherwise a great and profound person, is about to make a circuit of Great Britain and possibly the United States for the purpose of delivering his humane lecture entitled "How to Win Dumb Animals." Mr. Carr has not yet written to ask my advice before taking this important step, and has also forgotten to send me a prospectus setting forth his purpose and the general features of his enterprise, but I am so deeply interested in the subject that I waive my right to these trivial courtesies and will do the best I can for him.

"How to Win Dumb Animals" is a complex and beautiful subject, and I have no doubt that Mr. Carr will handle it with enthusiasm and zeal, but there are certain ramifications of the American system which I would like to submit to him before he kindly crosses to this side.

I have devoted years of my life to the science of winning dumb animals. I remember once hearing a lecturer say that any one who would sit tranquilly in some lonely spot and let his benevolence radiate in all directions would be delighted and surprised to see how many birds, insects and other varieties of God's creatures would flock to him, attracted by the magnetism unconsciously poured forth. One day when I was sitting on the banks of the Nile and felt lonely, despite the cordial society of several dozen sand-fleas, I recollected this statement and resolved to try it on. The radiation of my benevolence must have got a kink in it somewhere, for the only thing which flocked during about forty minutes was a small but unattractive centipede, which was tunnelling up my trousers, and which I was compelled to assassinate in order to make him let go. I then resumed the radiation, and in a short time I was entirely successful, having won from the depths a four-ton hippopotmus, with an aperture in his countenaance like the Luray Cave. I would have liked to remain and study this noble animal, but just then I remembered that I promised to be at camp, two miles down the river, in twenty-five minutes, and I got there in six.

This experience of mine had a sad parallel in the case of my friend George Winthrop, one December day some years ago, when we were fishing on the Ouithlacoochee River, in Florida. George loved dumb animals, George did, and dumb animals loved him with a deep and lasting love which was beautiful to observe. On this bright and particular morning we were on the banks of the river, and George was about a hundred yards above me with his fishing-rod, his benevolence and a gob of worms. His magnetism must have radiated very powerfully, for he attracted a large alligator with a nine-foot smile, and as I had a bass fooling around my hook and could not leave, George vanished.



GEORGE VANISHED.

We captured the alligator two days later, and identified some of his contents—four back teeth, one suspender and a Manhattan watch—as having formerly been associated with George. I now have a large valise made from my friend's last home, and when packing for a journey I always shed tears into it.

I do not suppose that Mr. Carr will include in his lecture the art of winning a parrot, for not only is the parrot not a dumb animal, by a dumb sight, but he will take kindly instruction in holy writ for nine years and then get the instructor's finger between the lids of his beak and startle him both with agony and a burst of nautical language not fit for a family paper.

TWO AT A TIME.

A favorite and harmless way of winning obese and valuable Berkshire hogs is to pay $5 for the privilege of guessing their weight. The artist who tries to illustrate this article is an expert hog-guesser, and has promised to introduce a diagram of his own method in pursuing this elevating pastime at the monthly meeting of the Hog-Guessing Club in Newark. A skillful man, he says, can guess the weight of two hogs at once, and keep himself in short-ribs, pickled trotters and bacon the whole year around at trifling expense.

How to win a cat is a lost art, which I hope Mr. Carr will rescue from the slums of time for the benefit of persons already possessing cats. They could then be enabled to lose their cat and studiously avoid following Mr. Carr's rules. I have given a great deal of study to cats. When a cat comes into the world with his eleven other little brothers and sisters, he is playful and giddy for several months, except in those hours when he is distending his abdomen with milk, yelling for his mother or laying in an arm-chair waiting for some heavy person to sit down upon him. After this, however, he grows thoughtful and impetuous, devotes more time to society and felonies, joins the outdoor club, becomes musical and thinks it funny to be uproarious in dark corners at hours usually devoted by moral persons to slumber. I hope Mr. Carr will have a great deal to say in favor of the cat, for it will be a unique feature of his entertainment.

It is said that dogs may be won by kindness, and I believe this to be true, particularly if the kindness be mixed with large portions of steak. I had a headstrong and bob-tailed bulldog once who had the happy faculty of remembering me in the early morning when I fed him and forgetting me when I came home late at night. On one occasion he seemed to be uncertain whether I was a friend or an enemy, and to make sure he extracted a large sample of my leg to see if he could not detect me by the personal flavor. A sympathetic friend who called next morning with the surgeon told me that by forbearance and humane treatment I could soften the nature of the dog, but I found it more delightful and soothing to soften him first with a club and then with a dose of Rough on Rats.

I remember once reading that any fierce animal may be at once subdued by looking him straight in the eye. I tried this process two years ago on a dog who came up with enthusiasm while I was borrowing some apples in an orchard near Catskill, and as near as I can recollect the experiment was not a success. The trouble was that while I was looking into his eye he was looking at my trousers and our glances failed to meet, but while this circumstance caused me a great deal of lameness and regret, it does not invalidate the theory. It may be, too, that the fact that his master had sicked him on had something to do with his reluctance to pause and become subdued, and my experience need not, therefore, discourage other persons desiring to investigate, but I would recommend some other orchard and a less absent-minded dog.

HE WAS NOT SUBDUED.

Frances Hodgson Burnett's Dogs.

When Mrs. Burnett was a child her family lived in Tennessee. There they had—as she expressed it—"colonies of dogs," many of them disreputable ones, that came and asked to stay, or stayed without asking—any way to insinuate themselves into the household. One of these was dubbed "Pepper," because of his touchy, contradictory disposition, which led to habits and ways that were sources of great amusement to the children. He followed Mrs. Burnett's brother home one day and intimated that he had come to remain. He pretended to be a dog who was highly strung and sensitive, and that these traits had not been appreciated where he came from, but the children soon discovered that his sensitiveness was but temper.

The moment he was reproved for improper conduct, he went out of the front door and trotted home to the other family, who lived about four miles away. The children would stand on the piazza to watch him till he was out of sight. He had a long hill to trot over, and the intolerant scorn expressed by his tail and little hind legs, as he jogged along, never deigning to cast a glance behind, showed in the most scathing manner that, in his opinion, the family he had turned his back upon were people of no refinement of sentiment whatever, and could not be expected to understand the feelings of a dog of real delicacy. He always went away when lectured; and probably came back when the other family did not approve of his actions, because he kept running away and coming back for a year or two; finally, however, deciding that the children were worthiest of his continued patronage.—*St. Nicholas.*

An Odd Fact About Gun-Cotton.

When gun-cotton or other high explosives are exposed upon an anvil and detonated, the explosive leaves a deep and permanent impression upon the surface of the metal with which it was in contact. The impression produced by the exploding mass is an almost exact copy of that face of the explosive which was in contact with the metal. This is best observed from gun-cotton, for, from the nature of the material, it can be shaped according to fancy, and such figures and designs as one wishes can be stamped upon its surface. Thus, if a disk of gun-cotton, on the surface of which the letters "U. S. N." and the date "1884" are indented, be detonated, it will be found that the letters and figures will be reproduced in the iron, and, most singular of all these phenomena, they will be indented in the iron just as they were in the gun-cotton.—*Scribner's Magazine.*

Gen. E. C. Walthall, the Mississippi senator, is said to look like a cavalier who has just stepped out of one of Sir Peter Lely's canvases. He is six feet tall, erect, symmetrical, with a fine head of dark hair that falls in curls about his neck.

It is not an uncommon thing for immigrants to land at Castle Garden with families of nine or ten children, and recently a husband and wife, with thirty-two children, disembarked there. It is only fair to mention, however, that the woman was the man's third wife.

A New England man has beaten the green goods sawdust men at their own game. He got one of their circulars, and in reply asked for a sample of their goods. They sent him a genuine $1 bill, and the gentleman of New England stopped the correspondence then and there.

The will of a French advocate contains the following bequest: "I give 100,000 francs to the local mad-house. I got this money out of those who passed their lives in litigation; in bequeathing it for the use of lunatics I only make restitution;" which to say the least of it, was rather rough on his clients.

Only a Poor Little Sausage.

Only a poor little sausage—
Remains of unfortunate dog—
Brought to this
Whitechapel
cottage
By the son of a
dealer in hog.
Ah, sir! turn not
from me with
loathing,
Because I'm but
eighteenpence
per pound:
A masher, in tight-fitting clothing.
When I should
be under the
ground.

Only a poor little sausage—
Once a respectable pup—
"Rolling stone gathers no mossage,"
(A proverb, stuck in to fill up).
Gentle sir! pray do not despise us
Because we've a mission "to fill;"
We can say to whoever buys us,
Tho' young, we have been thro' the mill.

Only a poor little sausage,
Fragments
of pepper
and pup—
Wearied by
life's cruel
tossage,
Feelings completely "cut up."
Tho' to dose
me with
pepper was
spiteful,
I freely forgive 'em
for that,
The thing
which is
rilling me
frightful—
I'm mixed up
with pieces
of cut.

—Texas Siftings.

MAKING OVER A MAN.

Handsome Figures Supplied to Order—Dealing in "Fats."

"Formulating done here," read a sign over a store. Within sat a little stubby man, with small gray eyes, full red beard, and an unctuous, flabby face. Scattered around him on the bench on which he sat and about the floor were pieces of silk, satin, and serge, bundles of horse-hair, and packages of half-open cotton. The little man was busily stitching a blue satin quilted article that looked like a cushion of a baby carriage.

"Yes, I am what tailors term a formulator," he replied to a questioning visitor, in a thin, squeaky voice. "The word is indicative of my trade, or rather profession. My occupation is truly the latter, inasmuch as it is an art, the art of improving, embellishing, or modifying the masculine figure, as the case demands. Padding? Yes, some might term it that. Didn't you know that men pad, eh? Why, bless your soul, they have been doing it since the days of Joseph.

"The man I call patron is a creature of dissatisfaction. Nothing about his own personality or make-up contents him. He is essentially a being of observation. If he has a friend who is short and fat, while he himself is tall and thin, he forms the idea that he, too, would like to be stumpy and adipose. A tailor can do little for him, but we can. Liberal but discriminating padding will make him corpulent, and if his make-up is expertly perfected it will give him the appearance of being considerably shorter than when in his normal state. His friends will remark how well he is looking, ask how he has grown so fleshy, and the artful deceiver will launch into such a dissertation of gastronomy that the horse-hair appliances in his artificial chest will shrivel up into a double bow-knot with surprise.

"These forms are not limited entirely to the trunk of the subject. The calves, hips, and knees all come in for a benefit. You know that the knee of a man's trousers in less than a month after they are made become "baggy." This necessitates any amount of running to the tailor's and having the garment pressed, if the wearer desires to be well dressed. Although constant bending of the knees is in part the cause of this eyesore to men, the construction of the member is the principal reason of such a state of things. Now, look here," and the little man stretched one of his fat legs straight out before him. "Feel my knee; you see the knee-cap sits like a hillock over the points. Below it the limb swerves in. Now, how are you going to make a trouser leg sit smoothly here without catching? Can't say? Then I'll tell you; use forms below and above the cap and the trousers will fit like a glove and won't bag.

"You see the form being stitched to the lining of the garment makes it stiff and prevents the cloth straining. You may have noticed that the cloth never stretches at the knee-cap, but above and below it. A little dressing about the too-large calf and a little doctoring at this member itself is a valuable aid to the fit of the leg casement.

"'Fats' are made of a variety of materials and worn in a variety of ways. Chest and spinal articles are made like a sleeveless jacket of one continuous piece of material. There is a hole for the head and the garment is slipped on by extending the arms upward and perpendicularly and letting the article fall on. Over the muscles of the chest the garment is padded to any extent desired. The small of the back is also touched up as necessity dictates. The body of the article is of silk or chamois. The chest pads in cold weather are always worn next to the skin. By this arrangement the effect is natural and consistent, and it is almost impossible, even by feeling, to discover the artificiality of the padder's figure. Why, there is no limit to our possibilities. A good many of our business men wear padded undergarments, not particularly for the effect, but because the clothing fits more comfortably."

Books to the value of $800 have been abstracted from the Municipal Library at Evreau, France, and a captain of an infantry regiment stationed in the north of France has been convicted of the theft. He was deeply in debt. This officer returned home one day with several volumes concealed in the recesses of his nether garments, and calmly removed them from their hiding place in the presence of his soldier servant. The majority of the works thus stolen have been found at various booksellers' shops in Paris.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a. m. 2.45, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.55, 7.59, 8.08, 8.57, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—8.12, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.25, 10.15, 10.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.40, 6.47, 8.05, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 5.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

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Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 6.35, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6 58, 9 24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—8.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk, Sundays—8.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg,

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton, 5.12, 6.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.40*, 4.59*, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.39, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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Ninth and Green streets, 7.30*, 8.30*, 9.30, 11.50, a. m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 5.30, 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 8.55, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p. m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.25, 8.00*, 8.00*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.55, 4.30, 5.55, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 4.17, p. m.

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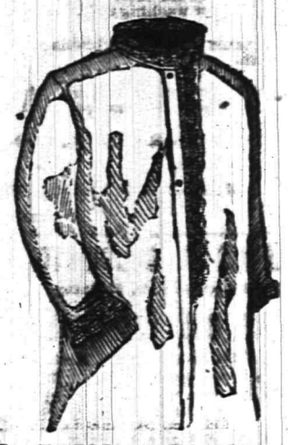

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DEBATE ON SUGAR TAX.

Trying to Spring a Trap on the Democrats.

DOES HAVEMEYER RULE?

The Republicans Charge That the Ways and Means Committee Deliberately Changed the Schedule After Consultation With the King of America's Sugar Trade.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Each day since the sugar schedule in the Tariff bill was reached the rather dull debate has been enlivened by some very exciting wrangling, both of a partisan and personal character. Yesterday's scene came late in the afternoon, and was fully up to the standard of previous occurrence. McComas, the young Republican member for Maryland, was the man put forward to do battle for the Republicans. He threw a bomb into the Democratic camp by charging, boldly and unequivocally, that the Ways and Means Committee had been led to change the sugar schedule after having consulted with Mr. Havermeyer and the other managers of the most extensive trust in this country. McComas's charge was evidently a trap set by the Republicans to catch Messrs. Mills, Breckinridge, and other members of the Ways and means Committee, and it partially succeeded. McComas went over to the Democratic side, and in a most dramatic manner, hurled his charges at Mills, while the Republicans, under the command of Reed of Maine, crowded down into the aisle and backed their champion with loud applause. In a moment the House was in the greatest confusion. Mills and Breckinbridge both sprang to their feet in reply, and the Chair vainly endeavored to restore order. The Kentucky orator shook his silver head, and denied absolutely that the Ways and Means Committee had given any hearings to anybody, but McComas, who had all the time remained in the main aisle near the Democratic side, kept hammering away until Breckinbridge admitted that the individual members of the committee had talked with the sugar men in a general way on their own responsibility. The Republicans fairly howled with delight at this, but were silenced by Chairman Mills, who gave them several home thrusts about their record as to trusts, and predicted that in the fall they would be voting as usual to uphold them. Tom Reed then made one of his little taunting, sarcastic speeches, to the great delight of his followers, who always laugh when he opens his mouth, no matter whether he says anything or not.

A Plea for Maxwell's Life.

JEFFERSON CITY, Mo., July 9.—Mrs. Hannah Brooks and daughter, accompanied by P. W. Fauntleroy, Maxwell's attorney, arrived here yesterday morning. Mrs. Brooks and her daughter called upon Governor Morehouse yesterday afternoon. Mrs. Brooks presented her plea in behalf of her son in a few words. She implored the Governor to save her son's life, assuring him that he never killed Preller with murderous intent.

Mr. Fauntleroy also presented a letter from Mr. Dickson, of England, Preller's former employer, which stated that Preller's parents were anxious that Maxwell's sentence be commuted, as they believed his execution would be the cause of the death of one or both of Maxwell's parents.

The attorneys of Maxwell continued their plea to-day before the Governor, who has asked for some further facts in the case.

Uncle and Nephew Chained Together.

CHATANOOGA, Tenn., July 10.—Ten days ago, Eleven year old Lanville Combs, of Breathitt Co., Ky., killed his sister with a skillet and then attempted to cremate the body, afterwards burying it in a creek and then taking it out to bury in sand. A horrible coincidence was added to the story on the day before the boy was to be tried his uncle James Combs became involved in a quarrel with a brother of the division of a lot of tobacco and killed him on the spot splitting his head open. He was arrested and arraigned on Sunday before the same Judge as his nephew, each pleaded guilty and asked mercy. Each was sentenced to the penitentiary at Frankfort for life. The boy because of his youth, the uncle because some doubt as to premeditation. The two were chained together and left over the mountains for Frankfort.

Terrible La Tosca.

LONDON, June 10.—Sarah Bernhardt made an electric success at the Lyceum Theatre last night in Sardou's "La Tosca," overcoming by the power of her genius the repulsion and horror of an English audience at the revolting lines of the action of the play.

The house was packed with the leaders of politics, art, literature and fashion of London. Sarah scored perhaps the greatest success she ever made here. The passions of love and jealousy were depicted with utmost charm and the tragic climax of the fourth act evoked enthusiasm.

Excellent mounting was given to the play, and the minor parts were ably sustained.

A Magnificent Orphan Asylum.

CLEVELAND, O., July 10.—A magnificent new Jewish Orphan Asylum, of the Independent Order of Bnai Brith, was dedicated yesterday with elaborate ceremonies. The institution is the largest in the United States and many wealthy Hebrews from all parts of the country are interested in it. The institution has been running 20 years, but its new buildings dedicated yesterday has been in process of construction 3 years and has cost five hundred thousand dollars. There are now three hundred and seven children in the asylum.

Lost By Two Points.

DUBLIN, July 10.—The athletic contests were continued at Ballsbridge yesterday. In the all-around Irish championship, Gray, of the New York Club, was first in slinging the 56-pound weight, putting the shot and in the long jump, and second in the standing hop, step and jump.

Davin, of Carrick-on-Suir, takes the championship, scoring 28 points against Gray's 26.

Deacons to be Executed To-day.

ROCHESTER, N.Y., July 10.—All preparations are completed for the execution of Edward Alonzo Deacons, the murderer of Mrs. Alonzo Stone, who will be hanged in the jail here to-day. The execution will be private. The condemned measures 6 feet 1¼ inches in height, and wears a No. 11 shoe. He declares he is only 17 years of age.

THE ELOPERS ARRESTED.

Editor Moore and Mrs. Norton Caught in a Kansas Hotel.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 9.—Henry W. Moore, late managing editor of the St. Louis Post-Dispatch, and Mrs. John W. Norton, who eloped from St. Louis last Friday, taking with them all of Mr. Norton's worldly possessions, were arrested this afternoon at the Copeland House.

The arrest was made at the instigation of Norton, who swore out a warrant against Moore for grand larceny under the Missouri laws. Norton learned of the couple's whereabouts through a telegram sent by Moore to W. J. Thornton, a Post-Dispatch reporter, whom he asked to send by express some of Mrs. Norton's "things." Thornton turned the telegram over to the police.

Norton resolved last night to prosecute the case. Mrs. Ramsey, housekeeper for the Norton, else received word from the woman to send her certain things to this place and to make as lively use of the lying act as she could in endeavoring to persuade Norton that she had left St. Louis alone. Moore and Mrs. Norton registered here as "H. W. Mason and wife, Philadelphia.

An officer and a lady friend of Mrs. Norton's left St. Louis to-night for this place, intending to persuade Mrs. Norton to return, as both Norton and his friends believe her to be insane. Moore will be prosecuted to the fullest extent.

When arrested Moore exhibited great surprise at being taken for a "little thing like that," and Mrs. Norton grew frenzied and said she could not live without Moore. The pair will be taken back to-morrow.

BURGLARS AT OCEAN GROVE.

Several Cottages Entered and Considerable Money Taken by the Thieves.

OCEAN GROVE, N. J., July 10.—While the cottagers here returned from devotions Sunday evening they found that about twenty cottages and tents had been burglarized and sums of money, jewelry, and other valuables taken. The robberies were evidently the work of an organized gang of experienced thieves.

At Mr. Sterry's residence on Abbott avenue the door had been forced open with a jimmy, and many articles of value and some money taken. In the tent of H. M. Ritter, on the same avenue, the thieves secured $— in cash, but overlooked a much larger sum. The tent of Mrs. Menzie was in confusion, as were several others. In one place a pair of diamond earrings, breastpin and other jewelry were taken and examined, but not carried away.

The burglars entered the cottage on the corner of New York and Abbott avenues, but left when they discovered a sleeping boy in it. A tent on Clarke avenue was also entered about the same time and $25 in cash taken from the trunk of a young man.

The Ocean grove Association has issued a card, in which it promises increased police protection and a prompt suppression of disorderly characters.

Parnell Demands Investigation.

LONDON, July 10.—In the House of Commons yesterday Mr. Parnell applied to Mr. W. H. Smith, the Conservative leader, for the appointment of a select committee to inquire into the criminal charges made against him and his colleagues by the Times. Mr. Smith refused on the part of the Government to appoint such committee. Mr. Parnell then gave notice that on Thursday he would move that a day be fixed when he could repeal these foul slanders in Parliament.

Water Spout in the West.

MANSFIELD, O., July 10.—A vicious storm passed over this city yesterday doing great damage to grain and fruit. Several barns were blown and horses were killed.

ST. PETERSBURG, O., July 10.—A water spout burst during the storm and in fifteen minutes the ground was covered with two feet of water whole fields of grain were swept away and stock perished in the flood.

Alsatians Sentenced.

LONDON, July 10.—The Alsatians who have been on trial in Leipsig for giving military information to the French, were to-day convicted and sentenced, as follows: Dietz, the railway official, to ten years penal servitude at hard labor. Mrs. Dietz, his wife, to four years imprisonment, both to lose their civil rights; and Apple, the railway assistant to nine years confinement in a fortress and one year in prison.

Mr. Mandeville's Burial.

DUBLIN, July 10.—A public funeral will be given to the late Mr. Mandeville at Batchellstown, and will be made the occasion of a great demonstration of sympathy as for one who died in the cause of his country.

A large number of Parnellites and members of Parliament will attend, and several deputations are coming from England to take part in the funeral procession.

A Dressmaker Steals $3,000.

PROVIDENCE, R. I.—July 10.—Mrs. Ida Ferdinand, a dressmaker, living with the family of Frederick E. M. Riddell, colored, was arranged yesterday for stealing $3,000 from Riddell. She confessed and disgorged $1,450. She said her husband was in New York, where he was captured with $1,050 and some newly purchased jewelry.

Flint Glass Convention.

CANTON, O., July 10.—The first session of the annual convention of American flint glass workers opened here yesterday morning, President William J. Smith of Pittsburg president. The session was devoted to preliminary organization and hearing reports. The convention will last all week.

Divorce for Intolerable Cruelty.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 10.—Solomon Fisher, a prominent Hebrew, married Miss Silvia Kreutler last January. The wedding was a big affair. To-day Hebrew society was astonished at the proceedings of Mrs. Fisher, who has sued for divorce on the ground of intolerable cruelty.

Cut His Throat and Drowned Himself.

DAYTON, Ohio, July 10.—John A. Wentz, a wealthy manufacturing jeweller, went to the river, bank yesterday morning and cut his throat from ear to ear with a razor, and then plunged into the water.

General Casey Promoted.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Col. Thomas L. Casey has been nominated as Chief of Engineers with the rank of a Brigadier General.

Failure of a Co-operative Concern.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 10.—The Furniture Workers Co-operative Manufacturing Association failed to-day with assets at $25,0—.

GEN. HARRISON SPEAKS

He Addresses the Delegation from Michigan.

SOME OF THEM ARE LADIES.

A Speech to the First Visiting Delegation that has Called Upon Him From Outside His Own State—Words of Praise for Alger and Confidence in Michigan.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 10.—A delegation of ladies and gentleman from Benton Harber, Mich., reached the city yesterday afternoon for the purpose of calling on Gen. Harrison. At 7.30 P. M. they went to the Harrison residence. They were prespented by Col. I. M. Ward, a Michigan delegate to the Chicago Convention. Col. Ward made a short address, in response to which Gen. Harrison said:

"This visit, my friends, is exceptional in many of its features. Already in the brief time since my nomination I have received various delegations, but this is the first delegation that has visited me from outside the borders of my own State. Your visit is also exceptional and very gratifying in that you have brought with you the ladies of your families to grace the occasion, and to honor me by their presence. I am glad to know that while the result of the Convention at Chicago brought disappointment to you, it has not left any sores that need the ointment of time for their healing. Your own favored citizen, distinguished civilian and brave soldier, Gen. Alger, was among the first and among the most cordial to extend to me his congratulations and the assurance of his earnest support in the campaign. I am sure it could not be otherwise than that the Republicans of Michigan will take a deep interest in this campaign, an interest that altogether oversteps all personal attachments.

"Your state has been proudly associated with the past successes of the Republican party, and your interests are now closely identified with its success in the pending campaign. I am sure, therefore, that I may accept your presence here to-night not only as a personal compliment, but as a pledge that Michigan will be true again to those great principles of government which are represented by the Republican party. We cherish the history of our party, and are proud of its high achievements. They stir the enthusiasm of the young and crown those who were early in its ranks with well-deserved laurels. The success of the Republican party has always been identified with the glory of the flag and the unity of the Government. There has been nothing in the history or principles of our party out of line with Revolutionary memories or with the enlightened statesmanship of the framers of our Constitution. Those principles are greater than men, lasting as truth, and sure of final vindication and triumph. Let me thank you again for your visit and ask an introduction to each of you."

At the conclusion of Gen. Harrison's remarks the company broke into groups, and some time was spent in social conversation.

Among the visitors at the Harrison residence to-day was Gen. Fairchild, ex-Commander-in-Chief of the Grand Army of the Republic.

A "Dead Ringer" for Surratt.

CHICAGO, July 10.—John G. Ryan, who has a claim in Congress of $100,000 for false imprisonment, is a lawyer in Chicago. He was a rebel soldier in the war of the rebellion, while his brother, W. A. C. Ryan, fought on the side of the Union in a New York regiment. In 1865 John S. Ryan was at Vicksburg. He was approached by an officer of the Secret Service who arrested him without a word of explanation, took him to Washington, and threw him into a dungeon, where he was kept in close confinement for several weeks. At length he was released and told to go home, though still no information was vouchsafed as to why he had been held as a United States prisoner. He had been spotted for John Surratt, for whom he was a "dead ringer." Ryan brought suit against the Government some years ago to recover damages for false imprisonment, but was not successful. He has prepared a petition to Congress asking that the Government pay him $100,000 damages. This petition is signed by Col. Wiley S. Scribner, County Recorder, and a few other well known men. Senator Charles B. Farwell presented it in the Senate yesterday.

Another Dynamiter Arrested.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 10.—George Golding, an engineer living at Aurora, was arrested yesterday charged with complicity in the dynamite plots against the Burlington and Quincy Railroad. His arrest is supposed to be the result of statements made by those previously arrested. Chairman Hoge does not know Golding and railroad officials decline particulars. Chief Authur has telegraphed not to spend any money in his defense if he is guilty.

Marlborough and Wife Reach Home.

LONDON, July 10.—The Duke and Duchess of Marlborough arrived in London yesterday. They were met at the station by the members of the family, among whom was Lady Randolph Churchill, and proceeded to their town residence. The new Duchess was most cordially received.

Greek Fire in Reality.

ATHENS, July 10.—Many shops in the market place were destroyed by fire yesterday. Loss $750,000.

Baseball Games Played Monday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT DETROIT.

Washington	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	3
Detroit	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2

AT CHICAGO.

Boston	0	0	0	0	1	1	1	1	0	4
Chicago	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	3

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 9, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost
Chicago	38	20	Brooklyn	44	20
Detroit	35	23	St. Louis	38	29
New York	34	24	Athletic	36	23
Boston	33	27	Cincinnati	36	25
Philadelphia	28	28	Baltimore	27	33
Indianapolis	21	36	Louisville	21	41
Pittsburg	19	34	Kansas City	19	38
Washington	20	38	Cleveland	19	40

Jewish Families Coming to America.

BUCHAREST, July 10.—Seventy Jewish families left yesterday for America.

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OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—See Edsall's new advertisement for all sorts of stylish dress goods.

—The Champions of this city will play ball with the Stars of Dunellen at the latter place to-morrow morning.

—The Street Commissioner is today further improving West Fourth street, by adding a top dressing of crushed stone.

—A grocery wagon belonging to Westphal, the grocer, was upset on Liberty street, this morning, and considerably wrecked.

—A number of derailed passenger cars in the Jersey City yard of the Central Railroad, delayed all West-bound passenger trains for a while, yesterday morning.

—"The Ministering League" of Grace church will be in the chapel from 5 o'clock until 7 P. M., every Wednesday evening, to receive flowers for New York "Flower Mission."

—The gentlemen comprising the medical fraternity of the city, held a regular meeting in the parlors of the City Hotel, a few evenings since. The meeting was followed by a collation.

—There is no doubt that the rain storm of yesterday has proved a great benefit to vegetation. Farmers, however, who are busy with their hay and harvest, are not in the best of spirits.

—A regular monthly meeting of Gazelle Engine Company, will be held in the parlors of the Company's house, to-morrow evening. A full attendance of the members is desired, as business of importance is to come up for consideration.

—At the Republican meeting in North Plainfield, last evening, a voluntary contribution was taken up among the members of the U. S. Grant Club. About one-half of the amount necessary for the purchase of a banner was subscribed in a few minutes.

—Ex-Street Commissioner J. V. Whitlock of North Plainfield, is the owner of a horse that has a very nervous temperament. On the Fourth the animal became so frightened at the discharge of firecrackers, that he went into fits on two occasions.

—A public meeting will be held at "Gep's" headquarters on East Front street, this evening. Peter S. Bergen, the "Silver-tongued Orator" and dealer in eggs and "sich," will enlighten his fellowbeings on the subject of protective tariff on safety pins, etc.

—The new bell for the Crescent Avenue church was placed in position on Saturday, and on Sunday it called the worshippers together for the first time. The new bell has a soft and rich tone and is said to somewhat resemble the sound of the old bell before it was cracked.

—A man evidently with bristles on his back, and leaning on the arm of a female, walked up and down Central avenue, on Saturday evening, taking up all of the sidewalk, and compelling pedestrians to walk in the gutter in order to pass him. The fellow's name rightly begins with an "H," and contains but three letters.

—Andrew Duthie, the man who was yesterday committed to the County Jail for 60 days, for entering the bedroom of Mrs. Arthur Scott late on Saturday night, received a letter from his wife who is in the old Country, this morning. It is said that he anticipated bringing his wife to this Country in the course of a few weeks.

—A few days ago a farmer residing in Washington Valley was returning from a hay field, where he had been at work with a team of oxen mowing hay. On the way to the barn there was a steep incline down which the oxen walked briskly. Before the bottom was reached, however, the heavy mowing machine ran down the oxen, cutting one of them so badly that it had to be killed.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. James Keegan of New York city is visiting his parents in North Plainfield.

A brother of Mr. H. O. Newman from New York city, was a guest at the latter's residence on West Fifth street, last evening.

Mr. Hugh McDonnell, the Sixth street liveryman will soon take unto himself a partner in the person of Miss Theresa Collins.

Rev. Dr. A. H. Lewis, pastor of the Seventh Day Baptist church, occupied the pulpit in the Congregational church on Sunday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. Edwin G. Smith of New York city, spent Sunday with Mrs. Smith's father, Mr. John Bodine, of Grand View avenue, North Plainfield.

Mr. Henry Linzer, a former North Plainfielder, but now proprietor of the Grand View Hotel at Seville, Florida, is in town visiting among his friends here.

Mr. David J. Carney, an employee of the Government Printing Office at Washington, D. C., returned to the latter place yesterday, after a week's furlough in this city.

Mr. and Mrs. Howard Fleming and family of East Ninth street, start for Magnolia Island, on Thursday, where they will remain through the heated term.

Mr. Seely Edsall, who had such remarkably good luck at Lake Hopatcong, last week, is again trying his luck with the rod and reel at that favorite fishing ground.

Mr. Chas. Powlison has returned from the Y. M. C. A. training school at Springfield, Mass., and his familiar face is again seen behind the counter in Mr. M. Estil's stationery store.

Miss Louise Green of Eighth street, is at home from Wellesley College on her usual Summer vacation. Her sister, Miss Amy, has also returned from a visit with relatives and friends at Westerly, R. I.

At the regular encampment of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., this evening, several new members will be mustered into the Post. A stereopticon exhibition will also be given for the entertainment of the members.

Mr. John Heenan of Manhasset, L. I., yesterday conveyed the glad tidings, personally, to his parents at South Plainfield of the safe arrival of an infant daughter which came to brighten his household, a few days ago.

Mr. Francis C. Harder of Eighth street, is absent from home on a business trip. Upon his return Mr. and Mrs. Harder will take up their residence with Mrs. Wm. Taylor, widow of ex-Councilman Taylor of East Fifth street.

Warden Charles W. Dodd of the Elizabeth Jail was in town this afternoon. He reports that the jail is comfortably filled with about 35 prisoners at the present time. A short time ago there were 67 prisoners confined in the jail.

Mr. John Carney, of the firm of Carney Bros., of Somerset street, is composing a German stump speech to be delivered at the Fall campaign. Mr. Carney does not intend to dwell upon any particular issue, but will give them all a "hit."

Friend Thomas Foulke, a minister of the Society of Friends, was present at the Friends' Meeting House on Peace street, Sunday morning, and delivered a sound discourse on religious duties. During his stay in this city, Friend Foulke was the guest of Mr. Howard Wright.

Mrs. McCready and Mrs. Crosman, the Netherwood ladies who were thrown out of a buck-board by a frightened horse, yesterday, as told in THE PRESS, are rapidly recovering from the shock and bruising they received. Mrs. McCready is badly cut about the face, but it is believed that no scars will result.

A daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry C. Swain of New York city, who leased the Taylor house on Park avenue for the Summer, died Sunday night of diptheria. The little one was about six years of age, and had endeared herself to all who knew her. Funeral services were held at the house, this afternoon. Interment will be made to-morrow in Cypress Hills Cemetery, Long Island.

Installation of Officers.

Following is a list of the newly-elected officers of Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., who were installed into their respective offices a few evenings since:

N. G.—John Morton.
V. G.—Jacob Kriney.
C. S.—Walter L. Hetfield.
Secretary—David Weaver.
R. S. of N. G.—James Ryno.
L. S. of N. G.—Edward Van Winkle.
R. S. of V. G.—John Tier.
L. S. of V. G.—Elias Bird.
Warden—John Odam.
Conductor—John Blackford.
Chaplain—Eden Boice.

The above officers will serve for the coming six months.

A Long Procession for Freer-Trade.

The protest of Reverend Doctor Theodore Cuyler, through the *Evangelist*, against the Republican policy of "becoming enslaved to the reactionary rule of those who build up monopolies at the expense of the great mass of the people," and his statement that "Reverend Doctor Storrs and many other Brooklyn citizens are in open revolt" against the new and revolting doctrines of the Republican platform, show that Seth Low's class in "Sunday school politics" will be large enough to make a long procession to the polls on the 6th of November.

—Monday evening last was the time set for a meeting of the North Plainfield Board of Health, but for want of a quorum no business was transacted.

REPUBLICAN MEETING.

North Plainfield Republicans Hold an Enthusiastic Meeting—New Members Added—A Banner to be Swung to the Breeze.

There was a large attendance at the meeting of the U. S. Grant Republican Club of North Plainfield, held in Spencer's Hall, last evening. President Charles A. Reed was in the chair, and Secretary H. N. Spencer recorded the proceedings.

The Secretary read the minutes of the previous meeting, which were, upon motion, adopted.

Applications for membership were received from six persons, and forty-six new members were elected, swelling the total membership to about 150.

The committee on transparency reported progress, and the Finance Committee reported that the Club was in a good financial condition.

The committee to whom was referred the matter of drafting suitable resolutions on the death of the late President, Alex. H. Milne, reported that the instructions given them had been carried out in every particular.

A communication was read from the Secretary of the State League, with reference to the appointment of delegates to attend the State Convention. The Secretary was instructed to confer with the State Secretary, and ascertain full particulars.

The Executive Committee was, upon motion adopted, authorized to purchase a Harrison & Morton banner, 15x25 feet in dimensions, on the best possible terms, the same to be swung across Somerset street, in front of the Club's headquarters.

Messrs. Wm. C. Smith, Isaac Brokaw and others gave interesting accounts of their recent trip to Gettysburg.

Dr. J. H. Cooley was elected Vice President of the Club, which office was made vacant by the election of Mr. Charles A. Reed to the Presidency. Messrs. B. A. Hegeman, Jr., and James F. Buckle were elected members of the Finance Committee, to fill the vacancies caused by the deaths of Messrs. E. H. Spooner and Alex. H. Milne.

Spirited addresses were made by the President, Dr. J. H. Cooley, Councilman H. E. Needham and others, after which the meeting was declared adjourned for one week.

Base Ball.

The Y. M. C. A., Crescents played an unusually uninteresting game on their grounds, Saturday, with the "Actives" of North Plainfield, a picked nine of players more or less young and excitable.

The Crescents were able to boom up their batting percentage by hitting Wann for a total of 16 bases; but Voehl and McLaughlin, one base each, was all the Actives could make off of Cadmus. The fielding of both nines was loose—ten errors being charged to the Crescents, and eighteen to the Actives who seemed to get rattled and throw wild whenever the bases were filled and such errors were costly.

Mr. Carpenter umpired the game with strict impartiality. The following was the score:

CRESCENTS.	R.	O.	BH.	PO.	A.	E.
G. Cadmus, c	3	2	2	7	5	2
Murray, lf	1	5	1	0	0	1
McMurray, 1b	2	3	4	11	1	3
Cornwall, ss	3	1	1	1	3	0
H. Cadmus, rf	1	3	2	3	0	1
Demarest, cf	2	4	0	0	3	0
W. Cadmus, p	5	1	0	0	9	2
Doane, 3b	5	1	5	1	2	4
Lee, 2b	1	4	1	4	2	0
	23	24	16	27	25	10
ACTIVES.						
Townley, c	2	2	0	6	1	5
McLoughlin, cf	1	2	1	5	0	0
Trust, 1b	2	2	0	8	0	3
Smith, ss	0	4	0	1	5	3
Hand, 2b	0	4	0	4	3	2
Bodine, rf	1	3	0	0	0	0
Frentz, lf	0	4	0	0	0	1
Voeht, 3b	0	3	1	0	0	2
Wann, p	0	3	0	0	7	2
	6	27	2	24	16	18

CRESCENTS	6	2	2	2	0	6	3	2	*—23
ACTIVES	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	0—6

A Scene on the Boulevard.

A man, a woman, a horse and wagon, a brickbat and a club were the articles of warfare that created considerable excitement on the boulevard this morning. It appears that Albert G. Perry of West Second street hired a wagon from a Mrs. Flynn, who is anchored on the boulevard, for two days, for the purpose of peddling truck about the city. This morning the two day's limitation expired, and when Perry drove into Mrs. Flynn's yard to return the wagon, the latter closed the gate and made Perry and his horse prisoners.

The antagonistic Mrs. Flynn perched on the front stoop, armed with a club and a brickbat, and according to Perry's story, she refused to release either himself or his horse, although, he says he offered her pay for the wagon. Perry finally escaped by scaling a fourteen foot board fence and jumping from the veranda of a pig pen into an unused well. Coming direct to town he sought advice from an officer, who advised him to lodge a complaint with the City Judge. Perry signified his intention to so do.

—A large heap of cross-ties belonging to the Central Railroad company, were burned near the Netherwood depot on Saturday evening.

Disturbance of the Heart.

Heart disease is like an assassin, which creeps upon you in the dark, and strikes you when unaware. Therefore, do not overlook any uneasiness in the region of the heart or disturbance in its action, but at once take DR. FLINT'S REMEDY. Descriptive treatise with each bottle. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

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BRAND-NEW lot of handsome new styles, first quality of Satteens, at 20c., the 25c grade; elegant 36in. Batiste, at 12½c; pretty Punjab Percales, 36in. wide, at 15c; Simpson's 3-4 Batiste, at 7c. New Windsor Foulards, 36in. wide, at 9c; light Merimack Prints, at 6c; Wool Challies, 16c. Full line White Goods at Low Prices. White, All-Wool Jerseys, Silk Braided, at $2 50, worth $3 00.

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A PLAINFIELDER IN EUROPE.

Ex-Councilman Brower Tells of His Trip Over—The Man Who Mesmerized Judges Suydam and Wadsworth—Land in Sight Every Day—Court Scenes and Conventions.

THE HOTEL METROPOLE, LONDON, W. C., June 26, 1888.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS—Arrived here today at 2:30 P. M., and after a luncheon, took in as much of the town as could be seen in a short time and from a hansom. An satisfied, however, that it will take many days to see London, and as we leave on Thursday for Paris and Holland, can get but a mild idea of it at present. I am feeling perfectly well and thoroughly enjoying my trip—and never missed a meal since starting. We sailed from New York on the City of Berlin, Saturday, June 16, and arrived at Liverpool, by transfer, at six o'clock P. M., of Sunday the 24th. The officers of the Steamer were: Captain Land, Purser, George Collar, Surgeon R. Lloyd Parker, and Steward Thompson. The day we sailed with a full complement of passengers, was warm and showery. My first sight of a sunset at sea I shall never forget—it was almost overpowering in its beauty and grandeur. The ocean was calm and few were at all sick, but some had the peculiar expression that only Captain Land's designation can express. The Captain, who is a great favorite of the ladies and a great wag, was talking on the subject of seasickness with a bevy of charming damsels. One asked him if he could tell whether she felt in the least sick or not. He said she did; and she then asked how he knew? "Because," replied the Captain," you have a tallow-candle expression." All within hearing saw the point at once, and joined in a hearty laugh at the young lady's expense.

The principal occupation aboard is to tramp the deck or stretch in steamer-chairs. Our second day out was Sunday and at 10 A. M., the Rev. Bishop Neely of Maine, preached. All Sunday morning services on these steamers are of the Church of England, but of any other denomination in the afternoon. At three o'clock the Rev. M. D. Hoge, D. D., of Richmond, Va., delivered a very able and impressive sermon. The singing at these services was also pleasurable. In the evening, about fifty assembled in the salon for an enjoyable praise service.

We have seats at the Purser's table, and find him a very jolly, companionable fellow. Having presented his wife and little girl with the flowers and fruit that kind friends had sent me on my departure, they try in every way in their power to show us little attentions that we would otherwise miss.

On the third day out all was still calm and pleasant, but the first mate informed me that at any moment everything might change, and although I might feel far from cast down at present I might be all cast up in an hour or so. Captain Land, however, cheers everybody by calling their attention to the blessed privilege the passengers by the City of Berlin enjoy—they can see Land at any time.

Prof. John Reynolds attempted to give a mesmeric exhibition before a salon full of passengers, on the evening of June 18. During the *seance* he told of the many wonderful and prominent men he had had under his influence, and mentioned "Judge Suydam and Judge Wadsworth, eminent jurists of New Jersey," as distinguished subjects of his great powers. Then to cap the climax, he waved his hand towards me and stated that I would vouch for the greatness of the Judges whom he had mentioned as endorsers of his remarkable gifts. As the "Professor" had made such a miserable failure of his exhibition, and had convinced all present that his powers had since departed, my disgust at thus being brought into notice, you can well imagine.

On June 20, we had some very heavy weather. Even so old a sea-dog as Captain Land fell on deck, and hurt himself considerably. He was engaged at the time in showing a young lady how to walk a deck when the ship was cavorting wildly. The result called to the minds of all who saw him fall, the admonition: "Let him that standeth, take heed lest he fall." Being obliged to stay inside during such weather, gave us an opportunity of forming the acquaintance of one another. There were six D. D's., three Rev's, and one Right Rev., aboard, but only one lawyer. This reminded me that all Corporation Counsels could not afford to take a trip abroad each year; and it inspired an expectation that probably some time the pay of all Plainfield's officials would be sufficient to permit every one of them to Summer in Europe. Among the passengers was a brother of Mr. B. Shreve of North Plainfield.

Judge Cumming of Indiana, gave us an interesting lecture on California, one evening, and a concert of much talent and enjoyment was rendered by Messrs. Wm. T. Crane, C. E. Evans, Wm. Hoey and N. F. Williams, well-known members of the theatrical profession. We had a trial of Prof. Swain of Indiana, for carrying concealed dynamite in his fourteen (foot) shoes. The case was summed up by the Rev. George L. Spinning, D. D., and the Rev. Wallace Radcliffe. The jury of twelve women stood seven to eight for acquital. We also held a Republican Convention and named our choice for President and Vice. Various despatches were received from Chicago, including one to me which I read, stating that President Cleveland had read the riot act to the delegates at Chicago, and had dismissed the convention.

The usual concert in aid of the Seaman's Orphan Society, was given on the 7th day, 352 miles out. It was a great success socially and financially. Resolutions were then read and adopted thanking Capt. Land and his officers for their kind efforts in making the trip so pleasant. After the Captain's reply in a neat speech, all joined in Auld Lang Syne, America and God Save the Queen.

The Rev. George L. Spinning, D. D., of Cleveland, preached during the afternoon of our second Sunday. He is a man of more than remarkable ability. He told me he had 1,500 young people in his church. At four P. M., of this day, June 24, we saw land for the first time—the coast of Ireland—and before we had gone another mile, our arrival had been announced by wire in New York. A few hours later we had passed through the hands of the Custom House officers, and were asleep in Liverpool.

WILLIAM H. BROWER.

THE RACES ON SATURDAY.

A Large Attendance, And the Trotting Good—Other Races Promised for the Coming Saturday.

Saturday was another gala day for the owners of fast horses on the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association. The weather was most propitious for the sport, and the track was in an unusually good condition. The crowd that gathered there was also unusually large, and during the entire afternoon there was not a mishap to mar the pleasure nor interfere with the excitement of the day.

The Judges were Messrs. Van Syckle, Kelly and S. G. Smith. The programme was informal in nature. It included the following:

RACES.

Between Nate Robins' black colt; John Hayes' "Andy;" and John Chandler's "Bramble." The latter horse won two straight heats in 2:53 and 2:47¼; Mr. Robins' colt coming in second each heat.

The next race was to wagon, one mile heat, between J. W. Johnson's "Lady Thistle" and Edw. Waring's "Ledger Boy." "Lady Thistle" won the first heat in 2:40, and "Ledger Boy" the second in 2:41½.

Another hard fought contest was the race, one mile heat, between "Dry Dock," owned by John Osborn, and "Meteor," owned by Bert Darby. The first heat was won by "Dry Dock" in 2:51; the second by "Meteor" in 2:48½.

Interspersed with the contests and to change the monotomy of the thing, Mr. A. C. Vail drove his "Betsy Bobbitt" a mile heat on trial, coming in easy at a 2:45½ gait.

Following came a closely contested race, to wagon, between "Peter Cooper" owned by Mr. F. W. Lewis, and Mr. Zimmerman's "Tom McCran." "Peter Cooper" captured the first heat, crossing the line in 2:50. Mr. Zimmerman's horse won the second heat in 2:52.

The concluding race was a one mile heat, in which there were two entries, namely: Mahlon Vail's bay horse and Mr. A. C. Vail's "Betsy Bobbitt." The latter horse won the heat in 2:57½.

These races which the members of the Association arrange among themselves, are for their own personal interest and for the benefit of others also. They invite all admirers of the turf, and all others who are interested in horse racing to attend this series of trots, FREE.

On Saturday next, weather permitting, some of the best races of the season will take place. Already some of the races have been arranged, and other entries will be made before that time.

A Week Late.

The *Stolen News* last night published an item from THE PRESS of just one week ago. Probably it hoped to escape our condemnation and exposure, by thinking that the item had been forgotten.

Here they are, side by side:

From The Press of July 2.	*From the "Stolen News" of July 9.*
The many friends of Edward H. Anderson, will regret to learn of his death which occurred on June 26, at Auburn, in the Sierra Nevadas, California. The deceased resided two years ago at the corner of Central avenue and Quimby street, Westfield, and left in Aug., 1886, to go to California for the benefit of his health. He was engaged in business in San Francisco, which he was compelled to give up owing to that dreaded disease, consumption, which had a strong hold on his system, and to which he finally succumbed. He leaves a widow and two children to mourn his loss; besides a fond mother who resides at Tappan, New York.	The many friends of Edward H. Anderson will hear with much regret of his death, which occurred Tuesday, June 26th, at Auburn, Sierra Nevada, California. The deceased resided two years ago at the corner of Central avenue and Quimby street, Westfield, and left in 1886 to go to California for his health. He was engaged in business at San Francisco, Cal., which he was compelled to give up owing to that dreaded disease — consumption—which had a strong hold on his system, and to which he finally succumbed. He leaves a widow and two children, besides a fond mother residing in Tappan, N. Y.

The Bound Brook's Whitewashed.

The Volunteer base ball club of North Plainfield, formerly styled Walter Place's nine, played a match game with the Bound Brook, Jr., nine on the Somerset street grounds this morning, and beat them by a score of 16 to 0. The Bound Brook team was minus its pitcher, and the battery was somewhat weakened by his absence. Only five innings were played. Following were the players:

Bound Brook—Hoffman, J. Whiting, Teake, R. Whiting, McNalt, Clark, Libdey, Woods and Barrett.

Volunteers—Steiner, Cathcart, Place, Bodine, Morgan, Grant, Wilson, Reynolds and Shepherd. Umpire—John Flaig.

Following is the

SCORE BY INNINGS:

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General Telegraphic Despatches.

A CLERGYMAN ASSAULTED.

A Buffalo Clergyman Mysteriously Knocked Down and Beaten.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 10.—When Rev. J. N. Dalisy, of the Asbury M. E. Church, ascended the pulpit Sunday it was noticed that he looked badly cut and broke up. Nothing was known as to the cause until during the course of the sermon. He said while on his way home from the national conference of charities and correction he was being followed by a tall young man. Reaching a barber shop, he stepped in the doorway to allow the fellow to pass, after a few moments he started on only to be suddenly startled by the fellow who sprang upon him and asked if his "name was Curtis," answering no it was Dalisy he was told he lied and was knocked down and seriously beaten and kicked. Loud calls for help and police attracted men in the barber shop who rushed to his assistance. His assailant was held and said his name was W. Montague. He made the most profuse apoligies, begged for mercy and declared he thought the clergyman was Curtis; Mr. Dalisy seemed loath to prosecute him but took his address and promised to decide on his future action this afternoon. Father Montague called on the clergyman in his sons behalf. Friends of the assailant succeeded in keeping the identity of "Curtis" and why he should be assaulted a secret. It is believed he will be arrested to-day when all the facts will come out. Montague claims Mr. Curtis has been a sort of peeping Tom about his place and been in the habit of following and annoying his wife on public streets.

Muhr to go to Bloomingdale.

NEW YORK, July 10.—Joseph Muhr, the Maiden lane jeweller whose strange antics have been given widespread notoriety for the past few days, was taken last night to Bloomingdale.

Muhr spent his time at the insane pavillion of Bellevue Hospital writing his obituary and inditing letters to imaginary individuals. He seems perfectly happy, and imagines that he is worth millions of money, and that his hoard is growing every hour by reason of successful speculations. He said that he sent a number of telegrams from the boat on his trip from Long Branch to New York by means of Edison's new invention.

Dr. Douglass says his trouble is general paresis, and that there is no hope for his recovery.

Riot at a Wedding.

MILENSVILLE, Pa., July 10.—While celebrating a wedding here yesterday a party of Hungarian miners became engaged in a fight. It was a desperate affair for the time it lasted. Knives were drawn, and each of those engaged in the fracas seemed determined to kill his opponent. Blood flowed freely, and the ground was covered with wounded men. When the fight was ended it was seen that eight of the participants were seriously wounded. Two of the number may die from the effects of their injuries. No arrests have been made.

Insane Through Disappointment.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 10.—Mary Herden, a pretty German girl, was sent to the hospital yesterday a raving maniac owing to a disappointment in love.

Three years ago she crossed the ocean to join her lover in America and he having since proved false to his vows she resolved to return to her native land. While waiting for the steamer to sail she began to relate the pitiable story of her recreant lover. Suddenly she became raving. She is hopeless.y insane.

Suing for $8,000,000.

NEWARK, Ohio, July 10.—The great suit of the Hocking Valley and Toledo Railroad against Judge Stevenson Burke, former president of the road, and his associates, to recover $8,000,000 alleged to have been appropriated in stock by defendants, came to trial in Common Pleas Court yesterday. There was a great array of legal talent, and the trial will occupy two or three weeks. The first day was consumed in presenting the case.

The Boston Police Muddle.

BOSTON, July 10.—There is great excitement here over the rumor that police inspectors Houghton, Gerraughty, Burke and Watts, are to be reduced to patrolmen and sent to different stations. All are friends of ex-Chief Hanscom, recently deposed Boston bankers and brokers are indignant and say that they will hire private detectives to protect their property.

Mrs. Rawson Must do Full Time.

CHICAGO, July 10.—Judge Jamieson yesterday morning refused to release Mrs. Rawson from the county jail and ordered that she be compelled to serve the full sixty days for which she was committed for contempt at the time of her assault on lawyer Whitney, application for a writ of habeas Corpus will be made in her behalf.

Dr. Mackenzie Cheered in London.

LONDON, July 10.—Sir Morell Mackenzie arrived here last evening, a large crowd greeted the doctor with cheers. He stigmatized as fabrications the reports of interviews with him in Paris and elsewhere. He is preparing a special scientific report of the illness and treatment of the Emperor Frederick.

New Nominations.

WASHINGTON, July 10.—Elliott Sandford, of New York, has been nominated for Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of Utah: J. W. Judd, of Tennessee, Associate Justice; Hugh, W. Weir, of Pennysivania, Chief Justice of Supreme Court of Idaho, and C. H. Berry, Associate Justice.

More Earthquakes in Canada.

KINGSTON, Ont., July 10.—Severe earthquake shocks were felt here early yesterday morning, which lasted about thirty seconds and were felt as far off as Belleville. Several houses were damaged. Large fissures were made in the earth all over the adjoining country.

Murder and Escape.

WALLA WALLA, W. T., July 10.—Two prisoners in the county jail, a Bionte Indian murderer, and a horse thief named McGinnister, shot and killed Deputy Sheriff Robert Lockwood and escaped.

Shipwrecked in the Pacific.

SAN FRANCISCO, Cal., July 10.—The Chilian Bark Buena Vista, laden with lumber and coal, was wrecked at Point Reyes yesterday morning. The crew was saved. Loss $20,000.

Sheridan's Condition Unchanged.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 10.—Colonel M. Sheridan said to-night that General Sheridan did not rest well last night, owing somewhat to the excitement of meeting his children. To-day, however, he has rested well. His condition is practically about the same as when he left Delaware Breakwater. He is a wery sick man.

Accident to Prince Alexander.

DARMSTADT, July 10.—As Prince Alexander, late ruler of Bulgaria, was out riding yesterday his horse shied and the carriage rolled down the mountain side. The Prince was thrown out but escaped with slight injuries. The horse was killed.

Not an Advertising Benefactor.

MONTREAL, July 10.—Sir John MacDonald, Premier of Canada, is suing Michaels, a Cigar Merchant, for $5,000 for using his name as as an advertising dodge without his sanction.

Cattle Desease in Tennessee.

CHATANOOGA, July 10.—A strange desease, resembling dry Murraine, has broken out among milch cows. The head swells up and the cows die in a few hours.

The Emperor of Brazil Recovered.

LONDON, July 10.—The Emperor of Brazil, having recovered from his illness, will sail for Rio Janeiro on August 5, accompanied by the Emperor.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Monday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	105⅝
Chic. Burl't'n & Quincy	112
Del. Lack. and West	130⅜
Lake Shore	91½
Missouri Pacific	73⅜
N. J. Cent	81¾
New York Central	104
New York Lake Erie & West	24⅜
New York & New England	39⅜
Philadelphia & Reading	60⅛
Pac. Mail	37
St. Paul	60
Union Pacific	54⅝
Western Union	76⅞
Oil	82

WHEAT 90; CORN, 56⅜@57; OATS, Ungraded, mixed, 37@39; FLOUR, patents, $4.60@$5.00; extra $3.50@$4.75; LARD $8.60; BUTTER, creamery, 20@21; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream 8@7½; skim, 2@4; EGGS, 18½@19.

Labor Trouble the Cause.

PORTSMOUTH, O., July 10.—Drew Selby & Company's shoe factory in this place has been shut down and all the hands have been discharged. Labor trouble is the cause.

Dressed Beef War.

CHICAGO, July 10.—The Erie road reduced the rate on dressed beef yesterday to 13 1-2 cents from Chicago to New York, and all other lines promptly met the cut.

ANY AND EVERY.

THE Mikado is all the rage in Holland now.

CAMPANINNI will try concerts again in the fall.

DOES the Leer of Booth exceed Barrett's stare?

HENRY BERGH once wrote a play called The Hard Sex.

BOULANGER is becoming ridiculous. That settles him.

TREASURY girls call a man "bub" until he is forty-seven.

IT goes against the grain for an elevator boy to lose money.

THE fleece of a Michigan ram weighed twenty-five pounds.

LEPROSY is said to be spreading at an alarming rate in Russia.

THE largest strawberries are found in the illustrated catalogue.

SENATOR SHERMAN is said to be a capital hand at playing ten-pins.

THE brass bands are looking forward to a busy and profitable year.

ALARMS of fire are given at Nogales, A. T. by the shooting of all arms.

MR. LEONARD SWEET is esteemed the greatest horsebakk rider of Chicago.

THE CHINESE Weekly News is published in New York in the Chinese language.

THE other day the coroner of New York held forty-nine inquests in two hours.

WHY should a cup of tea or coffee at a restaurant cost more than a glass of beer?

IT is a low grade of intellect that finds pleasure in batting a bad actor, a crank or a crazy man.

No murderers will be hanged in New York State after the present year. Electricity will finish them.

Now that the high tax liquor law is in force in Pennsylvania, beer is known as "ambrosia" in Philadelphia.

THE largest railroad system in the world is the Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe, which operates about 8,000 miles of road.

THE Chicago Journal says Bill Nye or the Arizona Kicker should be appointed to the chair of journalism in Cornell University.

THE price of diamonds has fallen. It was was over twenty-shillings per carat in October, 1877, and it is now less than eighteen shillings

TWELVE years ago papers spoke of "a Miss Mary Anderson, of Louisville," who had just began starring. She is known the world over now.

OSMOND TEARLE, the actor, was once a drug clerk; Kryle Bellew was a sailor, and Otis Skinner nailed up boxes in his youth in a dry goods house.

CLAUDE DE HAVEN, a Bohemian of the old school—writer and showman—died in Providence, R. I., recently of pneumonia. His body was buried by the Elks.

RUSKIN has broad religious views of his own evolution, but holds to the essentials of Christianity. He believes unreservedly in a literal and personal devil.

HON. HARVEY RICE, who came to Cleveland, Ohio, sixty-four years ago when the city had but 400 inhabitants, has recently entered his eighty-ninth year, hale and hearty. He is the father of the present school system of Ohio.

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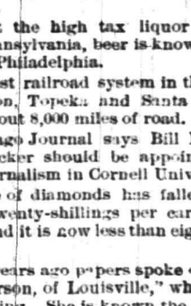

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A COOK-STOVE IN SPAIN.

An American Consul Tells How He Imported That Peculiar Contrivance.

H. C. Marston, our consul at Malaga, Spain, makes a somewhat interesting report to the state department on the introduction of an American cook-stove into that city, and the reasons why our hardware trade with Spain is not a success. The kitchen arrangements in Spain for cooking are, he says, of the most primitive character, and he has no doubt that Adam must have used the "hornillo" now used in Andalusia. This is a sort of kiln with a series of holes nine or twelve inches in diameter, with an opening below each, and by persistent fanning charcoal is consumed for fuel. When Mr. Marston mentioned to his friends that he was thinking of ordering an American cook-stove, he was told he would be unable to hire a cook, as hard coal caused headaches and other ailments that no Spanish servant would 'put up' with.

"However," said Mr. Marston, "I ordered one with a full set of stove furniture, and had it shipped via Gibraltar for Malaga. Unfortunately, on its arrival here, having been badly packed, it was broken in many places. I found an Englishman who, being a good workman, by making some thin iron bands, succeeded in riveting the broken pieces together, and it was made serviceable for a time, the cost for repairing being almost as much as the original cost of the stove. I then wrote to New York, claiming that the breakage had occurred through bad packing, and asking the firm to replace the broken plates. This they refused to do, but under compromise furnished the necessary pieces at cost price for cast iron, and in due season the box arrived in Malaga, but the freight and charges on the same equaled those originally charged upon the stove itself.

"I will now relate my experience in the use of this stove. At first my cook looked with perfect disdain upon the new-comer and made every objection to its use, but it was not more than a month before it was the wonder and envy of all the cooks in Malaga. When it became necessary to clean the chimney, stove and pipe, we ordered our cook not to light the stove the following morning but to use the 'hornillos.' To this the woman protested, saying she could not now use anything but the 'estua Americano.' Even in the heat of the past summer nothing could induce our cook to give up, even for a day, the use of this American stove.

"In the course of time the fame of the stove was the subject of conversation with all the friends and acquaintances of our 'cocinera,' and in October last two other families had ordered one of these stoves, each from the same firm that shipped mine. I sent the order myself, reminding them of the disastrous plight in which mine arrived, instructing them to spare no pains or expense in packing. Yet when they were received in Malaga they were in a much worse condition than mine was, being all broken to pieces. They had been paid for and there was no redress. The stoves are almost worthless, and the parties who made the purchase feel that it is a 'forlorn hope' to attempt to have them delivered in good condition at Malaga. Two or three other families expressed a desire to buy and use one of these stoves, and had been waiting to see the condition in which the last two ordered should arrive. With the result as stated above they now decline to order.

"Instead of packing them as these were, put together complete for transportation, they ought to be packed each part separately, viz: One box containing six top plates, one box containing six bottom plates, two boxes containing six side plates each, two boxes containing six end plates each, one box containing lids and other parts, all well packed with plenty of straw or hay to keep them from breaking, and the stoves ought to be put together here. No single box with contents ought to be so heavy but three or four men could readily handle it, for when boxes are of an unusual weight, when carrying them, instead of letting them down easily, men simply 'let go' and drop them, and when they contain light castings, such as stoves, they are sure to break.—*Cincinnati Commercial Gazette.*

A Tall Owl Story.

One day last week, when the sheriff went into the court-room, in the second story of the court house, he saw a strange bird flying about the room, and awaiting some time to see it alight in order to see what species of the feathered tribe it was, stepped to one corner and seated himself. He sat there more than an hour, when, to his surprise, he discovered that it was an owl. The bird did not cease flying all that time. It remained there over forty-eight hours, constantly on the wing, with no seeming desire to rest. The sheriff opened several of the windows, and tried to drive the bird out, but without success. He then got several up-stairs with him to get the fowl to emerge from the house. This could not be done. It was then decided to kill the bird. After several vain efforts Judge Adams succeeded in knocking it down and killing it. The house was previously kept shut, and it is not known how the bird got in unless it was in the following manner: During the last term of the District court a juryman came into the court-room with what he supposed to be a prairie-chicken egg in his hand, which he put under the stove and forgot it. Upon looking for the egg the shell was found there empty, and had all the appearance of being hatched out. The bird is almost white. The county judge had it stuffed, and has it in his office to be seen by all.—*Minden (Ind.) Democrat.*

Humorous husband—Maria, what do you think? This morning a man looked me straight in the face and cut me. Trusting wife—Good gracious! Who was it? Humorous husband—The barber.—*Harper's Bazar.*

He—Isn't the country looking lovely these days, Miss Emiline? The growing grass and the budding trees give evidences of approaching summer. She—Yes, indeed; and pa has already got a new front gate.—*Judge.*

A Queer Bedfellow.

I am encamped in the deep forests on the carboniferous hills of Young county, says a Texas letter in *Forest and Stream.* My temporary shelter is a small cabin of a single room, full of cracks through which things can creep. This morning an hour before dawn a heavy storm descended upon us, and the air grew quite chilly. While lying in my comfortable little bed listening to the howling of the wind and pouring of the rain, I felt a strange movement in the bed. It was not the movement of an earthquake, or of a whale, or of an elephant; yet I immediately recognized it as the movement of a very moving nature—one that might involve terrible consequences. I felt it again, and it was not only in bed but under the cover with me. Just at this juncture I felt something very slick and of a somewhat cold nature move against my hand. The time for action evidently had come, and I did not deliberate what action to perform, but performed at once. With one full bound I vacated that bed and landed in the middle of the floor with such a thump that the cabin shook all over. In a moment my lamp was burning, and seizing a club I approached the bed and cautiously pulled down the cover. There lay a snake, beautifully coiled up, with his head somewhat uplifted, licking out his tongue at me. He was about four feet long. He looked at me and I looked at him. He made no motion as if he would run and neither did I. I thought I spied a gentle and confiding expression in his eye, as if he said: "You need not be alarmed; if you will not hurt me neither will I hurt you. If you will be my friend I will be yours." I threw my club aside. I perceived that my bed-fellow was a bullsnake, almost precisely like the rattlesnake in markings, but in no other respect like that monster. He is without fangs, without poison, and of a gentle, playful, and amiable nature. He grows eight or nine feet long. I said unto him that he and I should be friends; that he might not only dwell with me in my cabin, but that if he liked he could sleep with me in my bed. Having said that much I carefully spread the cover over him him and told him to sleep on. And he did so. But I did not go back to bed to him. I sat by my table and read a few chapters of St. Paul, who, of all authors, is my favorite. How logical, how forceful, how grand and ennobling he is!

On returning from breakfast I brought one of my fellow-workmen with me to show him my friend and bed-fellow. When I drew back the cover there he lay, perfectly quiet and content, but licking out his tongue. My fellow-workman was dumbfounded. I then put the cover back again. A few moments ago my snake descended from the bed, in a quiet way, as if entirely at home, and is still probably somewhere in the house. He was probably engaged in hunting mice when the storm came up, and becoming chilled in the changed atmosphere he found my bed pleasant and concluded to sleep with me.

Old Cigars.

"When you hear a man speak of a fine old cigar,'" said a wholesale dealer in the weed, "you may make up your mind at once that he don't know what a good cigar is. Cigars are not like wine. They do not improve with age, and the best cigars are those that are slightly moist, and for my own smoking I always use those that are fresh, say about fifteen minutes after they are rolled. Go to any importer and if he has any old stock of even the finest imported brands you can always get them at a discount, for good judges will not buy them if they have been long on his shelves. Imported cigars do not deteriorate in value on their way here, because the sea air keeps them fresh and moist but the moment they are put in a warm room they become dry very fast and lose in flavor."

Where the Best Seals Live.

"The best sealskins come from the comparatively warm part of the Arctic regions."

"From the warm parts? I thought the seal liked ice and snow," inquired the reporter.

"The fur seal," replied the furrier, "likes cool weather and water, but he does not like ice and snow. The fur seal seeks his Arctic home in summer and leaves it on the approach of winter for warmer latitudes. The fur seal is not very plentiful, but the hair seal is found almost everywhere. The value of the two skins varies—the fur seal is worth twenty times as much as the skin of the hair seal.

The inhabitants of the Arctic regions make clothing and tents of the skin of the hair seal. The hide of the hair seal, which is secured off the coast of Labrador in large numbers, is used for reticules, sealskin shopping-bags, etc., and coupled with monkey skins they help to make a common grade of kid glove. The fur seal is gradually being exterminated, and sealskin is getting more expensive every year. This is caused by there being no laws to protect them, and they are being killed all the year round. In the north the fur seal is confined to two limited localities, both in Behring sea. The catch on the American side is limited to 100,000 a year, on the Russian to 40,000. This latter is sublet to the American company. Thus the whole of the fur business is virtually in the hands of a single monopoly, and it is estimated that not more than 5 or 10 per cent more sealskins than this is furnished by all the rest of the world. The American company is restricted by act of congress not to kill more than 100,000 seals every year. The result of this law has been that in a few years there will be an enormous number of seals in Behring sea. For some time they have seemed to understand the law and have been coming to the Yankees for protection. No one who saw a sealskin in its raw state would believe a beautiful coat could be made from it. It is an ugly looking affair, and the soft fur is covered over by a hard, rough, heavy coat.—*New York Mail and Express.*

Skillful mamma—I do hope the ceremony will go off without a hitch tomorrow. Father—Egad, I don't! It's Eleanor's last chance.—*Life.*

NEW YORK NOTES.

THE DUKE OF MARLBOROUGH'S MARRIAGE EXCITES ANGLOMANIACS.

Men in New York Insist on Having Their Clothes of English Woolen—The Latest Scheme in the Drop-a-nickel Way—Will Mr. Jones be Expelled from the Union League Club.

NEW YORK, July 2.—The marriage of the Duke of Marlborough during the week has been the interesting society topic. Anglomaniacs in New York of course envy Mrs. Hammersly's elevation to a Duchess; but some others who are called "wise heads," go about predicting all sorts of calamity for the lady. The speedy marriage it seems was more of a surprise in England than in this country. There had been a rumor afloat in English society, that a reconciliation had taken place between Lady Blandford the divorced wife and her husband. When Blenheim was undergoing repairs and alterations recently, that fact only gave strength to the rumor; but like many rumors it was false, and now all possibility of such a reunion is past and an American heiress will reign in her stead. Marlborough has been under the ban of the social black list by order of the Queen, and it can only be removed by her public recognition of him. There is a general opinion afloat that the new wife's money will open the path to social recognition again. And as the Prince of Wales and his set have not been over particular of late as to whom they took up, it is considered the probable channel of Marlborough's re-establishment.

The latest scheme abroad in this city is a stock company, which has recently been formed and in which Manager Ed. Gilmore is said to have invested pretty heavily, is a plan for the philanthropic motive of supplying to all theatre goers the now necessary pairs of opera glasses. The means of working it is supposed to be something of the drop-a-nickel-in-the-box method. Excepting the person desiring the glasses must put in a quarter instead of a nickel. A box containing an opera glass and some machinery which is hidden from view, has a slot in one end, is fastened to every chair in the auditorium, and when any one desires to use the glasses all he will have to do will be to drop in a twenty-five cent silver coin in the slot and the box will open automatically and place the desired glasses at the disposal of the previous owner of the quarter. The question naturally arose, would the user of the glasses return them at the end of the play or, mistaking them for his own, possibly slip them into his pocket. Mr. Gilmore when questioned on this point stated that the plan included a model of setting for the glasses, so worked that they never could be used without attracting immediate attention, and that any one using them in another place would attract attention. The company claims to have placed an order with a firm of opera glass manufacturers in Paris, for three thousand fine glasses, which are to be the nucleus of the scheme.

THE WORLD has been very much exercised over the marriage of the Duke of Marlborough, and to-day printed the following editorial: The Duke of Marlborough should not fail to apprise the British Peers of the fact that his brother-in-law used to work in blue overalls for a dollar and a half a day. Such a brother-in-law is one to be proud of, and the overalls should be framed and glazed—unless already glazed by honest toil—and hung up in Blenheim Castle. They would be the most significant token of this latest alliance of aristocracy and democracy. The overall is a garment of cleanliness. It would show to the Laughty earls and viscounts who might gather from time to time under the Churchill roof-tree that American workman have pride and self-respect. When one of them wears overalls he does so because of a laudable desire to keep clean the clothing under them. And no nation may be esteemed savage, even by an effete nobility that speaks the same language, when the nation cares as much about its clothes as Americans do. After all, Marlborough will not have to apologize for or explain his alliance, even to the descendants of "an hundred earls." The face and grace of his new Duchess will do that for him. But he ought to be proud of the overalls.

News comes from Washington that a certain member of Congress has drawn up a set of charges against Mr. George Jones, the proprietor of the New York Times, and forwarded them to Chauncey M. Depew, President of the Union League Club. The charges set forth that Mr. Jones is not a Republican or Mugwump, but a down right Democrat, sympathizing with President Cleveland in the free trade doctrines, and as such believes he can not remain a member of the club. The Union League Club is essentially a Republican Club, but their is no provision in its constitution or by-laws which states that a Democrat can not join, to be a member, or must be expelled. If the sentiments of the club wrong Mr. Jones, he has the privilege of resigning. Or should Mr. Jones express any of his sentiments in the building, the members have the privilege of refuting his arguments or walking into another room. But the idea that he can be ignominiously expelled is absurd. As long as Mr. Jones behaves himself in a manner becoming a gentleman, he must be a member in good standing, unless he himself elects otherwise.

THE subject of Anglomania in New York is fast growing to be a study and may be viewed from a great many standpoints. One day during last week I happened in a leading tailor shop on Fifth avenue. As I entered I heard the head clerk remark to a customer: "No sir! we have not a piece of American goods in our shop." After the customer had gone out I learned that such was really the the case. Customers who are willing to pay high prices will not buy American cloths. *The reason for this is that the American* goods are decidedly inferior. There is no denying this fact, a pair of trousers made of good English woolen will wear twice as long and keep their shape longer than any that can be made from our own manufactures. Yet the wearers, those who will buy nothing but imported wools are charged with being Anglomaniacs. The charge is unfair. A cloth drummer told me that he could not afford to have the goods he sold made up for his own wear, because he had found it more economical to go to a tailor's and pay the regular retail price for English wools.

MR. E. H. AMMIDOWN, president, of the Protective Tariff League, has written a letter to the TRIBUNE in reference to the noise the HERALD is making about the League's affairs. Mr. Ammidown states that the circular to which the HERALD has devoted so much attention has been given to the press long ago, and the substance of it repeatedly published during the past year. The list of members of the League is twice as large now as it was when the circular was issued. Many are joining from the Northwest and the Pacific coast. The methods of the League are purely educational. It is non-partisan in politics, being devoted solely to the maintenance of the protective tariff system in this country. It undertakes to aid in accomplishing this by distributing tariff literature and in having the question publicly and thoroughly debated. The League is obliged for the HERALD'S advertisement, but thinks the advertisement was not as thorough as it ought to have been.

THE Anti-Poverty Society has entered upon the consideration of the question whether or not it will refuse to pay any more land rent. The first plan was to get as many people as possible, 15,000 or 20,000 to agree that after a certain date they would pay no more rent for land, and only a fair rental for the use of the houses, as the land belonged to the people. Then the rent-paying people were to retain possession of the houses until evicted by process of law. As there are only eleven district courts to issue dispossessing warrants the speaker said landlords would become discouraged and reduce the rents to a reasonable basis. If, however, this plan was deemed inexpedient because of the magnitude of the undertaking, Dr. McGlynn suggested that all the tenants move out of a block of houses at one time and workingmen agree that they would not move into it until the land rent was waived and a reasonable house rent accepted by the owner.

SOME of Chauncey M. Depew's friends think he talks too much. On that point Mr. Depew tells a story which shows that had the Republican party given him the nomination at Chicago he would have become as popular at the White House as was Abraham Lincoln. Depew's story is as follows: "I can remember a conversation with Abraham Lincoln, who was the original story-teller of this country, in which he said to me: 'Depew, they say I talk too much and tell too many stories. They say it does not comport with the dignity of the Presidential office, and that it detracts from my personal dignity. But, Depew, the common people—the common people—like plain talk, and they understand what I mean when I tell them a story, and I don't believe I shall quit it just because it isn't considered dignified.'"

IT was in a Sixth avenue horse car a few days ago. Two ladies, who were evidently on a shopping excursion, entered the car with their arms full of bundles. As the conductor stepped forward to collect the fare, the first lady, after some difficulty, fished from the bottom of her purse five battered pennies, and, with a satisfied smile, handed them triumphantly to the conductor. Her mirth did not last long. Unfortunately for the success of her little scheme, lady No. 2 handed the conductor a dime for her fare and promptly received the five battered pennies for her change. A smile wandered around among the passengers who had seen the little episode lady No. 2 looked disgusted, and the conductor tipped a wink and smiled in a self-satisfied way.

ONE of the jolliest politicians and millionaires from the from the far West is ex-Governor Samuel T. Hauser of Montana. He spends his winters in New York and is considered one of the boys. His income is enormous, being all the way from $500 to $1,500 a day. His early life reads like a romance. After many adventures he became a miner and banker and decided to grow up with Montana. He plays a good game of billiards, knows very little about poker, and leads an abstemious life. He is a very generous man helps everybody whom he knows to be in need of help. He places great confidence in all of his friends and has never had occasion to regret it. To this he attributes his great success in life.

A queer fact is, that these Fifth Avenue tailors laugh at London made clothes. One of them stated recently that he had a hundred customers who were better dressed men than Mr. Berry Wall, who claims to be the second best dressed man in America. It appears that our tailors consider that they can fit a man's clothes to his figure much better than those across the pond. The Englishmen are not very particular while Americans do not want a wrinkle.

MEACHAM.

BROTHER HARRISON'S FAREWELL.

He Says He Has Made 1,800 Converts in the James Street Church Revival.

The announcement that the Rev. Thomas Harrison, the revivalist, was to hold farewell services at the James Street Methodist Episcopal Church served to fill the church Sunday. On the wall back of the platform was a large floral piece bearing the legend: "Hallelujah Jubilee—1,700." The letters and figures were made of small red flowers, the background of yellow flowers.

A Mr. Weeks, who is a music teacher, startled everybody by rising and testifying to the miraculous recovery of his powers of hearing. He said he had been deaf for four years, and that he had not been able to hear anything until that very afternoon, when he heard Mr. Harrison plainly announce a hymn. There were many cries of "Glory!" and "Praise be to God!"

Mr. Harrison said that there were nearly 1,800 converts, the result of twenty-three weeks' revival work. He said he might remain with the church a few days longer, but the revival services would not be continued. A collection was taken up for him.

In his talk Mr. Harrison told of his own religious experiences. "I have been called illiterate, ignorant, and ungrammatical," he said; "but I have gone on converting thousands, and haven't minded them any more than a steam locomotive is bothered by the barking dog it leaves behind."

A Tragedian Imprisoned.

AT midnight on Saturday James Owen O'Conor, the Hoboken tragedian, who has been exhibiting at H. R. Jacobs' theatre in that city during the past week, sent a messenger to Police Headquarters to the effect that he was imprisoned in the side entrance to the theatre, and was afraid to come out for fear of violence at the hands of a mob of boys, who had thrown potatoes and onions at him during his performance. He wanted a squad of policemen to protect him. Sergeant Edmondson sent a policeman, who escorted the tragedian to his home in Union Hill.

Mr. O'Conor gave a reception to his neighbors and some of his friends from this city yesterday afternoon. His house was crowded. He gave a Shakesperian exhibition before the conclusion of the reception.

During last week at Jacobs' Theatre Mr. O'Conor had a very hard time. Each evening the boys and some of their elders threw all manner of missiles at him, and several times he was obliged to leave the stage. Once a dead cat struck him on the head, and another time a pack of giant firecrackers was thrown at him and exploded over his head, setting fire to his wig and costume. Hoboken is his birthplace, and he said he feels very bad about his failure to impress his audiences there.

MINOR NOTES.

THERE is very little riding in the park nowadays. Nearly all the stables where riding horses are kept have been sent to the watering places, and but few good horses are in the city.

THE Rev. John R. Paxton, chaplin of the Seventh regiment and pastor of the West Presbyterian church, has gone west for a short vacation. He will sail for Europe on July 8, to be away until September 15. Dr. Paxton says the Seventh regiment ought to go to Europe.

THE amusement profession contains a large delegation who are most enthusiastic followers of Izaak Walton. Among these ardent tossers of the gaudy fly are Joseph Jefferson, N. J. Florence, Joseph Murphy, Isaac B. Richardson, Arthur B. Chase, J. Charles Davis, H. C. Miner, I. H. Mack, Frederic Bryton, W. J. Scanlon, Robert Mantell and Augustus Pitou.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—7.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 4.00, 5.30, 8.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 12.00, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.54, 6.26, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 8.35, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.15, 11.30, a.m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.30 a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

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Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.22, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

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6.58 a. m.—for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m.—for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 8.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08 a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sundays 8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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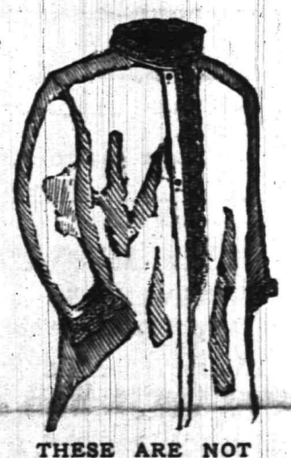

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MR. RANDALL'S ILLNESS

Grave Apprehensions Expressed as to His Recovery.

TAKEN WITH HEMORRHAGES.

The Great and Leading Democratic Statesman Suffers with Hemorrhages Which Result in an Acute Inflammation of the Stomach—Later Reports Are More Favorable.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Samuel J. Randall was taken seriously ill Monday evening at his home on East Capitol street, with hemorrhage of the stomach, which subsequently developed into inflammation of the bowels. After the first attack he rapidly grew worse, and for a time his condition justified the gravest apprehension. His physician in Philadephia, who has attended Mr. Randall for several years, was immediately sent for and arrived here yesterday morning.

During the day Mr. Randall rapidly grew worse, and at one time it was feared that his recovery was an impossibility. Word was sent to the house during the afternoon that he had slightly improved, but another and serious attack followed later in the day. His condition is still regarded as extremely critical, and considerable apprehension is expressed as to his recovery.

Mr. Randall has during the last three months undergone several very severe and trying surgical operations in Philadelphia, which have greatly impaired his constitution and render his chance of recovery doubtful.

His friends have noticed since early spring that he was not in good physical condition, and they have attributed to this the apparent lack of interest which the ex-Speaker has displayed in the affairs of Congress. His feeble state of health was especially noticeable at the time he made his tariff speech in the House. His voice at that time was hardly strong enough to be heard twenty feet away, and the pallor of his face plainly showed the effort which the speech cost him. Although he has looked brighter since then he has by no means been himself for a long while.

Late last-night Dr. T. F. Mallan, Mr. Randall's physician, announced that he was considerably improved, and all the conditions were now favorable.

The cause of the trouble was given out as the eating of three saucers of ice cream on Monday and the only danger was said to be a recurrence of the hemorrhage of the bowels of last night. At long intervals during the evening Mr. Randall was without medical attendance, though the physician was always within call. At midnight the information from three direct sources was that the sufferer was resting quietly and that the doctor had gone home for the night.

Parnell is Hopeful.

LONDON, July 11.—In an interview yesterday Parnell said he thought the Home Rule movement would result in establishing an imperial parliament in which England, Ireland, Scotland, Wales, and the colonies will be represented. Each country would have a separate legislature and manage its affairs.

He thinks the imperial parliament will support the House of Lords. He is also confident that at the next general elections the Gladstonians will have 120 majority in the House.

An Entire Family Insane.

PRINCETON, Ill., July 11.—The two grown daughters of Jacob Nye have been adjudged insane and will be sent to an asylum. The father, mother and another daughter are also insane, the five having been stricken on the same day. Physicians are unable to account for the strange affliction.

All the stricken persons were in usual health up to a few days ago, and there has been no unusual excitement in the neighborhood. The family spend their time singing and praying. They seem to fear they will be poisoned.

The Pitcher Defalcation.

MONTREAL, Que., July 11.—There is another sensation in the sensational case of Teller Pitcher. That mysterious letter written June 27th by Pitcher and mailed by Lawyer Guerin, proves to be a request on London bankers to send the $700,000 package to Lawyer Guerin of Montreal. Guerin refuses to talk. He holds a high position and his motives are believed to have been honest, but this disclosure places him in a peculiar position.

King Milan Wants His Heir.

LONDON, July 11.—It is reported here on what seems good authority that the German government will exercise its authority on the side of King Milan in his struggle for his son and heir now held at Weisbaden by Queen Matilda. It is said that the German police will be placed at the disposal of King Milan to carry back his crown prince. Queen Matilda, it is expected, will at once take vigorous measures to secrete her boy.

A Norristown Marble Quarry Caves In.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 11.—In the marble quarries near Norristown, several hundred tons of marble caved in last evening and entombed the quarrymen. Four Poles were instantly killed and twelve badly injured. John Hartmann a Pole, was brought to Philadelphia, but died before he got to the hospital. The accident is very serious and full particulars could not be obtained.

President Diaz Re-elected.

CITY OF MAXICO, July 11.—The Electoral College met yesterday throughout the country and voted for President, three members of the Supreme Court, members of Congress and a Senator from each state.

There is so far no opposition to President Diaz. So far as known the new members are in accord with the administration. President Diaz to-day received hundreds of calls and messages of congratulation.

Execution of Deacons.

ROCHESTER, July 11.—Edward Alonzo Deacons, the murderer of Mrs. Alonzo Stone, was hanged here yesterday morning.

During the last night he engaged in a game of euchre with his death watch, but he did not appear particularly interested in the game. He entertained his visitors and the death watch during the night by singing and playing on the violin.

Hiram Sibley Dangerously Ill.

ROCHESTER, N. Y., July 11.—Hiram Sibley was stricken with apoplexy last evening and has remained in a stupor since that time. He is not expected to recover.

GOOD NEWS OF SHERIDAN.

He Has a Good Day at Nonquitt and Seems to be Better.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 11.—Gen. Sheridan has had a quiet day in his cottage. An interview was held yesterday with Colonels Sheridan and Kellogg, who talked quite freely of the condition of the General and the views they entertain regarding his prospects of recovery. Col. Kellogg said the General had passed the day comfortably but he has no sleep This, so far from being considered a drawback, is looked upon favorably, as he will be more apt to rest well during the night. The greatest trouble in dealing with the patient now is to hold in check his ambition to get well too fast. He wishes to get up, and has asked to be raised to a sitting posture. This the physicians in charge do not feel it safe to grant at present. The General is anxious to get up and take a look at the house. His mind is clear and he is cognizant of all that goes on about him.

Col. Bellogg gave it as his opinion that the General will recover, and said he has at no time entertained a contrary opinion.

Col. Sheridan went to New Bedford yesterday afternoon and returned to Nonquitt after a short visit. There have been no further changes in the General's care since the substitution of Dr. Matthews for Dr. O'Reilly, and there will likely be no other for the present.

Last evening the following bulletin was issued by the attending physicians:

NONQUITT, July 10—9 P. M.

Gen. Sheridan has had some periods of nervousness during the day, but at the present time he is very quiet. He rested well last night. His general muscular system exhibits a fair degree of strength, but his voice is weak. His respiration continues to improve. He has taken to-day a good quantity of peptonized milk with crackers, a small portion of boiled fish, and a mutton chop.

WASHINGTON MATTHEWS,
HENRY C. YARROW.

Indian Outrage at Winnebago.

SIOUX CITY, Ia., July 11.—Parties who came up yesterday from the Winnebago Agency tell of a terrible outrage committed there Sunday by a party of young Indian bucks. Saturday afternoon there arrived at the agency from St. Paul a pretty young French woman, Leonora Tailbedeaux, who came as a teacher for one of the schools of the agency. Owing to the crowded condition of the agency building and numerous cases of measels prevalent the young women found difficulty in obtaining suitable quarters, but was finally assigned to a room in the agency building. Sunday evening she started for a walk, watched by a crowd of the young bucks who were smitten with her charms. They followed her some distance from the headquarters and then made a rush from the woods, seized her and despite her struggles and cries she was dragged to a clump of bushes and assaulted by eighteen young Winnebagos. She was left insensible but returned to consciousness during the night and returned to the agency where she made known what had taken place. She is in a terrible condition. Because of darkness and her being an entire stranger she can identify none of her assailants. The agency officials are making every endeavor possible to ascertain who the guilty parties are.

Colored Men Cannot Lynch White Men.

CHARLESTON, S. C., July 11.—A white man named Waldorf was lynched by negroes at Central, Pickens county, in December, on a charge of criminal assault upon a colored girl named Sherman. Several of the men were recognized and arrested and are now on trial at Pickens. The testimony in the case was closed yesterday and it seems certain that four, Cato Sherman, the girl's father, John Beece, William Williams and Harrison Hayward will be convicted of murder, and the colored people claim the same right to lynch white men that white men have exercised in the past with regard to the blacks in similar cases.

No Depot For Reading.

PHILADELPHIA, Pa., July 11.—The Councils Committee yesterday rejected the ordinance of the Philadelphia and Reading Railroad granting permission for a depot at Twelfth and Market streets by a vote of 13 to 1. This stops one of the greatest improvements ever suggested for Philadelphia and the people condemn their action as uncalled for.

Blown Up and Burned to Death.

CHICAGO, Ills., July 11.—By an explosion of naptha in a paint shop yesterday afternoon, Alex. Johnson, a workman, was thrown across the shop and lay unconscious with his head over a tunk of naptha. Flames set fire to the contents and Johnson's head was burned off from his body. The damage to property was $20,000.

More Cutting of Beef Rates.

CHICAGO, Ill., July 11.—Yesterday the managers of the Erie road authorized their western agents to again make defferential rates on dressed beef via Chicago and Atlantic, and there was a break to 12 cents per hundred pounds from Chicago to New York and Boston.

Gov. Beaver Gets a Cane.

HARRISBURG, Pa., July 11.—A pleasant incident of the visit of Gov. Beaver to Chattanooga was the presentation to him by N. B. Forrest Camp of Confederate Veterans of a cane made from a hickory tree at the top of Lookout Mountain. The speeches on the occasion were full of professions of loyalty to the Union.

Mistook His Hat for a Woodchuck.

GOSHEN, Ind., July 11.—Last evening Edward Tobias of Nappance and William Weitzel were hunting in the woods near here, and became separated. Tobias sat down by a stump to wait for Weitzel. The latter coming up mistook Tobias' hat for a woodchuck, and fired, killing him instantly.

The Span of the Memphis Bridge.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—The Secretary of War has rendered a decision relative to the length of the span of the railroad bridge over the Mississippi at Memphis, in which he fixes the length of the channel span at 730 feet.

Queen Natalie under Russian Protection

BELGARDE, July 11.—The Princess Dassura aunt of Queen Natalie, has left for Wiesbaden with the intention of placing Queen Natalie and the Crown Prince under Russian protection.

A Big Job Before Him.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—Railroad Commissioner Jas. E. Johnston will leave here to-day to inspect the books of all the Pacific railroads. He will be gone two months.

TO BRIDGE THE HUDSON

A Plan to Build Such a Bridge Considered.

THE ENGINEERS IN COUNCIL.

The Secretary of War Investigates the Plans to Determine Whether the Structure Will Cause any Hindrance to the Navigation in the River.

NEW YORK, July 11.—A public meeting of the Board of Engineers of the United States Army was held in room 48 of the Army building, corner of Greene and Houston streets, yesterday, to consider House bill 10,642, which provides for a bridge across the North River to Jersey City from New York. The meeting was held with the approval of the Secretary of War.

The bridge is to be 140 feet high at the highest point, five feet higher than the Brooklyn Bridge. The bill provides that it shall not in any way interfere with the bulkheads in the river. Nothing is said of the length of the proposed bridge.

F. W. Vosburgh, of the Schuyler Towing line, 15 South street, said that he did not appear exactly in opposition to the proposed highway, but he had experience with bridges before, and knew that they interfered with commerce on the waters crossed. He was opposed to any bridge that would interfere with the highest masts of steamers.

Some of these masts were 150 feet high, ten feet higher than the highest clearance of the proposed bridge.

In reply to Mr. Vosburgh, Colonel Casey said that the board had to do at present only with the question whether the proposed bridge would interfere with navigation.

After the public meeting the board went into executive session to discuss the matters that had been brought before the meeting.

PITTSBURG, July 11.—Gustave Lindenthal, the Pittsburg civil engineer, who proposes to execute in New York the most stupendous engineering project of modern times, in the form of a bridge over the Hudson, from twenty-third street to the New Jersey shore, returned home from New York yesterday. He was busy all day examining correspondence.

Mr. Lindenthal declined to state where he intends to secure his financial backing, but assures all inquirers that it will be forthcoming at the right time.

The bridge will probably cost about $37,000,000, according to his figures. Of this amount it is estimated $25,000,000 will be expended in the work of construction. The remaining $12,000,000 will be used for the purchase of the necessary abutting property.

The bridge will be constructed in three spans, the middle one to be 2,830 feet long, the largest single span in the world. The bridge is intended to be the means of giving a direct entry to the railroads into the city of New York.

From the income thus derived it is expected the structure will be made a profitable investment. It would be traversed in all by not less than 200,000,000 passengers annually, and as the rates of toll would approximate 2 cents per head, the total revenue from this source alone would be enormous.

In order to secure an interest of 5 per cent. upon capital invested, it would be only necessary that the structure's net annual earnings should be $1,850,000.

Col. James Andrews, of Alleghany, is one of the incorporators of the institution. It is expected that the scheme will receive considerable support from Pittsburg capitalists.

One Convention After Another.

CINCINNATI, O., July 11.—The annual session of the Western Amateur Press Association adjourned yesterday to meet in Denver. F. C. Lindsay of Cincinnati was elected President. The National Convention of Master Painters and Decorators began its three days session yesterday.

Baseball Games Played Tuesday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT NEW YORK.

Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
New York	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	—	—2

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	2	0	0	2	0	2	0	0	0	—6
Boston	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

AT DETROIT.

Detroit	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	—4
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

AT INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	—1
Philadelphia	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—2

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	0—4
Brooklyn	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	3	1—5

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	2—5
Athletics	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—4

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	0	2	0	0	0	2	1	0	2	—7
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	3	—4

AT KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Baltimore	2	3	0	5	0	0	2	0	0	—12

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 9, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	39	20	Brooklyn	43	20
Detroit	36	23	St. Louis	37	21
New York	35	24	Athletic	36	24
Boston	31	28	Cincinnati	37	25
Philadelphia	31	28	Baltimore	28	32
Indianapolis	21	37	Louisville	23	40
Pittsburg	21	35	Kansas City	19	41
Washington	20	30	Cleveland	18	39

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Tuesday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	107⅝
Chic. Burl't'n & Quincy	113⅜
Del. Lack. and West	130⅜
Lake Shore	91⅜
Missouri Pacific	74⅝
N. J. Cent	82⅜
New York Central	104½
New York Lake Erie & West	24⅜
New York & New England	39⅛
Philadelphia & Reading	60⅝
Pac. Mail	34
St. Paul	67
Union Pacific	55
Western Union	77⅜
Oil	82

WHEAT 90; CORN, 56⅞@57; OATS, Ungraded, mixed, 37@39; FLOUR, patents, $4.60@$5.00; extra $3.50@$3.75; LARD $8.60; BUTTER, creamery, 20@21; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream 8@7½; skim, 2@3; EGGS, 18½@19.

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While carefully guarding the interests of the taxpayers and conforming strictly to the principles of justice and equity, this Democratic Administration has paid out more for pensions and bounties to the soldiers and sailors of the Republic than has ever been paid before during an equal period.—NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The Warren Mission Sunday School excursion will take place on the 20th inst.

—The M. E. Sunday school will excurt to Ocean Grove and Asbury Park on Thursday.

—The Democratic State Committee will meet at Long Branch on Thursday, to arrange for the campaign.

—An epidemic of malarial fever is threatened in Elizabeth, and the primarial causes are said to be foul sewers and stagnant ponds of water.

—There were a few minor cases disposed of in Orphan's Court to-day and the Court will be held every Wednesday during July, but no sessions will be held in August.

—The *Stale News* says: "A favorite walk is out to South Plainfield, to New Market, to Dunellen and return up East Front street." Up *East* Front street from Dunellen, is good.

—A misguided politician by name Gep Frazee, is about town this morning accusing some one of shutting off his gas. But those who heard him noticed no cessation in the working of his meter.

—THE PRESS will be sent without extra charge to any address desired by subscribers who intend spending any time outside of the city. The address may be changed as often as necessary.

—The hammock thieves are about again. Last night they entered the premises of Mr. F. A. Church on Craig place, cut his hammock loose at both ends, and departed leaving only the hooks behind.

—The cause of the bright light to the South of the city, which called out the firemen on Saturday evening, was the burning of the barn and outhouses on the farm of Col. Ruth Goshen, the "Middlebush Giant," near Millstone.

—Complaints continue to come in of the men and boys who persist in bathing in the brook near the Clinton avenue bridge in garden-of-Eden costume. A few more arrests will probably put an end to the nuisance. Oh, for a public bath!

—We have the personal assurance of the Street Commissioner, that the city park is to be improved. Another cart load of dirt was dumped in the park yesterday, and more soil will be deposited there in the course of a few weeks.

—The Board of Health held a meeting, Monday evening, at the residence of its President, Mr. George W. Rockfellow. The matter of garbage collection and its collectors, is being put in shape. The physicians who fail to report cases of contagious diseases, will hear from the Board in future.

—Hon. Peter S. Bergen, the silver tongued orator of Somerset county, will lecture in the Union Village M. E. church to-morrow evening, on "The eloquence, oratory and peculiarities of great men." The proceeds will be for the benefit of the church. If stormy, the lecture will be delivered the next fair evening.

—The Republican State Committee will probably establish headquarters at Trenton and Jersey City. Jersey City is very convenient for a majority of the members, and so many Jerseymen visit New York daily that the committee room in Jersey City is reached by more persons than anywhere else. At present nearly all the prominent men are either at the shore, resting, or are engaged at Washington.

—"The Ministering League" of Grace church will be in the chapel from 5 o'clock until 7 P. M., every Wednesday evening, to receive flowers for New York "Flower Mission."

—The Court of Pardons held a short session at Newton yesterday and pardoned out four convicts whose terms of imprisonment ranged from six month to five years.

—A day or two since, another umbrella disappeared from the hallway outside the Chautauqua offices. This is the third successful raid of an umbrella thief in the same place.

—The Potter ball nine arranged a game of ball with the Dunellen club, which was to have taken place in this city on Saturday, but the Dunellen nine failed to materialize, and the game was declared off.

—A man was overcome by a combination of heat and Jersey lightning at the corner of North and Park avenues this afternoon, and when Officer Lynch arrived he found the man standing on the sidewalk, sound asleep.

—Mr. H. T. Smith the grocer, of Peace and Fifth streets, has become financially embarrassed, and is stated has made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors. The total liabilities are not known, but there is said to be a large outstanding of claims due him.

—Constable Moffett succeeded yesterday in recovering Albert G. Perry's horse, which Mrs. Flynn of the Boulevard locked up in her yard and held a prisoner. It was only after the constable threatened the woman with arrest, that she decided to deliver up the animal.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Grace Rockfellow and Miss Kate Startup of Middletown, N. Y., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. T. S. Armstrong of Duer street, North Plainfield.

Miss Lillie Kersting of Morristown and Miss Eva Carr of Newark, are visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Liefke, on West Front street.

Mr. Charles P. Leggett presided at the organ in Trinity Reformed church on Sunday, in the absence of Mr. A. L. Titsworth, the organist, who is registered with his wife at "The Bristol," Asbury Park.

THE PRESS feels more or less proud and thankful that it has been favored by an interview with Col. Elliott F. Shepard. It appears elsewhere, after being submitted to Mr. Shepard and receiving his approval of it as it stands.

The two day's session of "The School of Method" of the State W. C. T. U., opened at Ocean Grove yesterday. Mrs. S. J. C. Downs, State President, presiding. Papers were read on the various topics, one of them by Mrs. P. H. Bennett of this city, on "Juvenile Instruction in Temperance Principles."

Assemblyman Ulrich was present in Anchor Lodge room where the third degree was being worked, last evening, when he was notified of his election as President of the new Republican Club which was organized at "Gep's" headquarters during the evening. The Judge was not even asked whether he would accept the presidency or not.

The W. C. T. U. Excursion.

The excursion of the W. C. T. U., from this city to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove yesterday, was a most enjoyable affair. The rain storm of the previous day and the dull weather yesterday morning caused a great many people to hesitate about going until it was too late, and when the train pulled out from the station there were five comfortably filled passenger coaches containing 233 peoplr.

The day at the beach was enjoyably and pleasantly passed. Many of the excursionists took advantage of the opportunity and spent an hour or so in the surf, while others spent the day fishing from the dock. One party, consisting of Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Opdyke, Dr. C. R. Thiers, Col. John Deitrich and R. C. Dingee, landed in the neighborhood of 65 pounds of edible fish during the day, to say nothing of the large number of sea robins hooked and cast overboard. Two good-sized sharks were also captured by Messrs. Dingee and Thiers.

Another party composed of such experienced fishermen as Freeholder Vanderbeek, M. M. Thorn, A. Swalm and F. A. Dunham, were less fortunate, but captured enough fish to more than pay for their bait.

The return trip was made in the evening, arriving home a little after nine o'clock, all apparently well pleased with the day's enjoyment.

Miss Moore to Speak at Westfield.

The ladies of the Willard Women's Christian Temperance Union of Westfield, will hold a mass meeting in the W.C.T.U., tent at that place, to-morrow evening at eight o'clock.

An address will be given by Miss Henrietta Moore, one of the most celebrated of the National W.C.T.U., speakers. Miss Moore is young and talented, and very highly spoken of by Miss Willard and others.

All are welcome, and a number from this city are expected to attend.

Firemen's Relief Fund.

Secretary of State, Henry C. Kelsey, has announced that the total amount of the fund to be distributed to the sixty-seven firemen's relief associations in New Jersey is $18,099.78, which is now being distributed to the associations throughout the State for the relief of disabled firemen. The amount is raised by taxing the fire insurance companies. The allowance for each local relief association is $270.14.

"GEP'S" POLITICAL MEETING.

The Tippecanoe Club Organized, and Officers Elected—An Address by Peter S. Bergen.

"Gep's political retort on East Front street was filled to overflowing last evening, in response to an announcement that Peter S. Bergen would be present and deliver an address on the current issues of the day, and also that a new Republican club would be organized.

The meeting was called to order at half-past eight o'clock by Thomas C. Price, who was made chairman. After a song by the Crescent Glee Club, Mr. Peter S. Bergen, better known as the "Silver tongued orator" of Somerset county was introduced as the first speaker. His address was in the usual humorous strain, and favored protection to American monopoly. Peter has long been before the public as a consistent Republican, and he always commands an audience.

After another song by the Glee Club, Thomas C. Price was called upon, and spoke mistakedly on the subject of protection to the American workingman and his products.

A new Republican organization called the "Tippecanoe Club" was then formed with about forty members. Temporary officers were elected as follows:

President—Hon. John Ulrich.
Vice President—Thomas C. Price.
Secretary—Isaac Smalley.
Treasurer—John W. Murray, Jr.

After a few pert remarks by Mr. Dunham the meeting adjourned until Tuesday evening next, at the same time and place, when permanent and military officers will be elected.

Prince Methusalem.

Monday evening, July 16, the McCaull Opera Company will return from their short vacation and resume their Summer engagement at Wallack's Theatre, New York city, presenting as their opening attraction "Prince Methusalem," one of the jolliest of the comic operas of the day. This work, by Johann Strauss, familiarly known as the "Waltz King," has long been one of the most popular features of the McCaull repertoire, and whenever given has proven very successful, possessing as it does so many pleasant features, brilliant music, an interesting story, which not only abounds in strong dramatic situations, but is at the same time very funny, military movements, handsome costumes and scenery, together with a cast including the many well known artists of the McCaull organization, together with a chorus, large in numbers, thoroughly drilled and possessing many sweet and cultivated voices.

Dissatisfied Employees.

There is said to be great dissatisfaction among employees of the Central Railroad over the discontinuance of the free pass system for employees, which went into effect about a week ago. The employees think it an injustice on the part of the company for which they toil, to extort fares from them in going to and from their work.

The company has been forced to adopt such stringent measures, it is said, because some of the employees at the upper end of the road have practiced the habit of obtaining passes for themselves and families, which they would trade off to the merchants for merchandise. The Central Railroad company, as a rule, acts honorably with its employees.

Installation of Officers.

Following is the list of the elected officers of Howell Division, No. 97, S. of T., who were installed into their respective offices last evening, by J. M. B. Pyatt, D. G. W. P.

W. P.—Mrs. J. C. Manchester.
W. A.—Wm. B. Ayers.
R. S.—Thomas Osment.
A. R. S.—S. B. Scribner.
F. S.—Mrs. S. A. Mattox.
Treas.—John R. Naylor.
Chaplain—Mrs. A. Corwin.
C.—Mrs. J. H. Johnson.
A. C.—Mrs. W. B. Ayers.
I. S.—James H. Johnson.
O. S.—Mrs. John E. Naylor.

Several visiting members were present and able remarks were made by P. W. P., John H. Sayers, Robt. S. Manning, S. B. Scribner and others.

Found the Hat but the Man Was Missing.

Thomas Lyons and John O'Donnell, two of the employees of the Potter Press Works, were walking along the railroad track on their way to work early yesterday morning, when they discovered a black derby hat and an umbrella lying on the bank near the William street bridge. The hat was evidently new, and was not even dented in. Under the sweat leather there were three railroad tickets, one from Newark to Dunellen, that had been punched, a return ticket from Plainfield to Dunellen and another between Dunellen and Bound Brook. There was nothing to lead to the owner's identity.

Bicycle Riding on the Sidewalk.

It is probable that the Council will take early measures to prohibit bicycle riding on the sidewalk. The practice is a dangerous one, and should be stopped. In North Plainfield there is an ordinance in force bearing on the subject. Only a few days ago Justice Nodyne, an elderly gentleman was knocked down on Central avenue by a careless rider and was quite severely injured. The Justice intended to prosecute the case under the city ordinance, but as there is no ordinance bearing directly on the subject, Mr. Nodyne is compelled to get redress from another source. He does not intend to let the matter drop, however.

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ALBATROS, at 49c to 55c; White and Colored Surah Silks, and Morie Silks, Sash and Fancy Ribbons, "Foster" and "Harris" Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Mits. Thompson's and "C. P." Corsets, etc.
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The Republicans have committed themselves in favor of retaining taxes as they now are upon all the necessaries of life, removing the tax from whiskey and tobacco, and Foreign Commerce so that Trusts and Combines may have perfect Monopoly and levy a still larger tax upon the people.

Those who would desire a tax reduction that is at once wise and beneficial to the whole Country, will not hesitate to support the policy laid down by the President in his message.

Those who desire free whisky and taxed necessaries, the destruction of Commerce and the rule of Monopolies, Trusts and Combines, will support the Republican platform.

There is no middle ground this year.

A TALK WITH MR. ELLIOTT F. SHEPARD.

His Opinion of Harrison's Chances.

On Monday morning a PRESS reporter caught sight of the well-known features of Col. Shepard as the distinguished journalist was boarding a train at the Fanwood station. The Colonel bowed to the fate that always attends a public man when traveling, and allowed your correspondent to make another "strike" for THE PRESS.

"In regard to the political prospects in New Jersey," he said, "there does not seem to be much doubt as to the result. I remember an incident in the campaign of 1880. We went to a manufacturing town, held a meeting and made several speeches on the tariff. The result was that the next day the local newspaper, which had hitherto supported the Democratic ticket, wheeled into line for Garfield. It drew its support chiefly from the workingmen, and the workingmen refused to maintain a journal that was opposed to their best interests. This shows that all that is needed in order that the people shall vote correctly is an intelligent discussion of the subject."

"How about the Prohibition element in the coming campaign?"

"The Prohibitionists will not be able to do the Republican party very much harm. The Republicans have shown by their action in Pennsylvania that they are both ready and able to pass an efficient temperance reform law. They introduced an express temperance resolution in their Chicago platform. The Democrats, on the other hand, have everywhere shown not only that they have no sympathy with the temperance reform movement, but they are really the party of intemperance and of free whiskey."

"Did you find much enthusiasm in Indiana?"

"Yes. The people are very enthusiastic over the Republican ticket. If a strong State ticket is put forward, with ex-Governor Porter at the head, and Gen. Lew Wallace, for four years Minister to Turkey, for Lieut-Governor, Indiana will cease entirely to be a doubtful state. There is, besides, considerable opposition to President Cleveland out there. Four years ago, it will be remembered, Mr. Hendricks was before the National Democratic Convention as a candidate for first place. He was given the Vice-Presidency instead, and it was only after considerable difficulty that he could be induced to accept the nomination. Then when the Democrats assumed control of the National Administration, Hendricks was politely requested to take a back seat, and quietly snubbed by Cleveland and his party. It is believed by many that his death was due to mortification at the way in which he was treated by his friends. This, of course, weakened the party in Indiana, and the defeat of Gov. Gray at the St. Louis Convention widened the breach still further. Sen. Voorhees, the 'Tall Sycamore of the Wabash,' told the delegates that without Indiana they could not hope to carry the election, and it seems that he was about right. Indiana has fifteen electoral votes, which added to those of the sure Republican States will make 297, and 401 are required to elect. Add to this the votes of New York, New Jersey and Connecticut, and you have a majority and plenty to spare. Cleveland will not carry a single Northern State, and if a fair count can be secured he will probably lose several of the Southern tier, including Virginia, West Virginia and North Carolina."

"Will Harrison's record on the Chinese question hurt him in the Pacific States?"

"Oh no! The conditions are different from those of five years ago, and every one is entirely satisfied with Harrison on that point. The position of the Pacific States was indicated clearly enough at the time of the Chicago Convention. After New York had declared solidly for Harrison, California was the first to lead off for him. The vote was called well at the head of the States, and probably her example in first breaking from her favorite when she saw there was no longer any hope for his nomination had as much to do as anything with the final result."

The Colonel wore a minature flag in his button-hole. "That," he said, "is our emblem. The American flag is to down the bandanna."

The reporter ventured to inquire if it wasn't assuming a good deal for the Republicans to claim a monopoly of the patriotism of the country.

"Not at all. As every one knows, the Republican party drew its strength chiefly from the loyal men of the North. Now where are the Democrats strongest? In the 'Solid South,' where the only political topic is that of the 'lost cause,' where the leaders vie with each other in trying to prove that it is not a lost cause; and where the man that can praise the Confederacy the loudest, abuse the North the most roundly, and most carefully cherish the memories of the war, is the successful political leader. These Southerners run the Democratic party, and through it they are gradually filling all the important posts at home and abroad. If Mr. Cleveland is elected, before his term has expired every office will be in the hands of the Confederates, provision will be made for paying the war debt of the Southern States, and the slave-owners will be compensated for their slaves; and it is not at all unlikely that the Constitutional Amendments will be declared to have been obtained under duress, and therefore void. In short, the South will accomplish by means of a political party what they tried to obtain by war. So you see that behind the mere question of the tariff there lies the whole future welfare or the destruction of a country; just as we see the prow of a ship, failing to see beyond the great hull and frame of the vessel."

"It is believed on the part of some that this Southern question is all a scare. Let me tell you of an incident that occurred at Hampton, Virginia, the account of which was given me by an eye-witness. There was a young woman there, an octaroon or quadroon, nearly white, and having less negro color in her face than many there who called themselves white, who went to attend service at that place, accompanied by her teacher. They entered the church, and quietly took a seat, but before long the young woman was informed that she could not stay there, and was compelled to take a seat in the gallery. Her teacher, astounded at such brutal treatment, went with her."

The Colonel said that the prize stories in the *Mail and Express* had proved a decided hit, and that on the day they were published, the paper had the largest circulation it had ever reached. With so many competitors, there had been some doubt about the decision; two additional prizes had therefore been awarded, and the stories for which they were given appeared in last Saturday's *Mail and Express*.

Shut Off the Steam Whistles.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The Legislatures, both State and National, of the present day, seem so disposed to try their hand at every conceivable subject of legislation, be it fit or unfit, that reforms which are really needed are difficult of accomplishment. Why doesn't some philanthropist turn his attention to the subject of steam whistles?

From half-past four in the morning up to seven o'clock the public is subject to an intermittent howling and screaming from the various railroads and factories, that is loud and constant enough to drive sleep from the eyes of any one who sleeps lightly; and as for a sick person, why if such an experience is conducive to rest or quiet, it's—— very queer.

And what is the use of all this noise? The reason given is that it is necessary to rouse the factory operatives. Are the interests of proprietors of mills and factories so precious that they are allowed to call their employees to duty in this ear-splitting fashion? A sufficient reply, however, is found in the fact that one whistle can do the work as well as a dozen; and while it may be fair that factories should be allowed to blow once or twice, the public have a right to insist that this shall answer for the whole of one neighborhood. Let public opinion assert itself, or else induce our learned legislators, to come to their assistance, and forego for a while the unravilling of the mysteries of "An Act entitled, An Act to Amend an Act entitled An Act to Amend an Act"—and so on *ad infinitum*. M. C. S.

The Individual Standing of the Crescents.

The following is the individual record and batting average of the members of the Y. M. C. A., Crescent nine, republished from THE PRESS of July 6, with the addition of last Saturday's game.

No other correct summary has been given. Below are the times At Bat, Runs, Hits, Put Outs, Assists., Errors, Strike Outs, and Batting Percentage of each member of the Crescents for the season to date.

	AB	R	H	PO	A	E	SO	BP
Doane	44	19	17	6	10	8	9	386
McMurray	55	19	19	112	7	16	7	345
Dilts	35	8	12	21	20	11	10	343
G. Cadmus	44	19	15	60	19	11	10	341
Lee	56	13	17	27	22	9	6	304
McCutchen	24	5	7	16	17	11	3	291
Cornwell	44	13	9	3	17	7	5	205
Demarest	55	16	11	15	8	7	15	200
. Cadmus	47	10	8	9	86	15	10	170
Murray	47	14	7	10	2	10	8	149

State Republican League.

The First Annual Convention of the State Republican League of New Jersey will be held at Educational Hall, in Asbury Park, on August 15th, to consider the manner in which the League can best promote the interests of the Republican Party in the approaching canvass, and to elect a President and other officers for the ensuing year, and to elect four delegates and four alternates to represent New Jersey in the next meeting of the Republican League of the United States. Each club will elect ten delegates and five alternates.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

ROBBING THE MAILS.

A Clever Scheme at Binghampton Successfully Operated.

BINGHAMPTON, N. Y. July 11.—The authorities in Syracuse and Binghampton are looking for Eugene Bishop, formerly of this city, who is wanted for robbing the mails. On June 26 he saw R. B. Singer mail a letter, in which was enclosed a $10 bill, to his wife in Owego. Bishop, partly in jest, added the words "Tiogn County." They went to the post office together and shortly after Sigler mailed the letter, and then Bishop left him.

The next time Sigler saw Bishop was two days afterward, when he borrowed $20. On Saturday, June 30, Sigler received a letter from his wife stating that he must have neglected to inclose the money, as it was not in the letter. Sigler learned that a man answering Bishop's description had called for the letter after it had been dropped in the office, and professed to make some changes in the address. He got the letter, and, it is supposed, abstracted the money at that time.

The Marksmen at Newark.

NEWARK, N. J., July 11.—The weather yesterday was delightful and the attendance to witness the sport of the International Shooting Festival was large, and included many prominent citizens from all parts of the country. The shooting was much more spirited than the previous day. Many excellent scores were made. The first bulls eye was made by C. F. Stewart of Norwalk, Ohio, and the last by L. Burton of the same place. S. V. Milton Farrow of Holyoke, Mass., made the record of six straight bulls eyes on the honor target.

The following won gold medals: G. M Cook, G. Holhn, G. Hand, H. Roethe, G. Zimmerman, E. Berg, E. Saeding, R. Rowe, T. Banny, J. Cole, C. Reim, A. Engel, M. Danler, J. Frickle, G. Jones, Z. Zettler, E. Bisher, J. B. Collins, W. M. Wagner, T. E. Beck, L. Flach, S. F. Mennier, C. Scholk, H. Neiman, G. D. Cook, W. Hassenhol and L. Burton. Nearly one hundred silver medals were also awarded. W. Milton Farrow is leading in the contest for Shooting King.

Paterson Has a Fire.

PATERSON, N. J., July 10.—Fire broke out this morning in Scott's livery stable on Ramapo avenue, opposite the Erie depot. The stable, the Lake Erie & Western Hotel. Zeitlinger's Hotel, the American Hotel and three small stores were destroyed, and the St. James Hotel and other adjacent buildings were badly damaged. No lives were lost and no persons injured.

Much furniture in the upper portions of the burned buildings was consumed. The loss is estimated variously at from $30,000 to $50,000. Travel on the Erie was delayed for some time in consequence of the immense crowd of people and the hose stretched across the track.

Identifying a Murderer.

BANGOR, Me., July 11.—A sensation was caused yesterday when Edwin Maddock, the missing witness in the Stain and Cromwell case, took the stand and said he had a stable in Dexter in 1877. That summer he carried two strangers to Corinna. That fall he carried the same men to Madison Bridge and saw the same men in Dexter the morning of the Barron murder. He saw one of the men in jail this morning which proved to be Stain.

Pearl Eytinge's Errand of Mercy.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 11.—Yesterday Pearl Eytinge, the well known actress, appeared before Governor Hill and plead for commutation of sentence of Charla Cignarale, condemned for the murder of her husband, from hanging, to imprisonment for life. Miss Eytinge presented a letter of introduction from Senator Cantor and made an impassioned plea. Governor Hill said he would decide soon. It is believed he will commute the sentence.

Blind Instructors at Baltimore.

BALTIMORE, Md., July 11.—The 10th biennial convention of the American Association of Instructors of the Blind met here yesterday. The address of welcome was made by John T. Morris, of Baltimore, and responded to by W. D. Williams, president. Papers were read by A. C. Clement, of New York and T. S. Doyle, of Virginia. Delegates are present from all over the United States and Canada.

Convention of the National Americans.

WASHINGTON D. C., July 11.—The Executive Committee of the National American party have agreed to call their national convention to meet in this city on August 14 to nominate a ticket. The platform will probably be the same as that adopted at Philadelphia last year. The present tariff system will probably be endorsed and the temperance question attended to.

First Session of the Commission.

LONG BRANCH, N. J. July 11.—The Inter-State Commission will commence its session at Elberon to-day and will hear several cases. The most notable one being that of the New Jersey Central and Lehigh Valley railroads regarding rates on peaches, and in which Franklin B. Gowan and other officials have been summoned.

The Coroner After the Murderer.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., July 11.—Elaf Swanson, a Swede of Branford, was shot in the neck by Charles Anderson during a row on June 30. On Saturday Swanson died and his body was buried yesterday. Coroner Mix went to Branford and had the remains exhumed. He is making an investigation into some facts of the tragedy which have just come to light.

Robert J. Walker's Remains Recovered.

SEABRIGHT, N. J., July 11.—The remains of Robert J. Walker, son of Gen. Duncan S. Walker, of Washington, who was drowned with his sister while bathing at Seabright, N. J., on July 4, have been recovered by the life saving service. The girl's body was recovered the day of the occurrence.

Increasing the Austrian Army.

VIENNA, July 11.—A bill will be introduced in the fall providing for an annual increase of 10,000 men in the number of recruits. The clause providing that the strength of the army shall be increased 10,000 men will be amended by providing that the army on a war footing shall comprise four per cent. of the population.

A Duel in the West.

CINCINNATI, O., July 11.—Dave Brown and John Ellis had a difficulty over a woman last night but separated without blows, later they met each other armed and Ellis said "Step off your distance and we will settle our difficulty." Ellis got first fire and killed Brown.

Custom Service Not Civil Service.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—Owing to a misunderstanding the customs service was omitted from the new classification of civil service. President Cleveland will possibly soon rectify the blunder by a supplementary order.

A Century Plant Ruined.

JACKSONVILLE, Fla., July 11.—The flower stalk, nearly forty feet high, of a century plant at the Sub-Tropical Exposition building broke from its own weight to-day and fell to the floor with a crash. The cause of the disaster was that the stalk had been deflected from the perpendicular by the sun's attraction. A magnificent head of blossoms was expected in few weeks.

The Architect and the Congressman.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 11.—The House Special Committee yesterday began its investigation of the Congressional library building complications. Col. Dick Bright of Indiana, testified that he did not consider Architect Smithmeyer either honest or capable. Smithmeyer retorted that this was because he had decided against Bright in the use of certain materials.

A Desperate Lover Kills Himself.

LOUISVILLE, July 11.—Yesterday Ida Becker, aged 16, told her lover, George Guttermuth, that she was too young to marry and handed him back her engagement ring. He took it, and without saying a word drew a pistol and shot himself through the heart. Guttermuth was 21 years of age and managed a prosperous business.

An Estate of Four Millions.

OTTOWA, Ont., July 11.—The will of the late Senator Hamilton, probated yesterday shows property to the value of four million.

Death Preferable to Starvation.

CANTON, O., July 11.—Mrs. Rossanna Dexter, sixty years old, hanged herself in her cellar yesterday morning because her husband deserted her and she feared she would starve to death.

By Rail to Constantinople.

LONDON, July 11.—The British, Austrian, and German Ambassadors to Turkey have asked the Porte to expedite the opening of the International Railway to Constantinople.

MRS. BRANNIGAN'S FISHING TRIP.

Pwhat wud me ould rapscallion av a man do lasht, Mrs. Clancy, but harry me aff an wan Sothe-day wid a grane baskit sthuffed wid corned bafe san'widges an' beer till it broke me back, an' little Phelim an[illegible] o' me skirts t' be goin' up t' a phlace in Long Oisland Sound t' catch fishes.

Th' rods an' reels, an' bait an' lines thot man had wid him wud have not wan fish in th' 'Lanty Ocean av he pit thim all in th' wather' t'gither, but Mr. Rosyvilt's buthler wor afther tellin' him about ketchin' tarpoons in Floridy, an' th' inshane chump got the faver an him, an' fish he would wid me alang t' see him show aff, Mrs. Clanchy.

Wese got t' th' phlace phwere wese had t' tek a schmall bit av a boat t' rache His Oislan'—our dishtination—an' afther about an hour av the woorst wettin' hivin iver gev me poor back, wid th' spray fram the wek of the boat, wese got to the oislan' an' wint an it—Phelim swimming' in consequinch av having fell overboord rachin' for soon-fishes, so he did.

Phwile Oi wor dhryin' mesilf in the soon, me man got about two moile o' shtrings out o' th' basket, tied an a hook th' linth o' me t'um, tied a deceased clam an th' hook, an' tuk th' divil's own dhrink out o' th' black botthle in th' carner av th' bashket.

"Phwist! Pathrick," Oi says, "wid a pull loike thot wan, sorra th' fish'll hev courage t' kim nigh th' oislan', wid the pothency av yure brith!"

He wint up an th' roof av a big rock, gev his pole a kindy shakin' an' th' foorst t'ing Oi heered wor a shpecies av whishlin' sound, an' me new spring hat Oi gev t'ree dollars fer at O'Nale's, wint half over t' Long Oislan' wid th' twitch it got aff me hid.

"Be th' long mimory Oi hev av Saint Timmy's relics!" Oi says, "Pathrick Brannigan, av thot hat ain't in me hands in tin siconds Oi'll chuck youse in aither it, an' they'll be no shtring an you aither!" an Mrs. Clanchy, Oi got th' hat foortwid, at wance.

"It's fly-castin' Oi wor practisin', darlin', loike ould Isaac Walton usty do in th' ould counthry," says me bould Oirish dragoon, as he gev th' pole anither phlip, an' this toime Oi'm loyin' av th' hook did n' tek th' purtiest sar-rve yez iver seen an' kim down right in th' mout' av th' shwatist little bass-fish yez iud foind in th' mar-rket.

"Pull loik a shteer!" Oi yills, but, Mrs. Clanchy, thot fish just shpot th' hook out o' th' mout' o' him, an' though Pathrick says Oi'm blind, Oi hope fer bad absylution av Oi did n' see th' decaitful cr-ythur's tail waggin' at the nose av him as he shtruck shtraight fer Chiny at th' bottom av th' say!

"Me bait's gone!" says Pathrick, "An' so sev me, Oi t'ink it wor gone befoor Oi med thot illegant t'row," he says.

"Phwat ails yez cud a knocked me down wid a pile-dhriver phin Oi looked in thot bashket. Phelim war a thafe, Mrs. Clanchy, an' phin wese found thim clams they wor roasted t' a tur-rn, an' reposin' in layers in th' recisses av th' bye—hisa hevin' got up a lone clam-bake—a' be himsilf—phin me an' his father wor doin' th' great fish act wid th' bat.

Oi t'ink thim clams musht a t'ought they wor hevin' a rale ould counthry jig phin Oi let me youngest out o' me fishts, but, darlin,' th' fishin' wor shpiled, an' two bimble-bees havin' a foight wid th' loonch, an' me toired out, wese got in th' boat an' kem away.

Barrin th' paice av clam-bait Oi found reposin' in th' cintre av th' rid rose an me hat, phin Oi got me home, it wor sorra a fish wese got, an yez kin imagy me shurprise, me darling, phin Mrs. Kinkaid's Kitty kem over in th' mornin' an' says, says she: "Me ould woman sinds her comphiimints t' th' Branigans, an' says they're insultin', thavin' omadhouns, an' they kin go t' th' divil—so they kin!"

"Phwat's wrong?" says Oi, but Pathrick pit th' fut av him an me toe, so it's lame Oi am now, an' says, says he: "It's par-rdon wese 'r beggin' your mother, Kitty," says he. "It's afraid Oi wor Oi'd hev t' apologeese, phin Oi shtopped at th' fish-stoor an' tould thim t' sind wan shcallop to Mrs. Kincaid, sayin' Oi'd ketched it wid hook an' line at Hin Islan', an' me not knowin' phwat a shcallop wor from a sea serpint. Phwat's a shcallop, Mrs. Brann'gan," he says, "an' so sev me, Oi didn't know, Mrs. Clanchy."

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The Cake He Had.

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Harry:—Oh yes, splendid! I had five kinds of cake. First I had some sponge cake and chocolate cake, and then I had jelly cake and cream cake, and then I had the stomach-ache.

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THE DRUNKEN CROW IN AFRICA.

Story of a Mischievous and Very Wicked Bird.

As Bobby grew older a porridge diet was no longer to his taste, and he began to pick up a dishonest livelihood in the poultry yard. He would fly to meet us in the morning and perch on our shoulder with an impudent assumption of innocence, quite unconscious that the yellow stickiness of his bill revealed that he had been breakfasting on newly laid eggs. Then he took to eating the young chickens, and here his talent for mimicry provided him with many a delicate meal; for he could imitate the maternal call of a fowl to perfection. Many a battle was fought by the hens in defense of their deluded offspring; but Bobby nearly always soared off triumphantly with his prey to the top of the windmill, where he could enjoy the fruits of his poaching in security. One day he stole some food that had been mixed with wine for a sick fowl that wanted "picking up." Presently the Kaffir cook, hearing sounds she could not understand, ran out to see what was the matter. There lay Bobby on his back idiotically drunk, his little black feet kicking aimlessly in the air, and his wide open bill emitting the most extraordinary noises that had ever been heard even from his voluble and versatile vocal chords. This episode created a decided taste for stimulants. From that time Bobby haunted the store-room with even more than his former inquisitive pertinacity, sitting on the top of the cask when the wine was being drawn for meals, bending down and twisting his neck to reach the stream as it flowed into the jug; gradually he learned to turn the tap and help himself, so that great caution was necessary that he should not remain alone in the store, as he learned to turn the tap back again. Unfortunately Bobby reveled in mischief, not for the sake of any good which it brought him, but from some inborn "cussedness." He was never so happy as when busily engaged in some work of destruction, and when discovered he would retreat to a safe distance, and if pursued, would always manage to keep just out of reach, though not too far for one to see the triumph of enjoyment in his wicked old eye, and to hear his defiant croak as he strutted ahead, looking back triumphantly over his shoulder. It was most provoking on going to the garden to find that the few rows of peas or French beans, which had been raised with much trouble, were all rooted up to make play for Bobby. The culprit himself would probably be out of sight, for his gardening operations were usually carried on in the early morning; but once he was caught so deeply engrossed in putting the finishing touches to a row of beans which he had pulled up and laid in their places with more than his usual neatness, that he only looked up in time to see his angry master a few yards off picking up a large stone. In an instant the imp's mind was made up. Instead of attempting flight and probably getting hit by the stone, he impulsively threw himself on his owner's generosity, perched on his shoulder, kissing him rapturously, and at once winning the pardon he so little deserved. Another piece of mischief was carrying off everything bright, such as spoons, or forks, and one day a razor, and dropping them into the well. For this he had been forbidden the house, and Toto, the collie, learned to turn him out the instant he appeared inside the doors. Bobby became very jealous of Toto and the other pets, which, less mischievous than himself, were allowed in doors, and he especially delighted in teazing the little suricate. He would come noiselessly behind, and catching the tip of Ming's tail in his bill, would lift the little fellow off his legs, take him a few feet in the air, and drop him suddenly. Then, waiting a few minutes until Ming was again off his guard, he would repeat the performance. The suricate—a plucky, independent little person—resented the insult deeply, chattering and scolding vehemently, showing his rows of shark teeth as he hung helplessly by the tail; but he was powerless against his persecutor, and had to submit to be whisked up unexpectedly as often as his tormentor, by right of superior strength, chose to indulge in this practical joke.—*Sunday Review.*

Trying to Take Mrs. Cleveland.

Again and again has the attempt been made by amateur photographers to catch Mrs. Cleveland, but thus far without success. An enthusiast who mourns his last unsuccessful attempt thus described his experience:

"I thought I would stand on the tiling under the big porte cochere of the White House and catch her as she came out to get into the carriage. Pretty soon the seal browns drove up to the door and stood there pawing away at the concrete. I must have waited at least ten minutes before the door opened. My camera was tucked under my left arm and my forefinger rested on the little spring that makes the exposure. As the door swung back I heard a lady's step and began to feel just a trifle 'rattled.' I squeezed the box tightly and stepped toward the door with the camera pointed right at Mrs. Cleveland as she came out. She did not pass on, but looked me right in the face with a queer, cool little smile that upset me completely. My camera suddenly got as big as a barn, and taking off my hat I bowed and went down the steps two at a time without thinking to push the spring. I wouldn't try that again for a thousand dollars."

Irritated Frenchman (to American who has mistaken him for a waiter)—"Sir-r, you haf gr-r-rossly insulted me. There is my card. My seconds vill vait upon you, sir-r-r." American—"Never mind your seconds, Frenchy. You can wait on me just aswell. Pass me the Worcestershire sauce, and be quick about it."—*Harvard Lampoon.*

Lincoln girl—Nellie, I cannot imagine why you should refuse to marry that rich and agreeable young man, Mr. Bingby, and then consent to become the wife of a person like Quimby. "Why can't you?" "Mr. Bingby is polished and educated, while Mr. Quimby, to say the least is,—— "The finest first baseman I ever saw, and that settles it!"—*Lincoln Journal.*

A Boston Aunt's Strategy.

An amusing story comes from one of the clubs here—a club which adorns the sacred slopes of Beacon Hill. Mr. A., a scion of an old house, has noble pretensions but limited finances, and has his eyes fixed longingly upon the coffers of a maiden aunt, who has a good deal of money and far more brains than some of the younger members of his family. The youth had gambled heavily, and at last got himself into a state of financial chaos, where he had nothing left but absolute repudiation of his "debts of honor" or suicide, unless his aunt would play the role of fairy god-mother, as she had done before. In desperation he applied to her, of course without specifying the nature of the transactions which had left him so heavily involved. The old lady was too shrewd, however, not to know.

"Been gambling, eh?" she said. "Well, I've paid your gambling debts before and I can again, I suppose; but this time I'll make a condition."

With some trepidation the nephew inquired what the condition was.

"You need a wife to keep you straight," his aunt answered with a wicked gleam in her eye. "Now you've had every opportunity to choose a good wife and you haven't done it. Now none of the girls in our set would take you for a gift, even with my money thrown in. So I've selected a wife for you. She's good and pious, and healthy—sure to outlive you—and not bad looking. She's old enough to take care of you and herself, too, and if you will marry her I'll do something handsome for you."

"Who is she?" the young man demanded.

"She's my nurse just at present, but I can get another if you can't spare her."

"O, I can spare her perfectly well, aunt; and I could never think of taking her away from you."

The end of all the talk was that the young man did actually agree to marry a woman who was said to be 40, and his aunt's hired nurse, if his debts could be paid and he guaranteed an income of $6,000 a year.

And what he got by it was that his aunt invited a cousin, his rival in the race for the old lady's fortune, to dinner and told him the story, adding that she had simply made the proposal as a test, and that she should refuse to receive at her house a man who would marry a servant for money. The affair is still unsettled so far as the gambling debts go, and it can hardly be held that it presents the aunt in an amiable light.—*Boston Letter.*

A Roumanian Spider.

"The habits of a running spider of southern Europe—tarantula narbonensis, Latr.—studied by Herr Beck, are curious," says *Nature*. "It makes a vertical round hole in the ground about ten inches deep, and this, with a small earth wall sometimes made round the mouth, is lined with web. A little way down is a small lateral hole, into which the spider shrinks when an animal falls into the tube; when the animal has reached the bottom the spider pounces upon it. One can readily tell when a tube is tenanted by the bright phosphorescent eyes of the spider turned upward. In fight the spider erects itself on its last pair of legs, striking with the others. The bite is not fatal to man, but it causes large swellings. The children in Bucharest angle for these spiders by means of an egg-like ball of kneaded yellow wax tied to a thread. This is lowered with jerks into the hole, and the spider fastens on to it and can be pulled out; whereupon another thread is passed around one of the legs, and the animal is played with."

MISSING LINKS.

One of the business colleges of Cleveland has a department of phrenology.

According to the naturalists wasps remember the locality of their nests just ninety-six hours.

A striped bass weighing fifty-three pounds was caught at the mouth of the Croton river the other day.

Nearly four hundred people have been killed on railroad grade crossings in Philadelphia since 1878.

A circular is abundantly signed by the oldest sons of peers asking for a reformation in the house of lords.

California parties are locating a factory for manufacturing soap from clay containing soap properties discovered near Colton.

Alabama boasts of nineteen cotton mills, representing an investment of nearly $2,000,000, and an annual production of over $1,500,000.

The New York Chamber of Commerce is the most prosperous institution of the kind in the United States. It has now nearly one thousand members.

Among the curious names found in a list of noted contemporary base ball professionals are Tibeau, Niau, Maul, Seery, Werrick, Sowders, McGeachy, and Bastian.

The New York Club has a membership of 625 residents and about two hundred non-residents, and its new quarters at Fifth avenue and Thirty-fifth street, cost $450,000.

Ishmael Weaver, a colored man who died at Barnesville, Ga., recently, was the father of seventy-two children, of whom fifty-two were able-bodied farm hands when he died.

Mme. Romero, wife of the Mexican minister to the United States, was Miss Lucretia Allen of Philadelphia, and she is one of the handsomest young matrons in the diplomatic corps.

A locomotive that was stolen by the Federal raiders at Big Shanty, Ga., in April, 1862, is still in service, being used in their road construction by the Etowah Iron and Manganon Co.

Major E. A. Burke of New Orleans, expects, it is said, to realize about ten million dollars out of his land speculations at Bessemer, Ala., a town which had no existence two years ago.

Mrs. J. A. Ansley of Decatur, Ga., has a pair of Indian moccasins donated to her grand-father by Gen. Andrew Jackson, who obtained them in Florida during some of the earlier conflicts of the government with the Seminole Indians.

WASHINGTON.

SOMETHING ABOUT BEN HARRISON WHEN A RESIDENT OF THE CAPITAL.

Senator Sawyer the First One Back From Chicago—How the Photographers Get the Best of Mr. Morton—Commissioner Miller's Brace of Cubs.—The Dressed Beef Trust to be the Subject of a Senatorial Inquisition.

WASHINGTON, July 3.—When Benjamin Harrison was in the Senate he lived very modestly with his wife and daughter, usually at a quiet boarding house. During the latter part of his term he lived at 1,013 Fifteenth street. He is a small man, with well-cut features and a manner generally described as cold, but he is extremely courteous, and is much more like a quiet, well-bred New York lawyer than the average Hoosier statesman. His eyes, which are cold light blue, have a straightforward look, and on the whole he conveys the impression of sincerity and intelligence. He did not go much into society when in Washington, although his only daughter, Miss Harrison, now Mrs. McKee, was a great belle. She resembled her mother, who is a remarkably handsome and dignified women. The Harrisons were very friendly with the Voohees family, and were a pleasing contrast to the snapping and snarling which sometimes goes on between Senators who are colleagues.

SENATOR SAWYER was in his seat in the Senate Chamber Thursday, the advance guard of the returning Chicago pilgrims. The other Senators and members will be back to-morrow, and then a determined effort will be made to settle down to business and to secure an adjournment before September. The leaders of both Houses frankly acknowledge that it is many years since the business of Congress has been in such a state of confusion and backwardness, and they do not now look for adjournment before the middle of August. The status of the annual appropriation bills four days before the end of the fiscal year give an idea of the way legitimate business has been sidetracked for the tariff debate, political Conventions, and like causes. The regular appropriation bills are now in the following stages of progression: The Customs Deficiency, the Special Deficiency, the Urgent Deficiency, the Military Academy, and the Pension bills have become laws. The Agricultural, the Consular and Diplomatic, the District of Columbia, the Indian, the Legislative, the Post Office, and the River and Harbor bills have passed the House and Senate, and are now in Conference Committee, or on their way there. The Army, the Navy, and the Sundry Civil bills have passed the House only, and the regular Deficiency and the Fortification bills have not yet been reported to the House from the Appropriation Committee. The anxiety on the part of both Democrats and Republicans to begin the political campaign may induce them to hasten matters somewhat, but, unless all signs fail, the dog days will find Congress still grinding away.

MR. LEVI P. MORTON is prey for the photograpers. He is having a magnificent apartment house, covering an acre or two of ground, built on the corner of H and Fifteenth streets. It is now in order to have it photographed, and copies distributed to the grangers inscribed, "This is one of the homes of the banker and railroad director, Levi P. Morton." The $11,000,000 State and Navy building has frequently figured in campaign photographs as the residence of obnoxious Secretaries of the Navy. When Senator Van Wyck was a candidate for the Senate a second time, the corner house in which he lived was photographed, and the artist, by mistake, of course, included the whole block of buildings on either side of the quadrilateral. So Mr. Van Wyck was popularly supposed by his constituents to live in a mansion about as big as the New York Post Office. Mr. Morton will be especially the photographer's victim. His wealth will be increased a thousand fold, and he himself will figure as a sort of Dick Turpin in the way of a legalized bank robber and railroad wrecker. All this will fret Mr. Morton almost to death, but he can't be a banker and candidate for Vice-President at the same time without being visited with these little amenities. The only consolation, if consolation it be, is that the promoters know it isn't so just as well as Mr. Morton does himself.

INTERNAL Revenue Commissioner Miller has in the rear of his rooms at the Hamilton House annex two little black bears about six months old, which he secured about a week ago on one of his trips into Virginia from a sturdy young countryman, who had taken them out of a cosey nook in the mountains while the old she bear was off getting food. The cubs are comical little brutes, with only a thin coat of grizzly hair as yet, and with a half human look in their faces. They sleep in a barrel well carpeted with straw, and all the Congressmen who live at the Hamilton come over to the annex after dinner and watch the cubs climb up a stepladder, bite each other, and roll over and over on the concrete walk. The bears are named Romeo and Juliet, and around the neck of each is a collar bearing the name. The greatest fun is to see them box. They evidently have a rudimentary idea of the science which has flourished so long in Boston under the patronage of John Lawrence Sullivan. Juliet is quicker with her paws, but Romeo is heavier and has more lasting powers. One of the savants in the Smithsonian has already put in a claim for the cubs when they get old enough to be troublesome. The animals will continue to be on exhibition daily until further notice.

As soon as Congress adjourns Senators Vest, Manderson, Plumb, Cullom and Coke will endeavor to ascertain whether it is true, as charged by Senator Plumb in debate, that their exists a gigantic trust or combine by which the prices of beef and beef cattle have been controlled so as to diminish the price to the producer without lessening the price to the consumer. At Senator Vest's request sometime ago the above special committee was appointed, and having been vested with power to form themselves into a junketing Commission, and visit such cities as they care to, in which they will take testimeny. Senators Cullom, Manderson and other Western Senators admit that they will discover some very interesting information, and Senator Nest thinks it will be somewhat sensational. He will, it is understood, soon call a preliminary meeting of the committee, but it is probable that nothing will be done until after Congress adjourns.

THE universal sympathy which is felt by his brother Senators for John Sherman in his defeated political aspirations was illustrated by a little episode in the Senate Thursday. The River and Harbor bill was being considered and several Senators had opposed the amendments brought forward by the Appropriation Committee and had submitted their protest to a vote of the Senate. In every case but one the committee was sustained. That exception was the protest of Senator Sherman against the amendment striking from the bill the appropriation of $5,000 for the improvement of the small stream that furnishes the commerce for the town of Port Clifton, Ohio. The army engineers had reported against the appropriation, and so the committee had struck it out. Mr. Sherman protested, and after making a speech, a vote was taken. Mr. Sherman won and the item was restored.

THE CRITIC on Friday said, "Chaska and his wife, nee Fellows, are in this city, and attracted much attention to-day walking up Fifteenth street. Mrs. Campbell leaned on the arm of her six-foot husband in a very bride-like manner, and her vivacity contrasted strongly with the stately demeanor of the half breed. She was dressed in cream-colored muslin and wore a large white hat with long blue streamers. Chaska had on a 'biled shirt,' with turned-down collar, a seersucker coat, and a black sombrero. His hands were encased in black kid gloves and his nethers in black broadcloth trousers. In his left hand he held a large umbrella. Mrs. Campbell is much below the medium size, but what she does not possess in height is made up in vivacity."

A NUMBER of bandannas of a rather new type were conspicuously displayed on the Democratic side of the House during the week. They bear good likeness of the Democratic candidates for the Presidency and Vice-Presidency in the centre, surrounded by a pretty border, with an eagle and the American shield in each corner. It is understood that these Democratic emblems were presented to the members by the ardent tariff reformer, Farmer Russell of Massachusetts. His rival member, Russell of Connecticut, got up a set-off for them by sending to his manufactory for about ten thousand Republican bandannas, which are a representation of the starry flag with a protection sentiment printed on the border. The Republican members were promptly furnished with the products of Connecticut handicraft, and, trimming their desks with them, they bade defiance to the Thurman red bandanna of Democracy.

STATUARY HALL at the Capitol, which is the beautiful semi-circular room formerly the House of Representatives chamber, is fast becoming filled with statues in bronze and marble of representative men. Each State is expected to contribute two memorials of its distinguished citizens. New Jersey to-day adds its contribution to the group by sending a marble statue of Richard Stockton, one of the signers of the Declaration of Independence and founder of the Stockton family of New Jersey, and a bronze one of Gen. Phil Kearney in military dress. The models were made by Brown and the statue finished by his nephew after his death.

GEN. SPINOLA made his colleagues in the House laugh when, in the course of the partisan chaffing over the free whisky plank in the Republican platform, he sent to the clerk's desk, and had read an extract from the EVENING WISCONSIN, which asserted that 31,250 extra barrels of beer and 1,000 extra baskets of champaign had been shipped from Milwaukee to Chicago for use during the Convention. This led Tom Reed to deny that the Republican platform meant free whiskey, and to remark that if the Republicans offered free whiskey there would not be enough Democrats left to make up an electoral ticket.

GENERAL Sherman will hereafter have the assistance of a secretary to keep track of the numerous invitations which he receives and the possession of which he sometimes forgets. The Legislative Appropriation bill, which passed the Senate, contained provision for a clerk at $1,600 per annum for Gen. Sherman. This is a little privilege for which the gallant General has been anxious to obtain for some time. The same courtesy is extended to Gen. Sheridan, and each officer is entitled to make the appointment personally. The House did not put these provisions in the bill, but they were added by the Senate Committee and agreed to by the House.

In Treasurer Hyatt's mail last week was a postal card, containing the following curious message:

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"I direct the Treasurer of the United States to forward to the Treasurer of Mexico the sum of $1,000,000, to be used for the benefit of the sufferers by the flood. You may be worse off yourselves in a few years, and a country with a surplus cannot use it to better advantage.

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THE Secretary of the Treasury has awarded a silver life-saving medal to Henry F. Page, 11 years of age, for saving another lad, Alfred J. Brownell, from drowning at Schenevus, Otsego county, N. Y., on August 8, 1887.

G. D. W.

THE ARMY AND CONGRESS.

The West Point Cadets Waiting For their Commissions. The Appropriations.

WASHINGTON, July 2.—This year's graduates of the Military Academy are still waiting to have their nominations to be Second Lieutenants sent into the Senate, the postponement being ascribed to the dissatisfaction of some of the young officers with their assignments to command.

Army legislation this year started off with brilliant prospects, but is likely to secure even less attention than usual at the present session. The regular Appropriation bill is, however, one of much interest and public importance, and contains several items which, had they been reserved for specific bills, would have had little prospect of enactment. In the Senate several material changes in the measure as received from the House have been made during the past week. To the provision for the supply of ordinance the following important item was added:

For the manufacture or purchase and test of cannon and carriages, including two ten-inch carriages manoeuvred by power, one of which hall be a disappearing carriage, and also including those for the field and siege services; for the alteration of carriages on hand to adapt them to improved service guns; for projectiles, powders, fuses, and impliments, their trial and proof; for experiments in the means of protecting torpedo lines; for compensation of draughtsmen while employed in the Army Ordinance Bureau on ordinance construction, and for the necessary expenses of ordinance officers while temporarily employed at the proving ground and absent from their droper stations, at the rate of $2.50 per diem while so employed, $600,000. Provided that all purchases of materials under this provision shall be of American manufacture.

An amendment was made by the Senate Military Committee, appropriating $5,000,000 for steel forgings for cost defence of guns 8, 10, and 12 inches calibres, $700,000 more for erecting an army gun factory at Watervliet Arsenal, $500,000 for the purchase of submarine mines and the appliances to operate them and for torpedo experiments and instruction, $100,000 for the purchase of submarian torpedoes and boats controllable from the shore. This proposition excited a heated debate, during which the purchase of heavy guns complete from private manufacturers was strongly urged. It is highly probable that the House will not agree to any provision for heavy guns as a feature of the Army Appropriation bill, on grounds that it belongs rather to the Fortifications bill, although this latter has not yet been introduced into the House.

Another change made by the Senate adds $50,000 to the army mileage appropriation. On the other hand, $100,000 has been stricken from the transportation. The provisions for a clerk to obtain foreign military information and for a riding and training master at West Point are stricken out. Various other changes have been made in the bill as it passed the House, the most interesting of which is an addition of the words "aerial torpedoes" to the provision for experimenting with high explosives, and a requirement that the pneumatic dynamite guns, for which the sum of $400,000 is appropriated, shall be furnished "all complete and mounted in place ready for military use."

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Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.35, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.12, 11.30, 11.44 a. m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.55, 7.28, 8.08, 8.19, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.12, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.55, 9.25, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.25, 11.05, a. m., 1.30, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

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6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

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9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

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6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

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For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21. 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 9.05, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p. m. Sunday—8.27, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.25, 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.22, 5.55, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.15, p. m.

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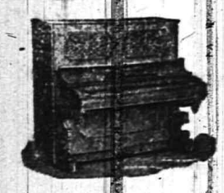

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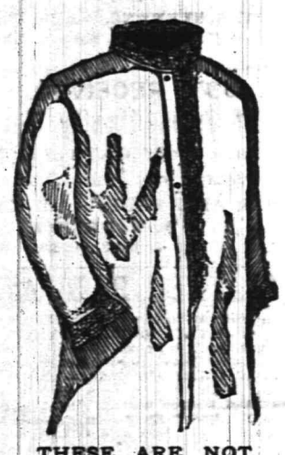

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Mr. New Defeated—Stirring Scenes at the National Committee Meeting Until After Midnight—The Adjournment Taken Sine Die—Meeting of the Ex-Executive Committee To-day.

NEW YORK, July 12.—At the meeting of the National Republican Committee, at the Fifth Avenue Hotel last night, the Sub-Committee on Organization presented a report recommending the election of Mathew S. Quay, of Pennsylvania, for permanent chairman, and recommended J. Sloat Fassett, of New York, for secretary, and that the chairman and secretary of the National Committee be made ex-officio chairman and secretary of the Executive Committee.

The report also recommended the following for members of the Executive Committee:

John C. New of Indiana, John S. Clarkson of Iowa, A. L. Conger of Ohio, G. A. Hobart of New Jersey, S. A. Fessenden of Connecticut, G. R. Davis of Illinois, J. M. Haynes of Maine, M. H. De Young of California and W. C. Goodloe of Kentucky.

The following members of the National Committee were ordered as a sub-committee in charge of campaign matters in the Pacific States and Territories: M. H. De Young and Jonathan Bourne of Oregon, George Christ of Oregon, A. C. Mellett of Dakota and E. Williams of Nevada.

The sub-committee had become perfectly harmonious over the nominations before its labors were ended.

After the report was read to the National Committee it was taken up and discussed, section by section.

The first three sections were adopted without opposition, but the section naming the Executive Committee called out exceptions from Messrs. Pinchback of Lousiana, Brady of Virginia and other gentlemen of the South and West, who thought that their part of the country was not properly represented.

After a long discussion, which lasted until after midnight, the section was adopted. The fifth section was altered by making the sub-committee for the Pacific States only, and putting Mr. Cavanaugh on the committee in place of Mr. Mellett.

Another committee to conduct the campaign in the Territories was constituted with Messrs Mellette, Warren and Evans.

The committe adjourned sine die after adopting resolutions favoring the organization of numerous Republican clubs and the organization of the Republican clubs under the regulations adopted by the State and National League.

It was expected a strong fight would be made for the selection of John C. New for National Chairman, but the only struggle of the meeting was over the appointment of the executive committee.

The Executive Committee met to-day in room D R at the Fifth Avenue at 11 o'clock.

The selection of a sub-committee was left to the Executive Committee.

DESOLATION AT PITTSBURG.

The Losses of the Great Flood Will Aggregate $160,000.

PITTSBURG, Pa., July 12.—The loss by the Monongahela flood in this immediate vicinity is about $60,000, and in the near towns and surrounding country about $100,000 more. The worst is over.

The scene along the south shore of the Monongahela is the most curious one witnessed for years. Everything close to the river has been revolutionized, and chaos has taken the place of order. Here and there the people driven from their homes by the water presented pictures of what Irish evictions are supposed to be after the bailiffs have performed their work. Goods were piled up in heaps or thrown about in confusion. Disconsolate looking women sat on trunks nursing their babes, while half-dressed and frightened children wandered around them. The wharves and bridges were crowded with spectators.

Desolation reigned in the vicinity of the shanty boat colonies. Pushtown, at the foot of Twenty-fifth street, was completely wrecked. Some of the seventy-five shanties were dashed away, the rest were turned upside down in the water. The 500 inhabitants gathered together their household goods and moved across the Pemicky Railroad track and pitched their camps to await the subsiding of the water.

All morning the swift current was filled with debris. Escaped coal barges, enormous logs and millions of feet of lumber, overturned shanty boats, floating sawmills, driftwood, hay stacks and household furniture were carried away in the current.

Two Stable Hands Perish.

BUFFALO, July 11.—Fire yesterday destroyed the large building formerly known as the Circle Roller Rink and occupied as a livery stable. The stable was in the handsomest residence portion of the city. After the flames had been extinguished the charred bodies of two stable hands were found in the ruins. Twenty horses perished in the flames. The losses on building, carriages and harnesses will be $25,000.

Satiety Wins the Liverpool Cup.

LONDON, July 12.—At the Liverpool July meeting yesterday, Lord Calthrop's chestnut colt Satiety won the Liverpool cup by a neck, J. B. Cubbin's bay horse Ashplant was second and S. T. Whipp's bay gelding Tittlemouse a poor third. There were eight starters. The last betting was 15 to 8 against the winner, 5 to 1 against Ashplant, and 12 to 1 against Tittlemouse.

Boulanger's Advice to Frenchmen.

PARIS, July 12,—In a speech at Forgeres, where he was given a cordial reception, General Boulanger advised his hearers not to cry "Vive Boulanger," but "Vive la Republique" and "Vive revision." He returned from his tour to-day. His arrival in the city was unnoticed.

Cox's Census Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—After four hours' session last evening lasting until midnight, the house passed the Cox Census bill. There are twenty-four sections in the bill, and it passed substantially as reported. The indebtedness feature was withdrawn as too indefinite.

TRIED TO HANG HIMSELF

A Desperate Criminal, Who Says He Will Yet Commit Suicide.

NEW YORK, July 12.—A well-known thief named George Raymond, tried to kill himself by hanging in a cell at police headquarters yesterday afternoon about 2 o'clock. He was cut down by Detective Sergeants Mangin and Rogers, and Dr. Nagle of the Health Department resuscitated him after an hour's hard work.

A few minutes past 2 o'clock Detective Sergeant Mangin, heard a peculiar noise in the cells beneath him. He summoned Rogers and they found Raymond hanging from his cell-door, having used his suspenders as a halter. He was apparently lifeless. Detective Mangin cut him down and called Dr. Nagle, who found that life was not extinct. Raymond, when he came to himself cursed loudly because his life had been saved, and said he would yet kill himself, if he had to do it in court, in the street or in prison. He is now closely watched.

Raymond is 40 years old and has spent more than half his life in prison. He has been known as George Raymond, Edward Patterson and William Brown, and is spoken of by the police as a dangerous man. He was arrested about noon in his room at 36 Market street, accused of committing robbery at the residence of Rev. John W. Kramer, formerly assistant rector of All Souls' Church and now doing mission work at Castle Garden.

SHOT HIS ACTRESS WIFE.

Dennis McCarthy, a Variety Performer Attempts Wife Murder.

BUFFALO, July 12.—Dennis and Mrs. McCarthy quarreled in their room in a boarding house on Swan street yesterday. The woman rushed from the room, followed by the husband with a revolver. He fired three times two of the shots taking effect. The woman fell at the foot of the stairs. Her husband stopped and kissed her and then rushed to the street, where he was arrested.

One of the bullets took effect in the woman's side, and the other in the hip. Her condition is critical.

McCarthy refuses to give the reason for the quarrel. The couple came from New York a week ago. They are well known in the theatrical world, both having been on the variety stage for some years. The couple are known on the stage as Sweeney and McCarthy.

ECONOMY IN THE READING.

Reductions in the Forces of Bookkeepers and Laborers.

PHILADELPHIA, July 12.—A system of economy has been inaugurated at the general offices of the Reading Railroad in this city, by which several employes have been retired. President Corbin has introduced a system of bookkeeping by which a few men can do the work which, under the old method, it took several to accomplish. By this method a saving of from $50,000 to $75,000 per year has been effected.

The force of laborers at Richmond has been reduced by about 300, and at Ninth and Greene and Third and Berks about 100 have been laid off, owing to a change in the method of handling coal. A saving of $200,000 per year will be made by this. Proportionate reductions will be made in other departments of the road.

The Democratic Campaign Committee.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Chairman William H. Barnum, of the National Democratic Committee, to-day appointed the following gentlemen as the Campaign Committee: William L Scott, of Pennsylvania; Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland; Matt W. Ransom, of North Carolina; Calvin S. Brice, of Ohio; John S. Barbour, of Virginia; Herman Oelrichs of New York; Miles Ross, of New Jersey; Arthur Sewall, of Maine, and Erskine M. Phelps, of Illinois. There will be a meeting of the Campaign Committee at the headquarters of the National Democratic Committee, No. 10 West Twenty-ninth street, New York city, next Tuesday, at 11 o'clock A. M.

Protesting Innocence on the Scaffold.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 12.—Stephen Freeman, colored, was hanged at Wilmington yesterday at 12 o'clock. His crime was a criminal assault upon Mrs. Lillass, white. Freeman protested innocence with the rope around his neck and called upon the wrath of God to visit him if he were not innocent.

Cullom's Coachman's Punishment.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 12.—J. H. Chase, Senator Cullom's colored coachman, convicted of manslaughter in running over Prof. Parr, was yesterday sentenced to pay $10 fine and 30 days in county jail. Great indignation is felt at the light sentence.

Opposed to Pauper Immigration.

MONTREAL, July 12.—The Knights of Labor here have called a mass meeting for Saturday to protest against the landing of pauper immigrants. They will call upon the government to impose restrictions similar to those which exist in the States.

Boycott on American Lard.

WASHINGTON D. C., July 12.—The bill to regulate the sale of adulterated lard by properly labelling it and placing taxes thereon will probably be favorably reported to the House next week. It is said the bill and discussion thereon has caused England to boycott American lard unless so labelled.

Dissents from Parnell's Plan.

DUBLIN, July 12.—The ex-Fenian O'Leary publishes a letter in the Freeman's Journal, dissenting from Parnell's proposition for Irish representation in the British Parliament, saying it would keep open the sores between England and Ireland.

Glassworkers in Harmony.

CANTON, O., July 12.—The Hollow Glassworkers' Union, in session at Massilon, have applied for admission to the Flint Glassworkers' Union, in session here. The application will be refused, but the two bodies will work in harmony.

End of a Celebrated Case.

NEWARK, O., July 12,—In the Hocking Valley railroad case, in which the appropriation of eight million dollar bonds is alleged the parties have agreed to submit the matter to arbitrators their decision to be final.

Serious Storm at Buffalo.

BUFFALO, July 12.—A serious wind storm prevailed here throughout to-day, blowing much of the time at 60 miles an hour and wires were blown down and fears are entertained for the safety of vessels on Lake Erie.

REPUBLICAN CLUB MEN

An Exciting Session of the Saratoga Meeting.

WILD DISORDER AT TIMES

Hefford Again Made President of the New York Organizations—A Motion too Hastily Sprung by General Husted was the Cause of the Trouble.

SARATOGA, July 12.—The State Republican League was called to order at 12.40 yesterday in the Casino which was handsomely decorated. The President, R. R. Hefford, of Buffalo, introduced Rev. Dr. Tarrett of Saratoga, who offered prayer.

The roll was then called, clubs named "Harrison & Morton" being applauded and the Wanner Miller Club of Herkimer being loudly cheered.

James P. Foster, President of the Republican League, was invited to the platform. He addressed the Convention, advocating protection of American industries and predicting victory in the coming campaign. President Hefford also spoke, referring to the objects of the League, advocating the restriction of immigration, declaring against office seeking and the use of money in political contests. Gen. Husted spoke briefly presenting a message of good will from the Republican Committee.

The report of the Secretary showed 550 clubs with a membership of 75,000. Committees on credentials and Resolutions were appointed and the League then adjourned to 4.30.

After the adjournment of the convention the greater portion of the delegates attended the raising of a Harrison and Morton banner on Broadway. Speeches were made by Gen. G. S. Batcheller and Senator Coggeshall.

When the convention reconvened a resolution was passed making the uniform club fee $10. The committee on resolutions reported a series of resolutions ratifying the nomination of Harrison and Morton amid applause.

The committee on credentials reported no contests. Gen. Husted's motion to re-elect the officers of the league resulted in a bear dance. Chairman Coggeshall declared the motion carried without a vote, Mr. Lehmair, the Secretary, positively declining a re-election. A motion to adjourn until 9 A. M. was declared lost.

A re-consideration of Husted's motion was asked, but he was allowed to withdraw his motion and good order was restored. A motion to go into nomination for officers was offered and carried when Messrs. Hellard of Buffalo and Lehmaier of New York City were placed in nomination for President and an acrimonious debate followed.

Mr. O'Brien of Clinton characterized Mr. Lehmaier as being unworthy of any office in the league. He was greeted with hisses, cheers and a motion to adjourn.

Mr. Lehmair regretted that the convention had assumed such a state of discontent and declined to allow his name to stand before the convention. Mr. Hefford also expressed regrets and withdrew his name. Mr. Lehmair then moved the nomination of Mr. Hefford by acclamation in the interests of harmony, which was carried.

A motion to continue the vice-presidents and secretaries in office was carried unanimously. Senator Coggeshall then made a stirring appeal to Mr. Lehmaier to accept the secretaryship, and Mr. Lehmaier replied in the same spirit and accepted.

Messrs. Jas. S. Lehmaier of New York, Chas. A. Moore of Plattsburg, E. T. Brackett of Saratoga and Wm. H. Lyons of Brooklyn were selected as delegates at large to the Republican National League Convention. The alternates are W. Stewart Wolcott of Oneida, Chas. Van Vleck of Columbia, Wm. P. Rudd of Albany and Mr. Keefe of Warren.

Adjournment was then taken to this morning.

Charged with Twenty Cent Defalcation.

BUFFALO, July 12.—Postmaster Swift of Cuba, was arraigned before a United States Commissioner here yesterday on a charge of being a defaulter for twenty cents. It is alleged the money was paid him, but he did not affix and cancel postage due stamps on the letter.

Baseball Games Played Wednesday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT INDIANAPOLIS

New York	3	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—5
Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	—2

AT PITTSBURG.

Boston	0	1	0	0	2	0	2	0	1—6
Pittsburg	0	0	2	2	4	0	0	0	0—8

AT DETROIT,

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	0—4
Detroit	1	1	3	0	1	0	0	0	0—6

AT CHICAGO.

Washington	1	0	0	1	1	0	0	2	—5
Chicago	1	1	0	0	3	0	2	0	0—7

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT KANSAS CITY,

Kansas City	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
Baltimore	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 9, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	39	20	Brooklyn	45	20
Detroit	36	23	St. Louis	37	21
New York	33	24	Athletic	36	24
Boston	33	28	Cincinnati	37	25
Philadelphia	29	28	Baltimore	28	32
Indianapolis	21	37	Louisville	23	40
Pittsburg	19	35	Kansas City	19	41
Washington	20	30	Cleveland	18	39

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Wednesday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	108¾
Chic. Burl'tn & Quincy	113
Del. Lack. and West	131¼
Lake Shore	91⅞
Missouri Pacific	75
N. J. Cent	82¼
New York Central	105½
New York Lake Erie & West	26⅛
New York & New England	40⅛
Philadelphia & Reading	61¼
Pac. Mail	36⅛
St. Paul	58¾
Union Pacific	55⅝
Western Union	77⅞
Oil	82¾@82⅞

WHEAT 90; CORN, 56¾@57; OATS, Ungraded, mixed, 37@39; FLOUR, patents, $4.60@$5.05; extra $3.50@$4.75; LARD $8.60; BUTTER, creamery, 20@21; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream 5@7½; skim, 2@; Eggs, 13½@13.

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The attempt is made to divert the attention of the people from the evils of such a scheme of taxation by branding those who seek to correct these evils as free traders and enemies of our workingmen and our industrial enterprises. This is so far from the truth that there should be no chance for such deception to succeed.—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S FOURTH OF JULY LETTER.

While carefully guarding the interests of the taxpayers and conforming strictly to the principles of justice and equity, this Democratic Administration has paid out more for pensions and bounties to the soldiers and sailors of the Republic than has ever been paid before during an equal period.—NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Dog-catcher Babbitt reports a total catch of two dogs thus far this week.

—The treasury of the W. C. T. U. will probably be enriched about $50, as the result of Tuesday's excursion to the seashore.

—At a meeting of No. 2 Engine Company last evening, it was decided to hold their annual excursion during next month. Full particulars will be given later.

—The Champion base ball nine of this city were defeated by the Stars of Dunellen on the grounds at the latter place yesterday morning, by a score of 26 to 21.

—Since the police force has been increased, and two officers have been stationed in the Fourth Ward, fighting on the Boulevard is not so common as heretofore.

—The Pond Machine Tool Works Company have bought up about all the available land around the factory at Grant avenue, and some of it the company will build upon in the Fall.

—Mr. D. L. Darby's new house is fast approaching completion. It is commodious and convenient with a characteristic exterior very pleasing in effect. He hopes to occupy it early this Fall.

—To-morrow morning at "7:30 sharp," the excursion of the M. E. Sunday school will start for Asbury Park and Ocean Grove. The weather promises well, and as everybody will be welcome and comfortably accommodated, a large crowd and a big time seems assured.

—A little girl had a narrow escape last night from being killed by a train on the Pennsylvania Railroad at Elizabeth. She was only rescued from being crushed under the wheels of the locomotive by the bravery of Officer Chas. Eckert, who, at the risk of his life, pulled her off the track.

—A temperance elocutionary contest will be held in the Presbyterian church at Dunellen, this evening. Gold and silver medals will be offered as prizes by Mr. Demarest of New York, for those who possess the greatest elocutionary abilities. Mrs. G. F. Opdyke of Plainfield, will be one of the judges.

—A paragraph is going the rounds and published in certain newspapers to the effect that "Engineer Goodwin of Jersey Central locomotive No. 169, recently ran a passenger train from Elizabeth to Plainfield, a distance of 14 miles in 12 minutes." This is false, as the distance by careful measurement, between the two cities, is only 12 miles.

—Joseph H. Cretin, the butcher who fell from the embankment to the sidewalk below while descending from the Park avenue railroad bridge, on the afternoon of July 4, was released from Muhlenberg Hospital yesterday morning. The injured man had not fully recovered, but he became tired of Hospital life. The only injury he yet suffers from is a fractured rib.

—Wednesday, July 4, was the date for the regular monthly meeting of the Board of Directors of the Plainfield Public Library and Free Reading Room, but on account of the day being observed as a legal holiday, no meeting of the Directors was held. There was no business of importance, however, to come up for consideration, except the auditing of a few claims, which the executive committee has full power to pay.

—The sun flower fiend will soon be on hand.

—The Warren Mission Sunday School excursion will take place on the 20th inst.

—Gazelle Engine Company held a meeting for the transaction of routine business last evening.

—A horse belonging to Seguine, the liveryman, fell down on Peace street, last evening, and wrecked a pair of shafts.

—John Kelly, for a long time wanted by the police was gathered in yesterday. He gave bail for his appearance when wanted.

—Our country cousins and visitors from the suburbs came to town in large numbers this morning, all anxious to see the elephant.

—Property was transferred in North Plainfield from Margaret E. McLaughlin to Peter Brunn on July 5. The consideration was $175.

—Officer Lynch "took in" a blacksmith from Rahway whom he found drunk on the street yesterday afternoon. The man is still confined in the city jail.

—The District Division, Sons of Temperance, will meet in Howell Division rooms, to-morrow evening. All Sons of Temperance are invited to participate.

—A runaway occurred on East Second street this forenoon, that caused considerable excitement. The animal was captured on Peace street, before any damage was done.

"Cherokee's" Sister Travels Four Days For Home.

After traveling no one knows how many hundreds of miles, Mr. J. Hervey Doane's homing pigeon, "H. D., 104," arrived home in its loft this morning.

The bird sailed on Saturday of last week with Mr. Edwin H. Lewis, son of the Rev. Dr. Lewis of Central avenue, who left New York for Europe on the steamer "Schiedam." It was to be released on Sunday, "rain or shine," in mid-ocean, miles away from even the sight of land. Its owner watched for its return during Monday and Tuesday; but as incoming vessels brought reports of severe weather outside and the prevalence of a strong head wind, hope of the bird's return somewhat died away. However, when Mr. Doane reached home at 12:30 this noon, he found the bird in its loft. Mr. Lewis was to send a written message with it, but none was found. A ruffled tail feather, however, showed where a note might have been fastened and lost.

The bird is one hatched last Fall, and as it has never had but one fly before—and that only from Glen Island, a few days ago—its return from the ocean is marvellous. Its owner will name it "Schiedam," after the steamer it flew from, and give it the place of honor in his loft for the rest of its life. "Schiedam" is a sister of "Cherokee," who won the ocean race told of in these columns two weeks ago, beating the Newark birds home by over three hours.

Ball Players, See Here!

The base ball committee of the Y. M. C. A. wants to welcome into its oragnization every young man in the city or borough who plays ball or is interested in the game. There are enough players of ability about to form two or three first-class nines, and by all belonging to one association a team could be picked for the most important games, that would be a great credit to Plainfield and would stand somewhere near the head of the amateur nines of the State.

The committee meet to-morrow evening at eight o'clock in the Y. M. C. A., rooms. Every ball player over fourteen years of age is urgently requested to be present. New members joining can form other nines under other names if they so desire. They will have the use of the fine grounds on East Front street, and bats and balls furnished them. All nines will be under one head that can then arrange games for every week and oftener. As it is now, the grounds are empty when the Crescents are out of town, whereas if more players joined and other nines were formed, the grounds could be enjoyed by all.

The Union County Jail.

The Union County Freeholders are considering a proposition to erect a new house for Warden Dodd on the land of the county adjoining the jail. The plan includes an office, the buildings to be so connected with the jail as to be convenient for the Warden in the proper discharge of his duties. It is then proposed to make use of the apartments now occupied by the Warden's family, for quarters for prisoners under sixteen years of age, for the insane and for the detention of witnesses. This plan would fully comply with the law, and be the most economical method, the whole expense not to exceed $7,000.

Mr. West said the law was mandatory, and the county must make separate provision for the incarceration of juveniles of both sexes. In making this alteration it was wise to consider the fact that the present jail is illy equipped for the proper care of insane persons so frequently committed, the Warden's accommodations are very unsatisfactory, and there is no accommodation for the detention of witnesses, without which no jail is properly constructed.

"News."

Last night's *Stale News* announced the death of Dan'l Lee, and stated that it had occurred "yesterday."

Our readers will remember reading a quarter-column of news in Monday's PRESS in relation to the sad event. The aged gentleman died on Sunday.

CHILDREN'S CHARITY.

A Fresh Air Fund Fair in Washington Park.

It was all gaiety, and brilliancy, and activity about the handsome residence of Mrs. B. M. Day, on Rock View avenue, Washington Park, yesterday afternoon. From three to six o'clock, a number of charming little women labored earnestly in the cause of charity, and their efforts resulted in a financial success that will contribute the sum of thirty-three dollars to the Tribune Fresh Air Fund.

The spacious piazzas were tastefully hung with bright flags, gorgeous lanterns and other articles of decoration and adornment. The tables were laden with a number of costly, pretty and useful little things, that had been contributed by the young folks themselves and their friends interested in the generous work. All of these articles found a ready sale.

The affair was under the management of Miss Edith Rue of Philadelphia, a niece of Mr. and Mrs. Day. This little lady was the originator and prime mover, and deserves the larger part of the credit of the occasion. She was assisted by the Misses May and Alice Tompson, Nellie Faber, Marion Henderson, Mary Wells, Emma, Dottie and Etta Haviland, and Daisy and Madeline Day of Jersey City. Miss Daisy Day was treasurer, and Mr. J. M. Day, ticket taker.

Another One Slandered.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS—I wish to nail a foul and malicious lie that appeared in Tuesday's issue of the Somerset Street sheet, concerning myself. It accuses me of owing one William Lacey—whom the article states was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital on Sunday suffering from prostration by the heat—$61 for wages due him from me. To show that there is not a word of truth in the accusation I wish to state that William Lacey never was in my employ, and consequently I do not owe him one cent. Furthermore I do not, nor have not employed any body to work for me, and I vouch for the assertion that I do not owe one cent to any one for wages in Plainfield. The entire article is a falsehood from beginning to end, and I shall seek redress through the courts.

WM. H. CLUM.

A Lawn Party.

A large representation from Howell and Plainfield Divisions, Sons of Temperance, and friends of the Order, assembled last evening at the residence of John R. Naylor, Esq., on Lake street, the occasion being a lawn party. The lawn was well lighted and the party enjoyed the amusements in which they engaged. For a while it seemed that old age and youth had joined hands, and the difference existing had been forgotten. Music and dancing formed a part of the evening's entertainment. After a bountiful lunch, presided over by the beautiful daughter of the host, Miss Ida Naylor, the guests returned to their homes well pleased, and with a stronger determination to work for the advancement of the cause of temperance, under the banner of the Sons of Temperance, emblazoned with the motto, "Love, Purity and Fidelity."

Concerning Florida.

THE PRESS stated on Tuesday that Mr. Henry Linzer of Seville, Florida, was visiting among his old friends here. Mr. Linzer went to Florida from this city a few years ago, and was so favorably impressed with the climate, etc., that he decided to permanently locate there.

Mr. Linzer is in no way connected with any agency or land improvement company, but for those who anticipate a change of residence, he will cheerfully furnish circulars and any information concerning the price of land, etc., that may be desired. His location is in Volusia county, one of the most noted for oranges and other tropical fruit. Mr. Linzer will be at Jacob Voehl's bakery on West Front street, every afternoon of the present and next week, where he will impart information to all who will call.

Danger Along the Line.

The chafing of an electric light wire against the branches of an elm tree in front of the residence of Mr. J. F. Parker, at 116 East Front St., has worn away the insulation. At night when the current is on, flashes of beautiful light may be seen continually bursting forth at the point of contact of the wire and the tree.

But if a mortal should unsuspectingly lean against or even touch that tree when wet, the effect would not be so beautiful.

Bicycle Riding on the Sidewalks.

TO EDITOR OF THE PRESS: In your issue of last evening you referred to bicycle riding on the sidewalks. It would be well to station an officer on the corner of Fifth street and Broadway for a few days for the purpose of arresting a few of the offenders and making an example of them. Our wives and children are in constant danger of being knocked down by these miscreants. These riders are as numerous as unmuzzled dogs running at large in the neighborhood.

A SUBSCRIBER.

—At a regular encampment of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R. held on Tuesday evening, two new recruits were mustered in, and two applications were received for membership. The Post now has a total membership of 87.

Obstinate Indigestion.

Obstinate cases of indigestion or liver complaint, are easily cured by a few HAMBURG FIGS, as may be proved at small cost. 25 cents. Dose, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

WE HAPPEN TO HAVE

LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

WE ARE RUNYON & CO., AND OUR BUSINESS IS FURNITURE.

NEW STYLISH GOODS!

YES; that's just what they are, by prudent buying and marking our goods at Low prices, we have closed out the Summer stock so close that we have but little old goods to run off. But we can offer our patrons extra inducements in new Fresh Goods just bought at greatly reduced prices, on account of the lateness of the season. For instance, we have just opened a

BRAND-NEW lot of handsome new styles, first quality of Satteens, at 20c., the 25c grade; elegant 36in. Batiste, at 12½c; pretty Punjab Percales, 36in. wide, at 15c; Simpson's 3-4 Batiste, at 7c. New Windsor Foulards, 36in. wide, at 9c; light Merimack Prints, at 6c; Wool Challies, 16c. Full line White Goods at Low Prices. White, All-Wool Jerseys, Silk Braided, at $2 50, worth $3 00.

PARASOLS at Reduced Prices. A new lot of very handsome Hamburg Flouncings, at $1 00, worth $1 25; at $1 35, worth $1 50; at $1 50, worth $1 75; at $2 50, worth $3 00. A full line of White and Colored

ALBATROS, at 49c to 55c; White and Colored Surah Silks, and Morie Silks, Sash and Fancy Ribbons, "Foster" and "Harris" Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Mits. Thompson's and "C. P." Corsets, etc.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE.*

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5-18-tf

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NEW YORK MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—7.30, 8.50, 11.45 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m

SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window. Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 12, 1888.

Anderson, F. W.
Anderson, Mrs. Mary
Adair, Wm.
Angie, D. A. (2)
Apgar, Miss Emma
Brokaw, E. B.
Brown, Emma S.
Bunn, Mrs. Nellie
Bostwick, Miss Martha
Bailey, Miss M.
Bull, Mrs. Benj.
Baum, J. H.
Burns, Mary
Benton, Mrs. Lewis (2)
Boyle Katie L.
Chamberlain, William
Clark, Mrs. Katie
Delano, Mrs. H. C.
Douglas, Frank E.
Delaney, Mary
Dobbs, Mrs. Barbara
Davis, Mr. J. H.
Dater, Mr. & Mrs. Hiram B.
Ferguson, Dr.
Fleurie, Edward
Flippin, Linward
Fleming, Andrew S.
Frace, Mrs. H.
Foster, H.
Graves, Miss Ella
Hoyt, Mrs. E. F.
Haviland, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. D.
Kubowik, Albert
Lebault, Dolph
Langford, Mrs. Crissie
Laucluli, Mlle. M.
Lanier, A. F.
Leonard, Mrs. Henry
Marsh, Chas. A.
Manning, Miss Lizzie A.
McLaughlin, Miss Katie
McGrath, Miss Mary
Morisy, Miss Mary
McCauly, Mary
Moore, Mrs. Alla
Murray, Mrs. Annie
Moore, Miss Annie A.
Norris, Fred
Nolan, J. H.
Platt, Charles
Proctor, Mrs. Francis B.
Pound, Mrs. Jennie
Randolph, Edward
Reynolds, Mrs. Lizzie
Ralph, John
Sephas, Miss Eliza Jane
Saltus, F. H.
Sulivan, Miss Kate
Stevens, Maggie
Sharott, Mrs Maggie
Stockwell, Wm.
Scribner, Isaac W.
Slaight, Henry S.
Stephenson, J. H.
Toms, Miss Annie E.
Whiteuff, Charles
Wooden, Miss Eliza A.
Williams, Miss May
Williams, Miss Amelia
Wurzenrieth, John

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

FOR SALE—Work Horse and Cart. Apply to Sharkey & Blimm, Grocers, E. 3d St. 7-12-tf

WANTED—A boy to learn the Baking business, day work. Inquire 27 W. Front St.

WANTED—A second hand Mocking-Bird Cage. Address. W. H., PRESS office. 7-11-2

FOR SALE, cheap, Billiard Table, Balls, Cues, Cue Case, four chairs, and chandelier. Enquire David R. Weaver. 7-10-6

WANTED—$100 for a few months. Will give life insurance policy for $500 as security; also personal property. Address, "Insurance," PRESS office. 7-7-tf

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

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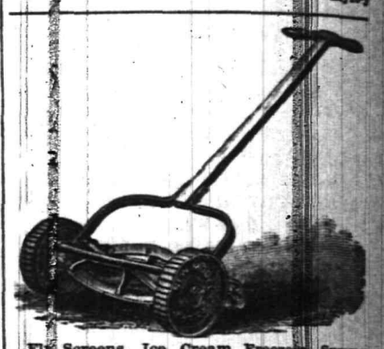

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By their platform and their action in the House on the Mills' bill, the Democrats have shown themselves in favor of a reasonable reduction of taxation in a way which will greatly relieve the entire people, benefit all industries and increase the Commerce of the Country, thereby giving employment to a larger number of workmen and higher wages as well as cheaper living.

The Republicans have committed themselves in favor of retaining taxes as they now are upon all the necessaries of life, removing the tax from whiskey and tobacco, and destroying Foreign Commerce so that Trusts and Combines may have perfect Monopoly and levy a still larger tax upon the people.

Those who would desire a tax reduction that is at once wise and beneficial to the whole Country, will not hesitate to support the policy laid down by the President in his message.

Those who desire free whisky and taxed necessaries, the destruction of Commerce and the rule of Monopolies, Trusts and Combines, will support the Republican platform.

There is no middle ground this year.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERINGS.

A Gray Cat in a Methodist Festival.

The Methodists were so encouraged by the success of their recent strawberry festival that they determined to have another affair of a like sort. Mr. Baker tells me that if they had had twenty quarts more of iced cream at the first festival than they did, they could have sold it all. There are so many who come to buy iced cream by the quart that it is difficult to provide exactly for this. The raspberry festival held on Wednesday evening, was not nearly so well attended, however, as its predecessor. This was unfortunate, as the arrangements were really much better than at the first one. Many well-known faces, however, were seen. As usual, Mr. Baker officiated behind the iced cream table, where he found plenty to do. The clergyman, Rev. Mr. Siess was doing his best to look after a table surrounded by some of the younger ladies of the parish. Among these latter were Miss Lydie Mooney, Miss Lulu Hollingsworth, Miss Nellie Hollingsworth, Miss Edith Randolph, Miss Gertrude Rhinehart, and half a dozen others who appeared at intervals. Miss Kelly and Miss Terry were two of the waitresses. Mrs. James A. Baker was also on hand, and of course there were others, but they came and went so rapidly that it was next to impossible to distinguish them apart.

A group of little girls had charge of a candy table, and seemed to be having a good time of it. Mr. Fred. Hoppel, Mr. and Mrs. John Johnston, Miss Jennie Johnston, Miss Alice Johnston, Miss Hattie Gere, Miss Billings, Mr. A. C. Brown and family, Mr. Terry, Jr., and many others were among those present. It was about nine o'clock, and all was going lovely as a marriage bell, when a curtain was suddenly withdrawn from an open window, and then there came flying through the air and alighting right in the middle of the floor, a little, gray, sprawling, struggling cat. When the screams had subsided and it was discovered that no immediate danger was to be feared the kitten was taken in tow by little Miss Baker, and soon afterward removed from the public gaze. Other missiles were occasionally thrown in, and sometimes an intruding arm would raise one of the shades; the crowd of boys outside did these things more out of mischief than anything else, and probably would not have done it had they known how much inconvenience it caused. But there is one thing about these entertainments that may well be reformed, and that is the gathering of boys and young men around the door. It is very annoying for a lady to pass this line and to be treated to ungentlemanly remarks as she goes in. The main trouble with the boys who do this is that they are idle and have nothing else to do; if they had they would not waste their time hanging about these places. They are mostly the sons of respectable parents, who no doubt, would be much surprised to learn of the aimless way in which their sons passed the evenings.

Speaking of iced cream reminds me that the Woman's Exchange has given up the plan originally suggested of having an iced cream parlor during the Summer months. The Exchange is in a very prosperous condition as it is, and the managers do not want to imperil the success of their enterprise by entering at this early stage into fields untried and pastures new.

Many travellers by rail are interested in the curious structure in course of erection in the woods near the flag station. It is one of the windmills which are intended to furnish water to the people of Fanwood. North avenue is all torn open for the purpose of laying down the pipes. Fanwoodites are looking forward with great expectancy to the time when they will have water in the second story of their houses.

In recommending Caw's Dashaway pen a few weeks ago, I forgot to mention that the address of the Company is 189 Broadway, New York.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERER.

—Sunday travel on the Central Railroad is getting to be an important item. The 9:30 P. M. train from New York on Sunday consisted of thirteen crowded passenger coaches.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. James Whitely and child of Fifth street, are visiting in Brooklyn.

Mr. S. C. Rooney of Knoxville, Tenn., is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Kirkner.

Mr. Newton P. Drake of North Plainfield, has been confined to his house for a week past.

Mrs. Edward Love of East Fifth street, entertains the choir boys of Grace church, this evening.

Justice Austin of North Plainfield has purchased and taken possession of a farm near Warrenville.

Mrs. Wm. M. Runyon and son of East Fifth street, have gone to Horse Heads, N. Y., for the season.

Mrs. Lena Wahl, of Pearl street, Elizabeth, is visiting friends on Manning avenue, North Plainfield.

The wife and family of Councilman J. B. Dumont will leave for the White Mountains on or about the 20th inst.

Councilman S. St. J. McCutchen and family, of Rock View Terrace, are expected home from Beach Haven, to-morrow.

Mr. Garrett Q. Packer, of East Sixth street, is spending his vacation together with his family, at his father's residence at Neshanic.

Mr. W. K. McClure and family of Broadway, started yesterday for Montreal, Canada, where they will remain during the Summer.

Mr. Geo. Butche, the driver for No. 2 Engine Company, is lying dangerously ill at his home on West Front street, suffering from kidney trouble.

The remains of the young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Swain, who died on Monday, were taken to Cypress Hills Cemetery, yesterday, for interment.

The Misses Drake, former residents on West Seventh street, but late of New York city, are the guests for a few days of Dr. and Mrs. Geo. W. Endicott of Park avenue.

Mr. Edward Nelson, the gentlemanly and obliging ticket agent at the depot, is confined to the house with a complaint bordering on billious fever. His many friends hope for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Herbert E. Ryno, for some time past in the employ of the Electric Light Company in this city, has accepted a position as engineer at Whitehall, N. Y., for which place he will leave in a few days.

The funeral of the late Daniel Lee took place from the house at Two Bridges, yesterday afternoon, and was conducted by Rev. Mr. Parks of Scotch Plains. Interment was made in Hazlewood Cemetery, near Rahway. Frazee Lee, the surviving brother, was too ill to attend the funeral.

The members of the Oriental Social Club, and a few of their friends, to the extent of about 20, were entertained at Blimm's Hotel on Tuesday evening. Toasts were given and several vocal selections were rendered, followed by refreshments.

Mr. S. C. Ryder of this city, who is employed by the New Jersey Boat Building Association at Bergen Point, reports that stripped bass and weak fish are biting good in Newark Bay. Boats and bait furnished for pleasure and fishing purposes, at east end of the Newark Bay bridge.

The "School of Methods."

The New Jersey Woman's Christian Temperance Union's "School of Methods" was in session again at Ocean Grove, yesterday. State President Mrs. Downs was in the chair. Papers were read on "County Organization" by Miss A. F. Leavitt of Vineland; on "Finance" by Mrs. E. A. Mickle; on "The International Council of Women" by Mrs. Fannie Humphrey; on "Heredity" by Mrs. Dr. Church, of Passaic, and on "Social Purity" by Mrs. F. M. Harris, of Brooklyn. Last evening Mrs. M. A. Woodbridge, National Secretary, spoke on the political aspects of the temperance reform and the relation of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union to the third party.

The Insect Plague.

There is a plague of insects all over New Jersey, and the agriculturists are at their wits' end to know what to do with the little enemies that cause such heavy losses at this time of the year. The State has come to the assistance of the farmers and has published a special bulletin from the experimental station at New Brunswick. It gives minute directions how to bring to an untimely end the rose bug, potato beetle, grape worm, caterpillar, and a score of more insects that take possession of farms at this season. Prof. Cook, who is in charge of the station, has secured a celebrated expert to collect evidences of successful extermination from the farmers of the State.

Cranford's Cornet Concerts.

The third weekly concert of the Silver Cornet Band of Cranford, will be given in the Riverside Pavilion, at that place, this evening, at eight o'clock. Mr. George H. Bruce the conductor, has arranged another choice programme for the occasion. Finding that a large number of the residents of Cranford and the neighborhood take advantage of the Saturday half-holiday by leaving home for pleasure resorts, to remain away over Sunday, it has been thought advisable to have the concerts Thursday evenings instead of Saturdays.

—John Bartindale, a lad living on West Fifth street, was severely cut on the leg while returning from a neighbor's with a scythe on Tuesday. The scythe had just been sharpened and the boy was taking it home when the accident occurred.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

CRUSHED BY A BIG TRUCK.

A Man Thrown Down Stairs by a Woman and Run Over.

NEW YORK, July 12.—Persons in the neighborhood of 26 Rector street were horrified about 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon to see a man come tumbling out of the hallway at that number, and, stumbling on the curb, fall under the wheels of a truck that was going by, which passed over him, crushing in his chest and inflicting injuries from which he died in less than ten minutes.

The man was Timothy Sullivan, 60 years old. He had been employed by the New Jersey Central Railroad as a case loader for over twenty years. The person at whose hands he met his death was Kate Young, a woman living in the house.

It appears from the woman's story to Officer Finley, who carried her to the station, that she had been sitting at the top of the stairway mending an old dress when Sullivan came in, and as he passed her he called her a disgraceful name. She resented this and struck him in the face with her fist.

He then grabbed a bench and attempted to strike her with it, but she wrestled it away from him and struck him across the shoulders with it, causing him to beat a retreat up stairs to the rooms of Mrs. Moore, his landlady. The other woman seizing Sullivan by the neck and shoulder she gave him the shove which resulted in his death.

Sullivan shot head first into the street and fell between the front and hind wheels of the truck. The truckman did not see Sullivan until the heavy rear wheels passed over his breast, crunching the bones and crushing in the chest, causing almost instant death.

Officer Brady, who was near, put the woman under arrest and took Schmidt into cutody as a witness. Neither made any attempt to escape. On the body was found $129 in money and two bank books showing deposits aggregating $2,500 in the Emigrant Industrial and the East River Savings banks.

AN OUTRAGE BY STRIKERS.

They Derail a Locomotive and Nearly Kill Engineer and Fireman.

CHICAGO, July 12.—Engineer Heald was taking a train of Burlington cars into the Milwaukee and St. Paul yards at Kinzey street and Western avenue, between 5 and 6 o'clock last evening, when he was attacked by a mob of fifty men. Heald cut his engine loose from the train and tried to run away. The mob turned a switch in front of the flying engine, which was derailed and shattered. The mob then gathered about Heald and his fireman, whose name is unknown, and beat them frightfully. When the police came the men ran in all directions and escaped. Heald and his fireman, who were unconscious, were brought to the hospital, where they are now lying in a critical condition. The engine is a complete wreck.

The two clerks of Chairman Hoge and Murphy, who made a confession implicating their employees in the plot to disable the locomotives of the Burlington Railroad, appeared in court and said they wished to remain in custody for protection. Their friends, without their consent, had been trying to get them out of jail on a writ of habeas corpus.

Two Presidents Meet.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—President Antonie Flores, of the Republic of Eucador, arrived in this city and was yesterday presented to the President by Secretary Bayard. Senor Flores is no stranger in Washington. Three times he has represented his Government at this capital. He first presented his credentials to President Buchanan, when but little more than a boy. He was again accredited under the administration ot President Grant, and the last time under President Arthur. Senor Flores had never presented his letter of recall as the representative of Eucador in the United States, and on being introduced to the President handed him the document with a neat little speech.

Phenomenon on Lake Michigan.

MARQUETTE, Mich., July 12.—At 7 o'clock last evening, the water in the harbor here fell twenty-six inches in a few minutes. The fall was so rapid that vessels at anchor were seen to sink. The wind was light off shore at the time and the lake calm. A dense cloud swept out and over the lake a short time before, and is believed to have been a gigantic waterspout or tornado, which drove the water before it in such quantities as to create the strange phenomenon.

Belva Hopes to Win.

PITTSBURG, July 12.—Belva Lockwood, candidate of the Equal Rights party for the Presidency, passed through this city last evening en route from Cincinnati to Washington. She was returning from a lecturing tour, and had delivered two lectures at the meeting of the State Chatauqua at Lexington, Ky. She spoke hopefully of what her party expected to do at the fall elections, and said she believed she would win.

Objects of the Patriotic League.

PARIS, July 12.—The Deroulede section of the Patriotic League will hold a demonstration in front of the Strassburg statue July 14. In a circular Deroulede says that in occupying itself with home politics, the welfare of the country and salvation of the republic the league has never lost sight of its primitive object—the restitution of Alsace-Lorraine.

Sympathy for the Empress.

BERLIN, July 12.—The Ministers, after the meeting of the Crown Council yesterday, waited on Empress Victoria and expressed sympathy with her in the loss of her husband. Prince Bismarck was not present. The Empress thanked the Ministers for their expressions of sympathy.

Wholesale Cattle Thieving.

SPRINGFIELD, Mo., July 12.—The home of the Bald Knobbers, Christian, Taney, Barry and Ozark Counties have been overrun with cattle thieves. During the last two months some 2,000 heads of cattle have been stolen. One of the gang has been arrested and confessed to the thefts of cattle. Another of the gang has been murdered for divulging its secrets.

Mr. Randall Much Better.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—Mr. Randall is much better and his physicians and friends feel confident that if there is no recurrence of the hemorrhage, which attacked him so severely on Monday night, he will soon be well after taking a good rest. A second hemorrhage they would regard as a very dangerous symptom. He is still very weak, and absolute quiet has been ordered.

Out of One Jail Into Another.

LONDON, July 12.—Patrick J. O'Brien, M. P., was released yesterday from Tullamore jail having completed his three months sentence for violation of the Crimes act. He was immediately rearrested and taken to Kilkenny jail, to serve out a similar sentence for a like offense.

Eloped with a Pretty Stenographer.

MEMPHIS, Tenn., July 12.—C. O. Johnson, division freight agent of the Kansas City, Springfield and Memphis Railroad, is missing, and it is thought he has eloped with a pretty stenographer in his office. He is a prominent member of the Catholic Knights, and a member of the board having charge of the monies of the organization.

Tariff Talk at Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—A long debate on the 40 per cent. duty on flax on linen thread was in order in the House yesterday, which was continued to-day. On the post office bill similar talk occupied the time of the Senate.

The Sultan Fears for Turkey.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 12.—The Sultan is much concerned over the approaching visit of Emperor William to the Czar, fearing the result will be detrimental to Turkey.

General Harrison a Grandfather.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 12.—The happiest incident of the campaign occurred at General Harrison's house to-day. His daughter, who has been with him ever since the nomination, gave birth to a daughter this afternoon.

Hanover's Big Fire.

HANOVER, N. H., July 12.—The Dartmouth Hotel, P. H. Whitcomb's dwelling and barn, the residence of Charles Clifford and a dwelling owned by Dartmouth College, were destroyed by fire yesterday.

Killed Himself for Love.

BROOKLYN, July 12.—It is now believed by the officers investigating the death of Gilbert S. Phinney that he committed suicide on account of a love affair.

Injunctions Must Be Obeyed.

BURLINGTON, Iowa., July 12.—The Supreme Court of this State has decided that after an injunction restraining a saloon keeper from continuing in business has been issued, his place must remain closed, notwithstanding an appeal to the Supreme Court of the United States may be pending.

DIAMOND DATA.

HUB COLLINS now captains Louisville.

KEEFE is giving too many bases on balls.

TWICHELL has become quite a head-slider.

BOSTON is pleased with Valentine's umpiring.

ESTERBROOK is back at Indianapolis' first base.

BOSTON has great luck with extra-inning games.

MORRILL has never batted as poorly as this year.

PFEFFER led the Chicagos in batting on the recent trip.

SERAD may, with plenty of work, do well for Cincinnati.

BUCK EWING considers Chicago's infield the finest in the League.

EVERY club in the New England League has now been in the lead.

JOHN B. DAY considers Lynch the squarest umpire in the business.

LOUISVILLE has offered the Dallas Club a big sum for Tub Welch.

ANSON has hung a horseshoe in his closet at the Chicago club house.

THE Chicagos lost the first game in every series on the Eastern trip.

PERHAPS Boston will want to buy the entire Chicago team next season.

"SHOESTRING STRIKE" is what angry pitchers now term bad called strikes.

WARD'S book is selling like hot cakes. Its merit was recognized at once.

DAVIDSON'S DARLINGS is the latest nickname for the Kentucky Colonels.

TERRY is troubled with a sore arm and may not go West with the Brooklyns.

ANSON likes Ward's new book and says every ball player should read it.

THE era of extravagant salaries in minor leagues is evidently drawing to a close.

AL MYERS is the only Washington player who has kept up a steady batting gait.

INDIANAPOLIS has a local amateur pitcher with the suggestive name of Fair Frost.

HELEN BLYTHE, the actress, is to give a medal to the champion National League.

CATCHER HALL, who was with Detroit for a while in '86, now captains the Elmira Club.

GOVERNOR AMES, of Massachusetts, is as fond of baseball as Governor Hill, of New York.

MANAGER MUTRIE has just discovered that the Giants lack enthusiasm, nerve and heart.

THE experience of the Phillies and Cincinnati shows that a club can't have too many pitchers.

TATE, who was one of the model throwers last season, is decidedly off in that particular this year.

CLARKSON says he has not been able to grip the ball properly since he hurt his fingers at Pittsburg.

DUFFY was not given a chance by Anson because he was troubled with a lame arm since spring.

THE Kansas City Club is negotiating for Ewing and Vaughn, the crack battery of the Memphis Club.

NONE of the old Pittsburg players will be released until the new players prove themselves better men.

IT IS quite a feather in Washington's cap that the Senators only got the best of Anson's team on the recent trip.

LON KNIGHT is being pressed for a position on the League staff. He has done excellent work in New England.

KANSAS CITY isn't giving Kirby much of a chance to pitch, although he claims that his arm and head are all right.

IF O'DAY was backed up by such teams as Chicago and Detroit he would to-day be the leading pitcher in the League.

FOUR O'CLOCK TEA.

BOWS of ribbon have found their way to the summer chair on deck.

CHEESECLOTH could probably be more fashionable under some other name.

LEGHORN hats and white plumes are held to be the height of headgear elegance.

PORTABLE book rests for the right arm of the large piazza chair are something new.

IN precious stones pearls are having a great run and may be said to be all the rage.

ALWAYS a poor tennis player is he who has a racquet tipped with silver and engraved.

MRS. PARVENUE says the new "fool-lard" silks are about the prettiest she has ever seen.

NEVER wear a bustle with a thin dress, for people will think you are hiding a bird cage.

RUGS made of colored matting, and intended for country houses, are seasonable novelties.

TENNIS blazers recall the coat of the young man who was not nicely treated by his brethren

PORTFOLIOS intended for summer use are dainty enough to be exhibited on the piazza for hours.

THE lace hats, now so fashionable, are not generally becoming. It takes a pretty girl to look well in odd headgear.

SUNSHADE handles are a succession of surprises and curiosities, and it is surmised some of the designers must be in the lunatic asylum.

—The installation of officers of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., will take place this evening. It is expected that District Deputy Rollinson, of Rahway, will be present.

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Who was contented with his lot,
Of working hard for what he got,
Till city boarders found the spot?
That Farmer.

Who then hung up his hoe and rake,
And gave all honest toil the shake,
And set his wife to cook and bake?
That Farmer.

Who fits each room with corn-husk beds,
And old rag-carpet worn to shreds,
And in the hall a curtain spreads?
That Farmer.

Who advertises Mountain Air,
Grand Scenery and Luscious Fare,
And other things that prove a snare?
That Farmer.

Who packs the ranch with boarders cheap,
While he and his the kitchen keep,
To wash, dress, comb their heads and sleep?
That Farmer.

Too lazy now to till the land,
Who buys stale vegetables canned,
And starves the woeful boarding band?
That Farmer.

Who, grown as fat as he was thin,
Proceeds in wicked ways to skin
These simple strangers taken in?
That Farmer.

Who to the city goes for health,
Likewise to see the sights by stealth,
So bunco steerers get his wealth?
That Farmer.

And who considers it a sin,
To be himself, too, taken in,
At which his friends, the boarders grin?
That Farmer.

H. C. DODGE.

Behind the Grand Stand.

Manager of Rival Club: How would $20,000 for next season strike you?

Player: Real or newspaper price?

Manager: Newspaper. Real price $18 a week.

Player: I'll take it.

A Modern Boston Party.

Boston mother—"Is everything ready for the party?"

Boston daughter—"Yes, mother. Mr. Ransom, the baker, has promised to have two barrels of beans here by 11 o'clock, and Mr. Van Sutphen has promised to be through with his Browning readings at 10.30. Mr. Sullivan will serve the brown bread."

Boston mother—"Ah, yes marquis of Queensberry rules, I suppose."—[Judge.

Business Integrity.

"I hope I'm not robbing you," said Snooks, politely, as the newsdealer handed him the last remaining copy of the EVENING KICKER.

"Oh, not at all," replied the other, smilingly.

And when Snooks unfolded the paper on the car and found it was last night's edition he jingled the four cents change in his pocket and remarked, "Well, that plugged nickel was good for something, anyway."

The Revised Edition.

Visitor:—"I suppose you attend Sunday-school to-day, Bertie?"

"Bertie:—"Yep."

Visitor:—"What was the lesson about?"

Bertie:—"Oh, 'bout a fellow named Jonah who swallowed a whale."

Visitor:—"When I went to Sunday-school it was the whale that swallowed Jonah."

Bertie:—"Well 'taint that way now. We've got the revised edition."—Judge.

They Didn't have Him.

Mrs. Bagley—"How is everybody at your house, Harold?

Harold—"O, pretty well. We ain't got grandpa any more, though."

Mrs, Bagley—"You haven't your grandpa! Why, you don't mean that he's dead?"

Harold—"Oh, no. He's been abducted again." [Exchange.

The Basis of His Inference.

Jobson—What is Bobson's work on the DAILY NOON?

Robson—I think he takes care of Stock Exchange news?

Jobson—Have you ever seen him around the Exchange?

Robson—No; but I saw him buy a book of "Familiar Quotations" the other day.—[PUCK.

It Almost Broke Her Up.

Rev. Whangdoodle Baxter (endeavoring to comfort the sick woman)—Hab patience, Aunt Sukey, and eberyting will jess come erround all right.

Aunt Sukey—You has easy talkin. What I wants ter know is, what I has done to hab all dis sufferin' put on me. Some of de meanest folks dies as easy as a bhile, but it mos' kill me ter die.

A Bad Error.

Captain—"What made you drop that pop fly? It was an awful error.

Stoughton, '91—"Captain, I got so rattled that I saw six balls."

Captain (crossly)—"I should think you might have caught one of them, at least."—Harvard Lampoon.

The Generation That Don't Rise.

Col. Yerger—"I wonder why boys are called the rising generation."

Judge Peterby—"Don't you think the term appropriate?"

"No, I don't. I broke the handle off the hairbrush this morning trying to make my boy rise."

Health Statistics.

"I haven't had a wink of sleep in the last eight days," remarked Gilhooly to Gus De Smith.

"Great heavens! How is that?"

"You see, I have quit taking a siesta in the middle of the day, and now I do all my sleeping at nights."

Scientific.

He (ten P. M. and the lamp turned low—humorously)—"It isn't at all queer, is it, Edith, that one should find electric kisses when he goes 'sparking'?"

She—"Yes, very queer, indeed, Mr. Standoff, when the lady's negative is positive."

Undoubtedly.

Jones was yesterday delivered of the following abhorism. It is warranted his latest:

"When I wake in the morning and find it cloudy, I know that in case it rains we shall not have fine weather."

HUMOROUS BRIEFS.

IN marriage, one and one makes one; in divorce, one from one leaves two.

THE struggling schoolmaster is pretty sure to make his mark—on the blackboard.

IF the eyes are the windows of the soul, it is is fair to assume that the lids are the shutters.

A BLIND fortune teller is advertised in one of our exchanges, but how can a blind man be a good seer?

A WOMAN with two tongues has been discovered in Alabama. She became a widow at a very tender age.

THE Chicago girl's foot has disappeared from the paragraphic column and there is a mighty big hole to fill.

"GIVE me a light lunch," said a traveler in a Russian railway restaurant. And they brought him a tallow candle.

CHRISTIAN science has driven a Cincinnati young man crazy. Religion is a dangerous thing for Cincinnati people to handle.

EDISON'S AGENT—"Wouldn't you like to buy a phonograph? It will store up everything you say and repeat it to you. Want one?" "No; got a wife."

IN every small boy's breast there is an intense feeling against kissing the girls, which is only exceeded by the intense feeling in the opposite direction later on.

BELVA LOCKWOOD has accepted the nomination in a ringing letter. She may not carry New York, but it is pretty sure she will poll the unanimous vote of her own family.

"The bloom upon the rye——
Where does it take its way?
Is it wafted to the sky?
Now who can answer, pray?
To this question we reply,
We'll tell you where it goes;
The bloom that's on the rye,
Blooms on the toper's nose.

ONE of the queerest things about agriculture is to see a Congressman plant seeds among his constituents, and then look confidently forward to a crop of votes next fall.

THE progress of evolution ought to bring out three-headed men as a legitimate sequence to the three-headed calves now raving the country. What a thing this would be for the hat trade!

HENRY LABOUCHERE says the reason American women succeed in English society is because they are original. We have noticed that their originality has often consisted of good fat pocketbooks.

THE first practical boat-tipping joke of the season has been cracked in Fullerton, Neb. The timid fellow who couldn't swim is dead, we're sorry to say. The practical fool, we rejoice to add, is dead, too.

ONE of the New England delegates to the St. Louis convention was much impressed with the quantity of beer that was on tap in the Mound City. "I tell you," he said, "that stuff is the very necktie of the gods."

MR. EDISON, the famous inventor, is said to be immensely pleased with his new baby. He is now at work on an ingenious electric apparatus which will carry a baby's squall noiselessly off, and drop it a mile or two from the house.

AN intelligent Christian man would consider it an absurdity to kneel down at night and pray and ask God's protection while at the same time he kept the windows of his bedroom tight shut against fresh air. He would just as soon think of going out on the bridge between New York and Brooklyn, leaping off and then praying to God to keep him from getting hurt.

Uncle Bat's Advice.

DON'T nebbur try fur to attrack de notice ob de publick. De hoss am de mos' yuseful annermil, but de moskeeto attracks de mos' attenchun.

Nebbar pike yer neighbers' watermillyums espeshyerly in de daytime.

Allus work hard when de boss cums roun'.

Keep out ob de penitenshery, fur fear your wuk mout injer the laybur intereses ob de country.

Nebber incourage a fight between er big man an' er little man, purtickyerly when you is de little man.

Don't bet. But ef yer disputes wid er hard-headed man, an' yer knows yer is right, den bet wid him to larn him sum sense.

Important if True.

First Base-ball Crank—How does the game stand, Billy?

Second Base-ball Crank—Eight to fourteen.

First Base-ball Crank—Who's ahead?

Second Base-ball Crank—Fourteen.

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He Had it Ready.

"Good-bye, wifey; if I am detained by business and not able to come home to dinner I'll send you a telegram."

Wife (frigidly)—"You needn't take that trouble. Here it is. I took it out of your pocket a while ago."

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS.

HAS STANLEY ASPIRATIONS TO SIT UPON A THRONE.

DeLessep's Immense Financiering. Great Uncertainty About the New Emperor's Policy. The English Greatly Delighted With Augustin Daly's Portrayal of the Taming of the Shrew. Trial of the Burglars Porter and Taylor.

LONDON, July 3.—The opinion is growing that Stanley is really the great White Pasha, whose arrival in the Bahr-el-Ghazel province at the head of a large force is agitating the native mind at Suakim and Cairo, and set the Mahdi's successor at Khartoum thinking of the best and most expeditious means of annihilating the daring intruder. Englishmen, who believe England's fair fame was tarnished by the failure to relieve Khartoum, cherish the hope that the romance of Central African annals may culminate in the wiping out of that stain by Stanley, and clearing up the mystery of Gordon's fate. The idea is fascinating, but Stanley's mission is to join Emin Pasha, and the general opinion is that he is too practical a man to entertain the thought of ousting the Mahdi and reigning in his stead.

"The Temps states that M. de Lesseps convoked the members of the Panama Canal Board to-day in order to submit to them resolutions relating to the issue of the lottery bonds. The exact amount of the subscriptions has not yet been announced. It is known that about 350,000 small subscribers have applied for 800,000 bonds. The whole issue consists of 2,000,000 bonds, each of the nominal value of £16, and issued at £14 8s., the total amount of the loan being £28,000,000. The intervention of large subscribers and old financial friends of the company is held to justify the total issue of bonds, the company fulfilling the conditions by effecting the payment of the first installments due and the immediate lodgment of a deposit in rentes as a guarantee for the payment of the entire loan. Panama Canal shares closed 4 1-4 f. higher today." The Standard contends that if yesterday's statements that 1,300,000 bonds had been taken were correct, the loan is a failure. It would give the company possession of £19,000,000, but this sum would melt like snow under the tremendous expenses of the works, combined with the dead weight of the interest, now exceeding £4,000,000 yearly. A year hence it would be a company with a capital and debts amounting to £90,000,000 with no available assets.

THE new German Emperor speaks from the throne in a most peaceable kind of manner, but the alarmists, soothed for a moment, are now again trembling with fear because William II., who is going to make a round of imperial calls, intends first to visit the Czar of Russia, and only afterward to call on his ally, Francis Joseph of Austria. In the first place the young man may yet change the order of his imperial calls, and even if he doesn't it will not be important. The commonplace view of it is that the new Emperor would like very much to whip somebody, particularly France, and be great. Just now it would not do to try France, because Russia would take advantage of the circumstances to help herself to things, and so in his speech he alludes to the Czar as his personal friend, and then projects going off to Russia not to interfere with his dreams of glory. It is all right to snub Francis Joseph a little, because he is very much afraid of Russia, and besides, he cannot afford to be seriously offended.

THE Saturday Review, in its third notice of the Daly Company, says: "The third visit to the Gaiety Theatre, where Daly's company of comedians (we confess to a liking for this old-fashioned phrase) are playing 'The Taming of the Shrew,' has confirmed our opinion that this is one of the very best Shakespearian performances seen in London of late years. In fact, we are inclined to hazard the doubt whether, all things considered, a more satisfactory representation of this comedy of Shakespeare's has been given since the breaking up of the mighty companies of the old patent theatres. Of Miss Rehan's Katharine, as of Mr. Drew's Petruchio, there is no need now to say more than we have said. They are among the most memorable and most absolutely satisfactory Shakespearian impersonations ever seen in London. Miss Rehan's cries of defiance and rage linger on the ear, and she does Mr. Drew's brilliant bravura delivery of verse—rare accomplishment indeed. The diction of the company as a whole is very remarkable. Almost every actor in the company seems to have discovered the secret of blank verse."

A STORY comes from Oran which proves that the woman of Algiers occasionally lead lives as exciting as those of more modern societies. The woman in question, Fatira Ben Abdelkader, has just been sentenced to twenty years' penal servitude for infanticide. She is 40 years old, but is still wonderfully beautiful, and the story brought out at her trial is at least interesting. In her life she has had seven husbands. Her first, whom she married at 16, she was divorced from. Her second husband she shot, and suffered five years' imprisonment for doing so. Then she married a marabout, went in for politics, and incited the rising of 1881. When that was over she ran away from her marabout, and had four more husbands. Besides these husbands she had a great many lovers, many of whom are supposed to have been murdered at her request. When she leaves prison she will luckily be too old to renew her goings on.

THE trial of the burglars Billy Porter and Buck Taylor was resumed, the jewelry being examined in detail. Eight hundred loose diamonds were shown. Many articles were very pretty and the quantity was bewildering. The Munich jeweller from whom they were stolen identified all as his property. The case was after a short hearing adjourned till next Thursday, and will probably be adjourned from Thursday to Thursday for a considerable time to come. The defendants' counsel declare that the prisoners are British subjects and therefore cannot be extradited. There will be a long argument on this question. The prisoners are very strongly represented by counsel. Everything possible will be done to secure their acquittal. Their wives were in court with different dresses from the previous day.

ADVICES from the fishing village of Kerschkaranza, in the Kola Peninsula, on the White sea, describe a wonderful phenomenon new in arctic annals, which took place on the 5th of January last. At 4 o'clock in the morning the inhabitants were awakened by a series of heavy dull detonations like distant artillery. Shortly afterward a great ice wall to the northwest, several hundred feet high, was seen to be moving toward the village, doubtless in consequence of the pressure of ocean floe outside. The ice hills came slowly but irresistibly onward and passed over the village, which they completely erased, and kept onward for a mile inland. The ice traveled a mile and a half in four hours. The villagers saved their lives, but little else.

BARONESS DE REUTER has splendid ideas also about making her friends enjoy themselves. Last week she gave a poker party at Greenwich, with a fish dinner before the poker began. The Ministers of Spain and the Netherlands, Baroness Rylandt, Christine Nilsson, Lady Paunafote, wife of the permanent Foreign Under Secretary; Lady Astley, Lady Sykes, Sir Charles Russell, Sir Rivers Wilson, Sir Charles Wyke, Admiral Mayne, and other well-known characters with a fondness for poker were all on hand. The only mistake was that while the poker went on the band played and Signor Dabierd managed a mandolin, which made it rather hard for the players to form a clear judgment as to the advisability of calling a third rise.

VARIOUS rumors are being circulated concerning the malady of the new Emperor of Germany. It is said, for instance, that he is suffering from cancer in the ear, and the possibility of his early death is already being discussed by premature writers. The illness the Emperor is suffering from is not cancer, but an affliction of which the nature is not generally known. He has been affected by it for a long time, and during the mortal illness of the late Emperor William he paid regular visits to a certain well-known specialist in Unter den Linden. It is not a trouble which threatens for the present, at least, to cause the German throne again to become vacant.

HER Majesty, Queen Victoria, had been unusually successful this year in her sale of yearlings. They went at an average price of 474 guineas apiece, and a very smart crowd gathered at Hampton Court to bid for them. The Duke of Portand drove his coach from town to the sale, and made the two biggest bids of the day, paying 2,600 and 1,500 guineas respectively for two of St. Simon's yearlings. Lord Randolph Churchill was on hand to bid, as were a lot of other distinguished individuals. The women nearly all wore tailor-made suits in black and gray. Prince Henry of Battenberg, did not have the luck of his royal mother-in-law. He sold two hunters at the same sale which fetched 55 and 30 guineas each.

A SALE calculated to breed extreme envy in the most level-headed numismatist occurred last week, when an enormous collection of coins and medals by the deceased collector, Wrixon Leycester, was sold at auction. Amateurs and dealers had come from France and Germany, and a Mr. Lowe had even come all the way from America. A George III. gold crown piece of 1807 sold for $107, the highest price ever given for that coin. Any number of coins were sold for $200 apiece and upward, and the sale realized over $20,000.

THE rumer that Prince Albert Victor, the heir apparent, is to marry the Princess of Anhalt-Dessau, is being revived in consequence of the Princess of Wales, his mother, having made a special visit to Dessau to see the young woman. It would be a very good marriage for the Prince, as the girl is one of the richest heiresses in Europe, fairly good looking, of genial disposition, and able to play a banjo and other instruments.

THE life of another royal personage will very soon be ended. Telegrams from Belgium say that the condition of Empress Charlotte of Mexico is now quite hopeless. Her strength is rapidly weakening, and she is expected to die at any moment. The unfortunate woman has never recovered her mind, which gave way on the execution of her husband.

THE Marquis of Allesbury, the disreputable little peer of whom you have frequently heard, has at last turned his hand to something really useful. He has bought a Windsor and Henley coach, and drives it every day, allowing anybody to ride for seven shillings and sixpence, with a half crown extra for a box seat beside his lordship.

MRS. MACKAY has cards out for an entertainment on July 5, which is looked forward to with interest as being one of the first important social events following the period of public mourning for the late German Emperor. Coquelin, Cadet, and Mlle. Reichemberg are to be brought over from the Comedie Francaise to help amuse the guests.

MR. Hamilton, the partner of Mr. Edison, shipped by the Servia on Saturday phonograms of the chorus of 4,000 voices at the Handel festival yesterday at the Crystal Palace. Phonograms of the leading soloists were also included in the mails for Mr. Edison.

S. B. S.

FOREIGN ITEMS.

MEISSONIER's wife died on June 10.

PATTI and Nicolini will leave Rio Janeira on August 21, on the ship Ionic.

TWENTY-SEVEN thousand pounds sterling has been subscribed for a Nonconformist college at Oxford.

EXPERIMENTS with the new Nordenfeldt torpedo, electrically controlled, were pronounced "entirely satisfactory."

THE latest arrangement in Paris for a wedding at home is a floral umbrella, under which the happy pair stand.

THE custom of going bare-headed one day in the week (on the "Sabbath" or Saturday), is observed by the Mingrelians.

THE late Kaiser Fritz ever after his marriage with the English Princess Royal kept the anniversary of Waterloo as a fete day.

THE great game of Japan is "Go." It is something like chess, and the masters of it sometimes take twenty-four hours for a game.

A FIVE-HUNDRED acre farm in Essex is held by the present tenant at the nominal rent of £1. A few years ago the same tenant paid £500.

THE circular of a London wine firm says especially that "Lord ——, one of the partners, is to be found in daily attendance in the office."

THE whole stock of diamonds produced by the three largest companies in Cape Town has been purchased by London merchants to be held for a rise.

THE prize of 10,000 francs offered by the city of Paris for the best musical composition was kept back for the reason that none of the compositions were considered worthy of it.

AN Australian family of freaks has just been brought to England, consisting of four children, the youngest of whom is 8 years old, five feet eleven in height, and weighs 180 pounds.

M. MOLLER, the wealthy Parisian, who amuses himself and the fashionable world with an amateur circus, has now a rival in whose establishment is said to be as fine as as Moller's.

AT the annual meeting of the National Rifle Club of Scotland there were twenty-three competitors. At the long range match of 800, 900 and 1,000 yards the top score was 202 out of a possible 225.

A brigade was divided into two battalions for a sham fight at Aldershot. Just before operations were to begin it was discoverd that one of the battalions had been supplied with ball ammunition instead of blank.

LORD WOOLSLEY thinks that too much valuable time is spent in brightening harness chains of the artillery and putting pipe clay on soldiers' belts. He thinks it should be devoted to more practical occupations and the chains and the belts changed.

LADY GEORGIA LEGGE made up a woman's eleven for a game of cricket with the girls of the Birmingham High School, and the match was played on the Earl of Dartmouth's grounds before a large and select company. One player made 39 runs.

A LADY who was visiting in Sidney recentl seemed to recognize her hostess' butler. "Why, you have P—— here!" she said. "Do you know him?" was the astonished question. "Certainly; he was my husband's late secretary, and he is a brother to the Earl of L——.

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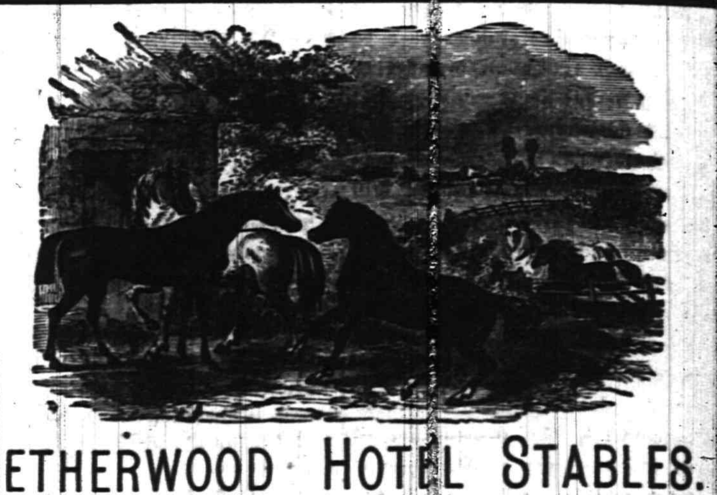

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.[illegible], 5.45, 7.0[illegible], 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.[illegible], 2.30, 3.3[illegible], 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.4[illegible], 6.30, 7.0[illegible], 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.[illegible], 4.00, 5.3[illegible], 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.28, 8.0[illegible], 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.3[illegible], 1.21, 2.57, 3.5[illegible], 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.1[illegible], p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.1[illegible], 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.[illegible] a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.0[illegible], 5.54, 6.[illegible], 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.1[illegible] p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.3[illegible].

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.59, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.[illegible] a.m. 2.0[illegible], 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.3[illegible], 8.08, 8.1[illegible], 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—[illegible] 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.5[illegible], 10.15, 1[illegible] a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.[illegible], 6.47, 8.1[illegible], 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—[illegible] a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., [illegible] 4.34, 5.[illegible], 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, [illegible] p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6.58, 9.24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.1[illegible] a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05., p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.3[illegible], 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00; 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton, 5.12, 8.[illegible], 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.4[illegible], 5.0[illegible], 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.3[illegible], a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA

Ninth and Green streets, 7.30*, 8.30*, 9.3[illegible], 11.0[illegible] a. m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 5.30, 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.30*, 9.0[illegible], 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p. m. Sunday—8.[illegible], a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.2[illegible], 8.00*, 9.[illegible]0*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.[illegible], 5.[illegible], 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., p. m.

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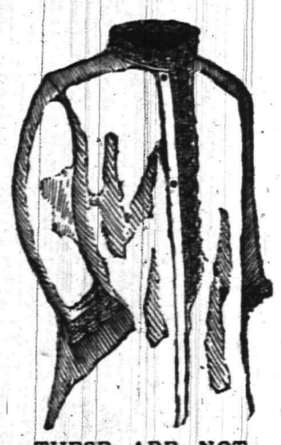

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BOULANGER RESIGNS.

Hoots and Hisses in the Chamber of Deputies.

VOTE OF CENSURE PASSED.

The General Driven From the House by a Tempest of Rage—Members Hooting Him to the Steps of the Palace and Excitement Reigns Supreme.

PARIS, July 13.—General Boulanger has surprised his friends and enemies alike by resigning his seat in the Chamber of Deputies.

It must be acknowledged that his career in the Chamber has been a failure. A soldier always, he was hardly fitted to shine in the legislature. The politicians against him, and jealous of his popularity either ignored or ridiculed him.

Under similar treatment Napoleon the Third, when he first entered the chamber, fainted with mortification, in spite of which he afterwards became Prince, President, and later Emperor.

It is not likely that in withdrawing from the Chamber Gen. Boulanger intends to remain quiet, or that the people of France will allow him to do so if he desired to. During his recent visit to the provinces he was received with all the old enthusiasm whenever he chose to appear in public.

He entered the Chamber yesterday for the first time since his return. Amid much confusion he took the tribune and moved his resolution of the House,

M. Floquet, Chief of the Council, opposed a point blank refusal to entertain the motion, and burst forth into a furious diatribe against the General.

He asked what right a man who had been spending his time in sacristies and the antechambers of the Princes had to criticise the Parliament of the Republic.

M. Gloquet was unsparing in his denunciation of the General's course, and charged him with unpatriotic conduct in needlessly disturbing the country and endangering its peace for selfish and personal aims.

Gen. Boulanger was wrought up to a high pitch of excitement during the speech, and five times stigmatized the Premier as an impudent liar, each time raising a storm of imprecations.

The General was repeatedly called to order. The members became highly indignant. Cries of rage were heard from all parts of the benches. The most insulting epithets were hurled at him.

At last the outraged sense of the House took the form of a vote of censure upon the member for the Department of the Nord, which was moved and seconded amid an uproar of approval.

Thereupon before the House could come to a vote, General Boulanger protesting that the liberty of the tribune was threatened tendered his resignation to the President and quit the chamber amid derisive cheers and laughter, members following and hooting him to the steps of the palace.

Rarely has such a scene been witnessed in the halls so famous for extraordinary scenes. The General seemed to have no friend. It was all against one.

The pent-up fury of the deputies broke forth without restraint, and never was it more merciless. The General may be said to have been driven from the house by a tempest of rage. It was an expulsion rather than a resignation.

The occurences in the Chamber of Deputies are the universal talk of the Boulevards, where the excitement is almost as great as it was in the House, but more evenly divided. The Boulangists declare that the General has been outrageously insulted and abused, and attribute it all to personal jealousy and political rancour.

It was rumored at a late hour that M. Floquet has sent a challenge to General Boulanger.

Chief and Indian Council at Odds.

ST. LOUIS, July 13.—The Cherokee Indian council in session at Tahlequah last week passed a bill leasing the grazing privileges west of the ninety-sixth meridian to the Cherokee Strip Live Stock Association for $150,000 per annum. Yesterday Chief Mays vetoed the bill and presented to the council two other bids, one from the Northwestern Texas Cattle Company, offering $160,009 per annum for the grazing privileges and another, also from Texas, offering $175,000.

Each of the last-named offers was accompanied by a deposit of $75,000. Notwithstanding the increased bids the council endeavored to pass the bill over the chief's veto, but were not successful.

Zachar Breaks His Long Fast.

RACINE, Wis. July 13.—John Zochar, who is reported to have abstained from food for fifty-three days, has at last been induced to break his long fast. It has come to light that the reason for his refusal to eat was a quarrel he had during March or April with his father in reference to wages or a distribution of property. This so worked upon John's mind that he decided to starve himself, but thought better of it after a conference with his father yesterday. He will probably recover the physicians say.

Laborers Marched Over the Border.

PORT HURON, Mich., July 12.—Sixty Canadian laborers who have been employed by the Grand Trunk at Port Huron, Fort Gratiot and other points on the St. Clair river, crossing to and from their homes morning and night, have been compelled by Customs Collecter Ward to shoulder their dinner buckets and cross to Canada and return no more. This is done under the provisions of the alien labor law.

Fatal California Blaze.

ORONVILLE, July 13.—A fire in the town of Cherokee, near here, last night burned the business portion of the city, entailing a severe loss. Defective means of fighting the conflagration rendered the efforts of the citizens to subdue it nearly fruitless. Mary O'Donnell, aged twenty-two, was burned to death.

Death of a Religious Writer.

LONDON, July 13.—The death is announced of the Rev. George Robert Gleig, formerly Chaplain General to the Forces. He was the author of numerous works, and was at one time a frequent contributor to various magazines. He was 92 years old.

ROBBERY OF THE DEAD.

Atrocious Act of Ghouls Searching for Treasure in a Coffin.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., July 13.—A horrible grave robbery was committed on Tuesday night at Mowersville, a few miles from here. The grave desecrated was that of a wealthy farmer named Hoover, who died nearly two years ago.

Over the grave a handsome monument, weighing 2,000 pounds, had been placed. This was undermined and partly moved, the grave opened and the coffin dragged out. The face of the corpse was badly mutilated by a crowbar used in breaking open the coffin.

The object was to plunder, as Mr. Hoover had been wealthy and eccentric, and it was reported that a large sum of money had been buried with him in his coffin.

The thieves carried away the heavy silver plate and handles of the casket, but left the body. A heavy reward will be offered for their arrest.

BATTLE OF THE BOYNE.

The Anniversary Celebrated Quietly in Ireland With one Exception.

DUBLIN, July 13.—The anniversary of the Battle of the Boyne was celebrated after the customary manner with ultra-royal toasts and extra fervent speeches when over the Orangemen had the pluck to gather together.

So far as the country had been heard from, the observances have generally passed off without a breach of the peace. Downpatrick was the exception. There was a lively shindy there. An Orange procession attempted to invade the Catholic district. There would have been a bloody riot, had not the police intervened and with liberal use of their clubs driven the procession back.

The Catholic quarter was up in arms and aching for a fight, but the police restrained their impetuosity and both parties were carefully kept apart throughout the day.

Suicide and Attempted Wife Murder.

NEW YORK, July 13.—"Then die!" shouted a tall, well-dressed, rather elderly man to a handsome, matronly looking woman with whom he was walking in twenty-second street near Seventh avenue, a few minutes after 5 o'clock yesterday afternoon. With the words he whipped out a heavy double-action revolver and fired point-blank at his companion.

The woman fled screaming down the street and the man after firing another shot after her placed his weapon against his temple and fell with a bullet in his brain.

The suicide was Richard B. Carter, of No. 260 West Twenty-first street. His victim was his wife, Mrs. Teressa Carter, of No. 477 West Twenty-second street, to whom he had only been married six months. Carter, who is fifty years of age, was formerly a foreman stevedore employed by his brother, who has charge of the loading of the Atlas Line steamers. Last Fall, he hired a furnished room in the house of Mrs. Adams, a handsome widow living at No. 447 West Twenty-second. He made love and finally married Mrs. Adams. Differences followed and they had not lived together for some time but met for a conference yesterday.

The woman was wounded in the back by the shot but will recover. Carter is dead.

Boycotters Set at Liberty.

NEW YORK, July 13.—John E. Gill, James Campbell, John Foster and George T. Worley, the members of the Executive Board of District Assembly 91, Knights of Labor, shoemakers, who pleaded guilty under the conspiracy law as laid down by the Court of Appeals in the complaint of Odbert D. Hart, a former foreman in the employ of Gardner & Estes, the shoe manufacturers, whom they caused to be discharged for enmity to the union, and whom they kept from getting work in other factories, were brought before Recorder Smyth of the Court of General Sessions yesterday for sentence.

Louis F. Post, their counsel, asked for a suspension of sentence, and after a brief consultation with District Attorney Fellows, that official consented to the suspension. Recorder Smyth gave the men a severe lecture and suspended sentence, warning them that if they were ever caught in a similar violation of the law he would see that they got the full penalty.

The German Physicians Quarrel.

BERLIN, July 12.—The criticisms of Dr. Mackenzie's treatment of Emperor Frederick are the sole topic of conversation here today. The KREUR ZEITUNG overwhelms Dr. Mackenzie with invectives. The NATIONAL ZEITUNG says an appeal was made to Emperor William, while Frederick was at San Remo, to save him from Dr. Mackenzie, but the Emperor replied that his son was 56 years of age, and the right of final decision as to his medical treatment could not be taken from him. The Progressive journals point to the fact that there were eight doctors in the case who did not sign the report criticising Dr. Mackenzie.

In Favor of the Warden.

MORRIS PLAINS, N. J., July 13.—The Legislative Committee resumed its investigation of Warden Monroe's management of the insane asylum yesterday. The evidence of the day was intended to prove the general good quality of the supplies, and a number of purveyors of food for the asylum were examined.

The testimony was all to the effect that the institution was admirably conducted and that no supplies of an inferior quality had ever been used. Warden Monroe himself was on the stand, and he made a general and specific denial of the charges brought against him.

Slight Hope for Alpena.

ALPENA, Mich., July 13.—The saw dust pile around Morse's mill, from which grew the great fire yesterday, is burning fiercely again and although the entire town is at work little headway is made against the flames.

If Morse's mill goes the entire town will burn. All the mills are closed, the employees are battling the fire.

Threats are made against Morse, who owns the mill where the fire started, because of his carelessness. The situation is critical and the hopes of saving any of the town are small.

Parnell's Investigation.

LONDON, July 13.—In accordance with the notice given a few days ago, Mr. Parnell yesterday brought before the House of Commons the case of the criminal charges against him and his colleagues by the London Times. He asked W. H. Smith if the government was ready to take any action toward an investigation.

Mr. Smith replied that the government was willing to introduce a bill to qualify judges to inquire into the statements of the Times.

SEVEN PEOPLE KILLED.

A Train Dashes Through a Trestle at Night.

FORTY PERSONS INJURED.

Awful Wreck of the Southern Express on the Virginia Midland Road—The Trestle Known to be Unsafe—Several Cars Shaken to Pieces or Smashed by the Fall.

WASHINGTON, July 12.—An express train on the Virginia Midland Railroad went through a loose trestle two miles from Orange Court House at about 2:30 o'clock this morning. Seven passengers were killed and a large number, probably forty, badly injured.

The train pulled out at the Sixth Street Station, this city, at 11 o'clock. It consisted of an engine, manned by John Watkins, engineer, and John Kelly, fireman; one mail car, one baggage, two coaches and three Pullman sleepers. Conductor Neil Taylor was in charge. The run to "Big Nancy" trestle, about two miles the other side of Orange Court House, was made in three hours.

For some time the Midland Road has been engaged in repairing the bridges and trestles, and men had been at work on the "Big Nancy" for some time. But the weak point in the trestle had evidently been overlooked, for the engine had hardly crossed it before there was a shiver and trembling of the structure and the upper part collapsed. The engine, mail and baggage car, day coaches and one sleeper went over the side, two of the Pullmans alone remaining on the track. A terrific crash followed, and it was a wonder that any one escaped alive.

The scene that followed was of indescribable horror. The shrieks and moans of the injured, the shouts of the excited passengers and the hissing of the steam made a terrible confusion. The cars in the middle of the train went down first, the engine and one sleeper falling on top. The baggage car was smashed into kindling wood, and not a soul could have escaped from it. The passenger cars were crushed out of all shape.

As soon as self-possession returned to the survivors of the horrible disaster they went to work to rescue the injured and recover the bodies of the dead. The wreck was piled in such an inextricable mass that it was difficult to discover the outlines of human forms.

Word was sent to Orange Court House, and the citizens and physicians of the town promptly responded. The region is thickly settled, and the farmers hurried to the scene. Alexandria was notified, and a wrecking train was immediately sent out.

Major Randolph, the manager of the road, placed the number of killed at seven and the injured at forty. The cause of the accident was the derailment of a coach, which knocked down a portion of the trestle, carrying with it the engine and cars.

The following is a list of killed:

I. N. CORRENTS, of South Carolina.

MR. HUNTER, of Scotland.

C. COX, of Alexandria, of the engineering department of the Piedmont Air Line.

H. T. WHITTINGTON, of Greensboro, N. C., postal clerk.

H. C. BRIGHTWELL, postal clerk, of Prospect, Prince Edward County, Va.

Two unknown men.

Among the injured are:

W. N. PARROTT, of Albemarle County, postal clerk, badly injured.

J. Q. WEST and J. L. WALTHALL, of Washington, D. C., postal clerks, very badly injured. Both will probably die.

LOUIS JENKINS, of Lynchburg, postal clerk, slightly injured.

—— PATTERFIELD, express agent, seriously injured.

Z. JENNINGS, of Lynchburg, a passenger, injured internally.

Conductor C. P. TAYLOR and Engineer ATKINS, badly hurt.

JAMES GOODMAN, the baggagemaster, probably fatally injured.

Fireman KELLY, badly hurt.

Mr. C. A. Nicholson of 34 South Howard

The Investigation of Trusts.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The House Committee on Manufactures yesterday decided to continue the investigation of trusts. It will shortly report the evidence so far taken in the sugar and Standard Oil trusts, and then will begin an investigation into the whisky trust.

More Tariff Talk.

WASHINGTON, D. C., July 13.—Tariff discussion in Committee of the whole on the wool clause occupied yesterday afternoon's debate in the House, and will be continued to-day. Herbert of Alabama spoke favoring placing wool on the free list.

Baseball Games Played Thursday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT INDIANAPLOIS

New York	0	0	0	2	0	3	0	0	1	6
Indianapolis	0	0	3	1	0	0	1	0	4	9

AT PITTSBURG.

Boston	0	0	0	0	
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	Rain.

AT CHICAGO.

Washington	0	1	8	5	0	5	3	0	0	22
Chicago	1	0	1	3	3	0	0	1	0	9

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
Cleveland	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2

AT LOUISVILLE,

Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1
Athletics	0	0	2	0	1	1	0	0	0	4

AT ST. LOUIS,

St. Louis	2	0	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	8
Boston	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3

AT KANSAS CITY,

Kansas City	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	0	3
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 9, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	39	20	Brooklyn	45	20
Detroit	36	23	St. Louis	37	21
New York	35	24	Athletic	36	24
Boston	33	28	Cincinnati	37	25
Philadelphia	29	28	Baltimore	28	32
Indianapolis	22	37	Louisville	23	40
Pittsburg	19	35	Kansas City	19	41
Washington	20	30	Cleveland	18	39

Mr. Randall Better.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—Mr. Randall is steadily improving and his daughter, Mrs. Lancaster, says he hopes to be out shortly.

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While carefully guarding the interests of the taxpayers and conforming strictly to the principles of justice and equity, this Democratic Administration has paid out more for pensions and bounties to the soldiers and sailors of the Republic than has ever been paid before during an equal period.—NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Mr. Robert Whittaker, a local rider, will perform at the Hunting circus this evening.

—The Union County Board of Assessors will meet at Elizabeth, in annual session on Monday.

—In speaking of the fitness of things, Bob Burdette says there is nothing like "a shot-gun, a mule or a choir, for kicking."

—A great sale of $40,000 worth of clothing saved from a late Broadway fire, is to take place in Laing's Hall, commencing to-morrow evening.

—Weak fish are said to be biting splendidly at Sewaren. A party of fishermen landed about seventy fine fish there a day or two since.

—Weather Prophet DeVoe predicts that the remainder of this month will be pleasant, and that it will end in a burst of electricity and frigidness.

—"The best way to keep girls on the farm" was the subject of discussion at a recent agricultural meeting. Keep the boys there and the girls will stay to keep them company.

—President Bogardus of the American Temperance Union, New York city; Doctor Burnett and George M. Angleman, will be the speakers at Reform Hall, Sunday evening.

—The public are cautioned to be on their guard against a man representing himself as a solicitor for a ladies' fashion journal in Boston. He is likely to appear in our midst at any time.

—The Trinity Reformed, First Presbyterian and Park Avenue Baptist Sunday Schools have an excursion to Long Branch, Ocean Grove and Asbury Park on Wednesday, August 15th.

—An envelope has been invented, the gummed flap of which comes round to the front upper corner and closes where the stamp can be put on it. This can not be opened without tearing the stamp.

—The Woman's Christian Temperance Union will hereafter commencing with July 15, hold their Sunday services in their own rooms 73 West Front street, at 9:15 A. M., and 4 P. M. Mrs. H. M. Eaton, Supt. Evangelistic Work.

—The Star (colored) base ball club will compete with two out-of-town clubs on the Somerset street grounds, next Thursday. In the morning they will beat a nine from Somerville, and in the afternoon they will play a match game with the Quicksteps of New Brunswick.

—The peach growers report that the prospect for a good crop grows less every day. The fruit seems to have been stung by an insect, causing it to become wormy and fall from the tree. The present prospects are not bright. The baskets, however, will remain small, and the price as usual.

Hunting's Circus.

Bob Hunting's circus attracted large audiences yesterday afternoon and evening. The performance was of that excellence which characterized the appearance of the circus a year ago and was as heartily enjoyed. Bob Hunting is one of the hardest all-around workers in the profession and deserving of the success that attends his effort to please. His funny sayings and songs were well received. Many new acts have been introduced, among them being Prof. Neil Smith's trained horses, dogs, goat and cat.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Major W. D. Miller, of LaGrande avenue, and family, leave today for Block Island.

Mr. D. H. Mulford and family, of Crescent avenue, have left the city for the Summer.

Mr. John Hummel, an assistant in Mr. H. P. Reynolds' pharmacy, has recovered from a siege of sickness which has confined him to the house for the past week.

The body of the late Edward H. Aderson of Westfield, who died in California, recently, was started from San Francisco on Saturday, accompanied by the wife and two children of the deceased.

Mr. Leo Daft, the well-known electrician of this city, was among the few who were fortunate enough to obtain a patent at Washington this week. Mr. Daft received a patent for an electric conductor.

Mr. Charles H. Soper and Miss Matie Randolph, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. David F. Randolph, were united in marriage at the residence of the bride's parents at South Plainfield, last evening. The ceremony was solemnized in the presence of a few of the relatives and near friends of the two families. The groom is a member of the Plainfield Cornet Band, and last night the band went out to South Plainfield and serenaded the newly wedded couple.

Installation.

At the regular meeting of Franklin Council, No. 41, Jr. O. U. A. M., held in the S. of T., rooms, corner of Front street and Park avenue, last evening, after the regular order of business the following officers were installed by District Deputy J. R. Rollinson, of Rahway, for the ensuing six months:

Councilor—Robert E. Connolly.
Vice Councilor—Charles M. Post.
Warden—Harry Ackerman.
Conductor—Louis Dunavan.
Inside Sentinel—Gilbert S. Martin.
Outside Sentinel—Henry Adams.
Recording Secretary—Charles F. Stephens.
Ass't Recording Secretary—Julius J. Stahl.
Financial Secretary—Charles R. Baker.
Treasurer—Howard Hummer.
Trustee—Walter B. Bennett.

The treasurer was installed for one year and the trustee for eighteen months.

The quarterly reports were read which showed the council to be in a flourishing condition, after which able remarks were made for the good of the order by District Deputy J. R. Rollinson and Junior Past Councilors C. Davis, P. H. Bennett, E. E. Vail, and others.

The "Somervilles" Anxious.

The Crescents will go to Somerville, to-morrow, and play a return game with the West Ends of that town. The former game was given to the Plainfield team by a score of 9 to 0, upon the refusal of the Somervilles to finish the last inning when the scores were tied. The *Unionist-Gazette*, of Somerville, says of to-morrow's game:

"The game on Saturday will be with the Crescents of Plainfield, who will bring with them a stronger team than ever before. Their battery will be a strong one, and probably one that has never been here. Their infield will be composed of McMurray, 1st base; McCutchen, 2nd; Dilts, short-stop, and Lee, 3d base. It will take strong batting to get a ball past the infield. For the West Ends Dunning and Meehan will be the battery, and a change will be made in some of the infield positions. The West Ends are sure to win, of course."

Another Ocean Race.

Mr. F. R. Stevens' "Mercury," and Mr. J. Hervey Doane's "Cherokee," were taken to New York, this morning, and will sail aboard the Steamer "Cherokee" today.

The birds will be released by Captain Doane about one o'clock P. M., to-morrow, when 291 miles in an air line from Plainfield. If either bird gets home to its loft before Sunday morning, there will be some records broken.

The race will undoubtedly be a close one. Both birds have been flown from the "Cherokee" before, although not so far out.

Open-Air Madrigals.

Mrs. Edward Love of East Fifth street, entertained the choir boys of Grace church, last evening. Music and a collation constituted the programme of the evening. All were delighted with the reception tendered them. They left in a body, fifteen in number, and while homeward bound discoursed popular airs. Their melodious voices ringing through the still of the night caused windows and doors to suddenly open. Their serenading was really a treat to those who appreciate good music.

English In "Its Rich Simplicity."

The following is from the *Shallow News* of last week, and refers to the Fourth of July celebration at The Netherwood:

The fireworks at night were enjoyed by a large number of people, and the banquet and hop that followed were attended with relish by a throng of invited guests, attired according to Fashion's latest dictates. The gather made a handsome spectacle. The hop was one of those affairs of refined elegance for which the Hotel is famous. The banquet was just enough elaborate and was peculiarly pleasing in its rich simplicity.

Rapid Beating of the Heart.

Whenever you feel an uneasiness in the region of the heart, a slight pain in the shoulder, arm, or under the shoulder-blade, or when you find yourself short of breath when exercising, or your heart has periods of beating fast, you have heart disease, and should take DR. FLINT'S REMEDY. Descriptive treatise with each bottle. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

BY THE PRESS SPECIAL SERVICE.

BOULANGER AND FLOQUET FIGHT.

The General Wounded in the Throat, and the Premier in the Breast.

[SPECIAL TO THE PRESS.]

PARIS, July 13—A tragic duel between Gen. Boulanger and Premier Floquet is the outcome of the extraordinary quarrel in the Chamber yesterday.

The fight took place with swords this morning, and two more bitter antagonists never faced one another in fiercer moods.

Boulanger was seriously wounded in the throat, and Floquet in the left breast and hand.

Wedding Reception.

Some fifty friends and relatives of Mr. Harry Campbell and wife met at the residence of the groom's father, E. A. Campbell, on Park avenue this city, last evening, to participate in the festivities of a reception given in honor of the marriage of two cousins of the same name, Messrs. John Henry Campbell. Unknown to each other, the cousins were united in wedlock the same evening, and the reception last evening was given in honor of the event. Both of the brides looked beautiful.

Prof. Frazee furnished excellent music and the spacious rooms of Mr. Campbell's residence were a scene of gayety and dancing until early morn. Among those present were Mr. Fred. Blanke and family and Mr. Johns, from New York; Mr. and Mrs. Charles Fink, Mrs. C. A. Campbell, daughter and son, Mr. John Henry Campbell and wife, Miss Joe Campbell and escort, Mrs. Wm. Fink and daughter, from Woodbridge; Lewis Campbell and wife and Miss Jennie Ten-Broeck, of New Brunswick; Mr. Benj. Vanderhover, wife and daughter; Wm. Kelly and wife, of Oak Tree; Miss Libbie Mellick, of South Plainfield; S. G. Smith and wife, Councilman S. P. T. Wilbur and wife, Postmaster Force and wife, of this city; L. A. Dunn, of Elizabeth; Collector of Customs, Oliver Kelly, of Amboy.

"And Yet You Were Chosen."

Probably the pleasant task of giving official notification of his nomination to a candidate for the Presidency never was intrusted to a more maladroit person than Mr. Estee, late Chairman of the Republican Convention. From his address to the unfortunate Gen. Harrison, July 4, we extract this gem:

"It is true distinguished gentlemen well known to the people, who were experienced in public affairs, illustrious in character, and worthy of the people's confidence and support, were before the convention as candidates, and *yet* you were chosen."

This felicitous way of intimating to the candidate that he was not distinguished, that he was not well known to the people, or illustrious or worthy of confidence, had its due effect upon Gen. Harrison, who in his speech of acceptance admitted with proper humility that while he looked upon the nomination as a good thing for himself, he could not believe that it implied any "prominent fitness" on his part to direct the affairs of the Nation from the Presidential chair.—*Com. Adv.*

The March of Improvement.

Messrs. J. B. Miller and brother will on September 1st begin the erection of a handsome four-story building on the desirable site at the corner of Park avenue and Fourth street. The structure will be of brick with brown-stone trimmings, and will cost when completed in the neighborhood of $20,000. The building will be fitted up with two stores facing on Park avenue, and one on East Fourth street. The upper floors will be fitted up in flats and lodge rooms, with all the modern conveniences,

Mr. Oscar S. Teale of North Plainfield is the architect. The new building will be ready for occupancy about the first of April.

Mr. Lacey Also Repudiates the Slander.

THE PRESS is in receipt of a communication from Mr. Wm. Lacey the man who the *False News* said was taken to Muhlenberg Hospital prostrated by the heat and to whom Architect Clum owed $61 that he would not pay.

Mr. Lacey says in his letter: "I wish to state to you that it is not Wm. H. Clum the architect that I have worked for. I never worked for him."

Who will be attacked next?

Pretty Good For Spring Chicks.

Two of this year's homing pigeons, hatched in the Spring, made a record this morning of 26 miles in 38 minutes. They were the property of Mr. F. R. Stevens of the Plainfield Homing Club, and were released from High Bridge. They were young ones and had never been away from home before, but they came back in good time just the same.

Took a Plunge After the Races.

Mr. Conway G. Ferguson of East Front street, in his hurry to board the boat at Sandy Hook, last evening, stepped off the pier into about ten feet of briny deep.

After his brave rescue in the presence of an excited multitude of men and groups of horrified and shrinking women, Mr. Ferguson dried his clothes on him in the boiler room of the steamboat.

Farmer Brower Strikes It Rich.

Farmer Robert Brower of the White Oak Ridge road, near Summit, is said to have discovered oil on his premises. Iron and copper ore have also been found on the farm.

WE HAPPEN TO HAVE

LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

WE ARE RUNYON & CO., AND OUR BUSINESS IS FURNITURE.

NEW STYLISH GOODS!

YES; that's just what they are, by prudent buying and marking our goods at Low prices, we have closed out the Summer stock so close that we have but little old goods to run off. But we can offer our patrons extra inducements in new Fresh Goods just bought at greatly reduced prices, on account of the lateness of the season. For instance, we have just opened a

BRAND-NEW lot of handsome new styles, first quality of Satteens, at 20c., the 25c grade; elegant 36in. Batiste, at 12½c; pretty Punjab Percales, 36in. wide, at 15c; Simpson's 3-4 Batiste, at 7c. New Windsor Foulards, 36in. wide, at 9c; light Merimack Prints, at 6c; Wool Challies, 16c. Full line White Goods at Low Prices. White, All-Wool Jerseys, Silk Braided, at $2 50, worth $3 00.

PARASOLS at Reduced Prices. A new lot of very handsome Hamburg Flouncings, at $1 00, worth $1 25; at $1 35, worth $1 50; at $1 50, worth $1 75; at $2 50, worth $3 00. A full line of White and Colored

ALBATROS, at 49c to 55c; White and Colored Surah Silks, and Morie Silks, Sash and Fancy Ribbons, "Foster" and "Harris" Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Mits. Thompson's and "C. P." Corsets, etc.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE.*

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. **EDSALL'S.**
5-18-tf

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—7.30, 8.50, 11.45 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m

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CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 12, 1888.

Anderson, F. W.	Langford, Mrs. Crissie
Anderson, Mrs. Mary	Lauculi, Mlle. M.
Adair, Wm.	Lazier, A. F.
Angie, D. A. (2)	Leonard, Mrs. Henry
Apgar, Miss Emma	Marsh, Chas. A.
Brokaw, E. B.	Manning, Miss Lizzie A.
Brown, Emma S.	McLaughlin, Miss Katie
Bann, Mrs. Nellie	McGrath, Miss Mary
Bostwick, Miss Martha	Morisy, Miss Mary
Bailey, Miss M.	McCauly, Mary
Bull, Mrs. Benj.	Moore, Mrs. Alla
Baum, J. H.	Murray, Mrs. Annie
Burns, Mary	Moore, Miss Annie A.
Benton, Mrs. Lewis (2)	Norris, Fred
Boyle Katie L.	Nolan, J. H.
Chamberlain, William	Platt, Charles
Clark, Mrs. Katie	Proctor, Mrs. Francis B.
Delano, Mrs. H. C.	Pound, Mrs. Jennie
Douglas, Frank E.	Randolph, Edward
Delainy, Mary	Reynolds, Mrs. Lizzie
Dobbs, Mrs. Barbara	Ralph, John
Davis, Mr. J. H.	Sephas, Miss Eliza Jane
Dater, Mr. & Mrs. Hiram R.	Saltus, F. H.
Ferguson, Dr.	Sulivan, Miss Kate
Fleurie, Edward	Stevens, Maggie
Flippin, Linward	Sharott, Mrs Maggie
Fleming, Andrew S.	Stockwell, Wm.
Fruen, Mrs. H.	Scribner, Isaac W.
Foster, H.	Slaight, Henry S.
Graves, Miss Ella	Stephenson, J. H.
Hoyt, Mrs. E. F.	Toms, Miss Annie E.
Havilvend, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. D.	Whiteuff, Charles
Kubowik, Albert	Wooden, Miss Eliza A.
Lebault, Dolph	Williams, Miss May
	Williams, Miss Amelia
	Wurzenrieth, John

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

A STRONG BOY WANTED to work in Garden, milk a cow, and make himself generally useful. Address, "Hudson," PRESS office.

FOR SALE—Work Horse and Cart. Apply to Sharkey & Blimm, Grocers, E. 3d St. 7-12-tf

FOR SALE, cheap, Billiard Table, Balls, Cues, Cue Case, four chairs, and chandelier. Enquire David R. Weaver. 7-10-6

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORR. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street. N. Y. city. my20tf

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Put up in Bottles.
Address a postal card to
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Good House—20 Rooms, Bath, Etc.

Large Barn, Cemented Basement, Cow-houses, Ice-house, Wood-shed, Pig-houses, Hennery; 42 Acres Land, 1,000 Young Fruit Trees, Falling Stream, and several valuable Mineral Springs. Situate about 1 mile from Dunellen depot, on the main road to Bound Brook. A long frontage on main road. Known as the "Dickens' Springs Farm." *A BARGAIN! TERMS EASY.*

Apply to
W. S. STEVENS, Dunellen Depot,
Or, A. P. MILLER, opp. Station, Plainfield. 7-6-tf

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!
Closing out our Summer stock of MILLINERY Goods at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Come and see at what Low Prices we can sell trimmed and untrimmed Hats. A good Shade Hat at 25c. Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Suits and Wrappers. Children's Dresses, Lace Caps. An assortment of Ladies' and Children's Aprons as low as 25c. Boys' Shirt Waists—all at very low prices. MRS. T. J. GILLIES,
No. 7 Madison Ave. 6-14-m

Choice Fruits, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Confectionery, &c.
BANANNAS, Wholesale and Retail.
31 WEST FRONT STREET,
16 NORTH AVENUE, (Paoli's Stand.)

I would respectfully inform the citizens of Plainfield that I have stocked both the above stores with *FIRST-CLASS GOODS* and solicit a share of patronage.
LUSARDI GUATELLI. 6-18-tf

WAIT! WAIT!
Coming! Coming!
Great Fire Insurance Sale!

$40,000
Worth of Men's, Boys' and Children's
CLOTHING!
Saved from the late Broadway, New York, fire, must be closed out in
15 DAYS,
By order of the Insurance Companies. Great Fire Insurance Sale, beginning
Saturday July 14,
1888, at 7 A. M., and to continue for 15 days, at
LAING'S HALL,
FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The appraisers for the Insurance Companies, after carefully examining the stock of Clothing considered that the same was not so badly damaged as claimed by the assured Clothing Manufacturers, and failing to agree as to the actual loss, were forced to take the stock, turn it into money, and the goods must be sold at once, in order to make a final settlement. All goods are appraised at forty cents on the dollar of manufacturer's cost; and this is all we want for them. The great Fire Insurance Sale will enable people in Plainfield and vicinity to secure their Clothing for almost nothing.

We Will Tell You Merely a Few BARGAINS:

Men's Business Suits, all to match, for.... $3.15
This suit costs to manufacture, $13.65, and if it does not suit you in every respect, or if you don't think it worth $13.65, bring it back any time inside of four days, and we will pay you $3.15.
Elegant Cheviot Suits, worth $15 00, must go for.... 4.15
Extra Fine Quality Men's Suits, tailor made 5.90
This is an elegant Suit and worth $17 00.
G. A. R.—Warranted all wool and fast color, Blue Flannel Suits, sold everywhere for $15 00, at.... 7.05
1,000 different kinds Diagonal, Worsted and Corkscrew Suits, which cost to manufacture about $20 00, we will sell for.... 9.99
Good Working Pants, worth $2 50, marked 74
We offer an elegant pair Men's Cassimere Pants, at.... 1.00
that cannot be bought elsewhere for less than $4 00.
Boys' Suits, suitable for the season, worth $6 00, at.... 1.75
Boys' Pants, worth $1 00, for.... 25
600 Dozen Suspenders, per pair.... 10

Don't fail to call and examine his stock at retail; it costs nothing to call and judge for yourself, and you will find everything just as cheap as mentioned in this circular. A chance to get such bargains will never occur again.

We reserve the right to limit purchasers as to quantity, to prevent dealers taking advantage of this sale.

Doors open from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M., during this sale. Come at all hazards—it will pay you.

LOOK FOR THE BIG SIGN,
GREAT FIRE INSURANCE SALE.
Laing's Hall, Front St., Plainfield, N. J.
7-13-2

TRY OUR
QUEEN and NEW ENGLAND BREAD.
HENRY LIEFKE,
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Thoroughly cleaned out and repaired. Also, new ones built. Ten years experience. Ashes and garbage removed. Charges low; satisfaction guaranteed. JOHN BARRY.
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LOW PRICES.
At G. W. Force's.
—SPRING GOODS.—
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AT
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And see the new styles in Children's Pictures.
CABINETS, $3.50 PER DOZEN.
Club tickets for sale.
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FOOTWALKS, with or without Curbing, CARRIAGE and ROADWAYS. STABLES, with Horse and Carriage Wash. CELLAR FLOORS, Etc., all made of the *BEST IMPORTED PORTLAND CEMENT.* All kinds of Tiling set at short notice. OFFICE—31½ WEST FRONT ST. P. O. Box 952. Thirty years of practical experience.
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LACES. LACES. LACES.
AT PECK'S!
LACES. LACES. LACES.

SHOT DOWN!
We will sell for a
SHORT TIME,
Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " $1.70.
Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,
Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.
A Nice Rod for the BOYS. 18cts.
Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.
Ask to see the Springfield Roadster—the *SAFETY WHEEL.*
A. M. VANDERBEEK & CO.,
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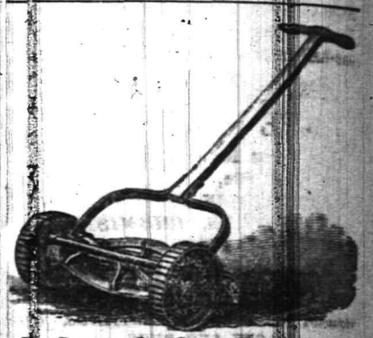

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Goods Delivered to any part of the city.
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Fancy and Staple Groceries,
CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.
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HARDWARE,
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Have your FURNACES cleaned NOW and save money, time and inconvenience.
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Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES. 3-1-tf

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LARGE COVERED VANS or TRUCKS. Goods delivered to any part of the U. S. Satisfaction guaranteed. Charges reasonable. P. O. Box 32 Piano moving a specialty. 1-7-tf

3/5/65

WHICH WILL YOU CHOOSE?

By their platform and their action in the House on the Mills' bill, the Democrats have shown themselves in favor of a reasonable reduction of taxation in a way which will greatly relieve the entire people, benefit all industries and increase the Commerce of the Country, thereby giving employment to a larger number of workmen and higher wages as well as cheaper living.

The Republicans have committed themselves in favor of retaining taxes as they now are upon all the necessaries of life, removing the tax from whiskey and tobacco, and destroying Foreign Commerce so that Trusts and Combines may have perfect Monopoly and levy a still larger tax upon the people.

Those who would desire a tax reduction that is at once wise and beneficial to the whole Country, will not hesitate to support the policy laid down by the President in his message.

Those who desire free whisky and taxed necessaries, the destruction of Commerce and the rule of Monopolies, Trusts and Combines, will support the Republican platform.

There is no middle ground this year.

A CLOSE MATCH.

Plainfield Loses the Championship Through Hard Luck.

There was a large attendance on the grounds of the Jersey City Heights Gun Club at Marion, N. J., yesterday, to witness the match between Mr. Chas. Smith of this city, and A. Manitz of Orange Valley, N. J. Both gentlemen are members of the Middlesex Gun Club, and have made many a good score at the traps before. The conditions of the match were—50 live birds each, both barrels, 5 traps, 30 yards rise, $50 a side. Veteran Al. Heritage furnished a fine lot of good flyers, while his noted setter dog "Duke" retrieved the dead birds in a manner that elicited the applause of the spectators. In the beginning Mr. Smith was so unfortunate as to lose his first bird—not however, through any fault of his aim, but because "Duke" failed to connect in capturing the wounded bird after Charley had fired his first barrel, and dare not use his second for fear of hitting the dog. The bird had strength enough to "top the fence" and was declared "lost."

Both contestants then shot in fair form with Manitz ahead until the 38th bird, when the German element began to assert itself and Smith gained a bird over his competitor. When the 45th bird had been shot at "Charley" led "Gus" by one bird, and everyone—even those who had placed their money on Manitz—"gave it up" in favor of the Dutch. Luck, however, failed to stick with Charley, and he succeeded in loosing the match by missing his last two birds, one a smart right quarterer and the last an easy incomer. Mr. Smith had the hardest birds to shoot at. Throughout the match he outshot Mr. Manitz, and it was only by sheer luck that he lost the match. Mr. Manitz, however, did some good work and made some fine kills. Following is the score:

MANITZ.

1111111101 1111101111111
0110111100 1110111110111
Killed 22; missed 8.

SMITH.

0111111110 1011111111011
1011111101 1111111101100
Killed 21; missed 9.

After the match came a sweepstakes at live birds, in which were contestants that have a name and record as pigeon shooters. The conditions were—four birds each, $10 entrance fee. Following is the score:

C. M. Hedden	1110
Sam Castle	1111—11111111111
Class	1110
Williams	1111—11111110
C. B. Hedden	1101
C. Smith	1110
Forrest	1111—11111111111
Erb	0001
Green	1101
Manitz	0010
Lindsley	1110
Vogel	1100
Badgley	1111—11111111111
Leddy	1101

Four contestants, Messrs. Castle, Williams, Forrest and Badgley, shot off for first money. Williams dropped out on his eighth bird. The others then killed twelve straight each, and divided. The second and third monies were divided by the contestants. Altogether, the day was a pleasant one to all concerned, and the arrangements were perfect under the management of Mr. Al. Heritage, and the referee, Mr. Wm. Siegler of Montclair, N. J.

Druggists and High License.

A committee has been appointed by the State Pharmaceutical Association to procure a legal opinion upon the high license law as it affects the drug trade. President Cook is of the opinion that under the new law no druggist could sell liquor except exclusively by prescription, without conflicting with the law, and he strongly recommends that no druggist sell an ounce of liquor hereafter except under a regular physician's prescription. The committee has not yet reported. The opinion procured will be of great interest to the drug trade in the State.

The Ocean Grove Preachers.

The programme of the Ocean Grove preachers for the next four Sundays is as follows: July 15, morning, Dr. Vernon, of Philadelphia; July 22, Dr. H. A. Buttz; July 29, Bishop Newman; August 5, Dr. F. C. Iglehart, of Newark.

ORATORIAL ELOQUENCE AT DUNELLEN.

Awarding a Silver Medal for the Best Recitation on Temperance.

There was a large attendance at the Dunellen Presbyterian church last evening, the occasion being an elocutionary contest for a silver medal, for the best delivered recitation on Temperance. The contest was gotten up under the auspices of the National Prohibition Bureau, and the prize was offered by Mr. W. Jennings Demorest. The conditions are these:

A competing class to consist of eight or ten, but in no case less than six. The selections to be taken exclusively from the book of recitations, which can be procured for ten cents per copy.

A public meeting to be arranged, for which these recitations will form the programme, which may be interspersed with music. Three disinterested persons, of mature age, are to be chosen to act as judges, for whom suitable blanks will be furnished free. At the close of the programme, the competitor who has, by the decision of the judges, been awarded the prize, will be presented with a handsome silver medal in a satin-lined morocco case. Other classes can be formed, but all contests arranged must be for different dates.

When eight or more have obtained silver medals, these may form another class to compete for a gold medal under the same conditions. And again, eight or more having received gold medals, may, in the same manner, enter into a contest for a larger gold medal. And in like manner, eight or more holding this larger gold medal may compete for a "diamond medal," which is a handsome gold medal set with diamonds. At each contest the speakers are to learn new pieces.

No one holding a medal shall compete the second time for the same kind of medal. Those who win silver medals may compete twice for the first gold medal, but only one trial will be allowed contestants for the large gold and the diamond medals.

To give all young people an opportunity to compete for these honorable trophies, boys or girls in any school, public or private, Sunday or Secular, Band of Hope, Loyal Temperance Legion, Juvenile Temple, Section of Cadets, or other institution for the young, either singly or in connection with others, can arrange for one or more contests.

As soon as a class has been formed, and the date fixed, notice should be sent to the office, and the medal will be forwarded, so as to be presented at the time of the contest.

Pastors, parents, teachers, officers and members of the W. C. T. U., leaders of temperance and religious organizations, and all others interested in the young, are kindly invited to get up these contests, co-operate in this movement, and encourage the children under their direction or control to learn the pieces and participate in the competitions.

The speaker receiving the highest percentage for voice, articulation, gesture, memory and general effect, is awarded a beautiful medal, nicely inscribed, and is then entitled to compete in the second contest of a series for a gold medal.

There were seven speakers in last evening's contest, namely: Jennie Runyon, Estelle Fulton, Ella Fisher, Joseph Kelley, William Leech, Meta Walters and Lottie Tinsman, all residents of Dunellen. The judges were Mrs. Geo. F. Opdyke, President of the W. C. T. U. of this city, Mrs. J. King, and a gentleman from New York city. Mrs. Charlotte F. Woodbury presided, and the speakers were announced by numbers in the above order.

The young lady to whom the judges awarded the prize was Miss Ella Fisher, who possesses a truly remarkably clear and distinct voice. Her gestures were good and her delivery above the average. Miss Estelle Fulton is also worthy of honorable mention, she receiving the next highest percentage.

The exercises were interspersed with good music, led by Freeholder Vanderbeek, and included also a recitation by Miss Rosa N. Haas, of New York city, who has already been successful in two contests, winning both the silver and gold medals. Miss Marie Conrad of New York also gave a pleasing recitation entitled "Warden Keep a Place for Me."

A movement is on foot to have a similar contest in this city, and Mrs. Geo. F. Opdyke is making the necessary arrangements with that end in view.

Wreck On the Central.

A coal train was thrown from the track at Phillipsburg, Wednesday morning, on the Jersey Central Railroad. The street bridge over the railroad was wrecked, together with two passenger and four coal cars and an engine. Travel was blocked for five hours. The man it is said, who left the switch open, attends five switches and the crossing at the depot. He disappeared after the accident. The crossing man was discharged some time ago to curtail expenses, and his duties devolved upon the switchman.

The Next Eclipse.

The next eclipse of the moon will occur on the night of July 22, Sunday, and will be more interesting than the one of January 28. The diameter of the earth's shadow will be much larger at that time in proportion to the diameter of the moon, darkening the surface more fully. It will take place at midnight, when the moon will be higher in the heavens, and will be visible in this section.

—Seven of the members of the City Republican Executive Committee met in the Republican Association room last evening, but transacted no business for publication.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

BANQUETED BY AN EMPEROR.

Diplomats Entertained for the First Time by Germany's New Ruler.

BERLIN, July 13.—The Emperor on the eve of his departure for Russia, gave a grand state banquet last night to the members of the diplomatic world. Every foreign power represented in Berlin had its ambassador or minister present.

It was the first state banquet given by the sovereign since his accession to the throne, and his first reception of the foreign representatives as a body. The Emperor was gracious in his bearing to all and made a very favorable impression.

Prince Bismarck was absent. He left Berlin this morning for Friedrichsruche, which disproves the persistent reports that he was to accompany the Emperor to St. Petersburg. Count Herbert von Bismarck as Minister of Foreign Affairs and all the leading members of the ministry were present.

All the preparations have been completed for the Emperor's early departure for Kiel, where the fleet lies at anchor ready for his embarkation. With fine weather the spectacle will be magnificent.

Republican Campaign Arrangements.

NEW YORK, July 13.—The Republican State Executive Committee, which will meet in two weeks, will have permanent headquarters at the Fifth Avenue Hotel, which will be in charge of Secretary Vrooman, who will be assisted by Messrs. Fox and Dayton, his old campaigners. It is by no means certain that the National Committee will locate at the Fifth Avenue, and it has not definitely decided as to what body or bodies will occupy the old Carlton Club house on West Twenty-fifth street. The Executive Committee appointed yesterday a sub-committee consisting of Messrs. Fassett, New and Clarkson, to select national headquarters.

It was understood that one member of the committee favors the Fifth Avenue Hotel, another prefers a private house, and the third is not committed, but will vote for headquarters that seem the most commodious and complete.

Gen. Nathan Goff, of West Virginia, and Edward McPherson, of Pennsylvania, chairman and secretary, respectively, of the Republican Congressional Committee, called on the Executive Committee in the evening, and had a protracted conference in relation to the rule in the Congressional districts and the distribution of campaign literature. Mr. McPherson will prepare the handbook for speakers and the documents which will be issued from Washington.

Napoleon Ives Indicted.

CINCINNATI, July 13.—It was ascertained today that Henry S. Ives, the New York railroad magnate, had been indicted by the Grand Jury upon charges of perjury and embezzlement. In the recent Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton election the anti-Ives crowd were successful, and became more aggressive than ever, the idea being to force Ives and his friends from any share in the road.

The charges grow out of the great deal of Ives and his associates and the suits consequent upon the subsequent fights for the control of the property. Ives, it is alleged, perjured himself in the petitions filed in the courts.

International Shooting Festival.

NEWARK, N. J., July 13.—Yesterday was the big day of the international shooting festival at the shooting park. The attendance was more than double that of any previous day.

Among the distinguished guests present were Governor Green and staff and ex-Governor Abbett. Letters of regret at their inability to be present were read from President Cleveland and Gen. Benjamin Harrison.

The shooting was very spirited and many of the marksmen received gold and silver medals. The winners of gold medals were Lewis Eggliston, D. Eggliston, Sly Tyan, F. Wiss, T. Swift, W. B. Wheeler, C. Harvey and G. Zenger.

Board of Pension Appeals.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—The following gentlemen have been appointed members of the Board of Pension Appeals as re-organized:—Col. R. T. Hill, Michigan, Chairman., Dr. Geo. Ewing, Pennsylvania, Herbert M. Casey, New York., George Baker, Kentucky, Thomas J. Gamble, New York, John A. Lacey, Missouri. Under the old law there were four boards of three members each.

Unchecked Insults to the Pope.

ROMEO, July 13.—Cardinal Rampolla will send a circular note to the Catholic powers complaining of the treatment by the Italian Government of the Vatican. He will especially refer to the anti-papal demonstrations at the recent elections and the insults to the Pope which were unchecked.

The Reply to the Proclamation.

BERLIN, July 13.—The Bundesrath has prepayed a reply to the proclamation issued by the Emperor. It expresses full sympathy with the principles he enunciated, and promises to heartily support his policy.

Gen. Sheridan Resting Easily.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 13.—Gen. Sheridan was permitted to change from his bed to a reclining chair to-day. He slept well without restlessness and showed general improvement.

Exports of Mineral Oils.

WASHINGTON, July 13.—An advance statement of the bureau of statistics shows that the total exports of mineral oils for June were $83,500,000 as against over $4,000,000 for June 1887.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

SNOW to the depth of a foot fell at Mt. Washington Wednesday afternoon.

THE Licking Mill, Covington, Ky., has signed the Amalgamated Association scale.

THE planing mill of Jordan, Frost & Co., Lewiston, Me., was burned Wednesday night. Loss, $8,000.

BURGLARS stole $2,000 worth of silver plate from the Bridgmann mansion, Louisville, Ky., Wednesday morning.

MRS. JENNIE WALTON, Louisville, Ky., was burned to death Wednesday night by the explosion of a coal oil stove.

GOVERNOR AMES' condition is much improved. He will be removed to a seaside resort as soon as possible.

CHARLES ELLMAN was arrested at Louisville Ky., Wednesday, for a murder committed at Jeffersonville, Ky., nine years ago.

JOSIAH MEDER, a prominent business man of Cincinnati, committed suicide by shooting Wednesday. An affection of the head caused the deed.

THE Dakota Democratic Convention has nominated John J. Harden for Delegate to Congress. The resolutions demand the admission of the whole of Dakota.

THE corner stone of the administration building of the Old Soldiers' and Sailors' Home, Sandusky, Ohio, was laid Wednesday by Department Commander O'Neal of the G. A. R.

A PARTY of masked men at Wytheville, Va., lynched William Smith, colored, on Wednesday night, and then riddled his body with bullets. He was charged with outraging a white woman.

A Pastor's Sad Confession.

LEOMINSTER, Mass., Suly 13.—Rev. O. D. Kimball, formerly pastor of the Baptist Church here, lately a pastor at West Newton, writes three members of the local society confessing crimes of a revolting nature. He says he has retired from the ministry forever.

Glass Workers' Scale Unchanged.

CANTON, O., July 13.—The National Convention of the American Glass Workers Association in session here, resolved to make no change in the scale of wages for the ensuing year.

Lake Shore Round House Burned.

ASHTABULA, Ohio, July 13.—The Lake Shore round house burned here last night. Eight locomotives were destroyed. Loss, $250,000.

Eight Hundred Entombed Miners.

LONDON, July 13.—Cablegrams from the Cape report a disastrous fire at the mouth of the DeBeer's diamond mine, at Kimberly. Eight hundred miners are entombed in the burning mines and it is considered certain that five hundred of the imprisoned miners have been asphyxiated.

Veteran Hotel Man Dead.

BRIDGTON, Me., July 13.—Marshall Bacon eighty years old and proprietor of the Marshall House for thirty years, died yesterday.

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Thursday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	108¾
Chic. Burl't'n & Quincy	113
Del. Lack. and West	130¾
Lake Shore	92¾
Missouri Pacific	75¾
N. J. Cent	82½
New York Central	105¾
New York Lake Erie & West	25¼
New York & New England	41½
Philadelphia & Reading	60¾
Pac. Mail	34½
St. Paul	67¾
Union Pacific	56¼
Western Union	79
Oil	82

WHEAT, 88¾; CORN, 55¾; OATS, Ungraded, mixed, 31½; FLOUR, patents, $4.60@$5.00; extra $3.50@$4.75; LARD $8.60; BUTTER, creamery, 20@21; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream 6@7½; skim, 2@4; EGGS, 18½@19.

SPORTING NOTES.

A. F. TROESCHER, and Maurice Daly and W. V. Collender are trout-fishing in Maine.

PADDY RYAN has been engaged as special policeman for a new dance hall at San Francisco.

THE ex-pool champion, J. D. Malone, is now playing second base in the local ball team at Hot Springs, Ark.

MR. C. G. WOOD, the noted English amateur runner, was married last month and has retired from active athletics.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN says he will fight anyone, but does not want any more "funny business" or arguments with small men.

H. D. WISE, of Toronto, and George W. Lee have made a match to row three miles on Toronto bay, in July, for $500 a side.

CLARKSON would never play under Anson again, and yet he made the latter his guest during the Boston-Chicago series.

CARTWRIGHT and Lew Shoenick claim to be the two heaviest men in the profession. Each is said to weigh over 260 pounds.

FOR once Anson proved a true prophet. He went back home with the team, but he didn't win 10 games as he said he would.

CRANE, of the New Yorks, was presented with a canyon of lumber at his residence in South Boston on Wednesday evening last.

GOVERNOR HILL appears to be something of Jonah to the New Yorks. Every time he goes to the Polo Grounds Mutrie's pets lose.

CATCHER MCCLOSKEY, late of Portland, has his signed with Buffalo. The club is also trying to buy short stop Allen, of the Mansfield Club.

CLARKSON pitched in all three of the games Boston won from Chicago, and when he wasn't playing he was coaching from the bench.

GEORGE BUBEAR has challenged Ross, Hosmer, Lee, Conley or McKay to a three-mile single scull race, to be rowed either in America or England for $500 or $1,000 a side.

GEORGE F. SLOSSON says that he will be ready to meet all comers, bar none, at any game on a billiard table, next fall, for any reasonable amount of money, the match to be played in New York City.

JACK HAVLIN and Frank Murphy, the English feather-weight champions, have arranged to fight for the feather-weight championship of the world, $1,000 a side, a purse of $2,000, and the Richard K. Fox diamond belt.

LITTLEWOOD, the English pedestrian, has posted a deposit to make a match with Joe Scott, champion of Australia, but Littlewood wants to walk night and day, while Scott will only walk by night, so that a match is by no means certain.

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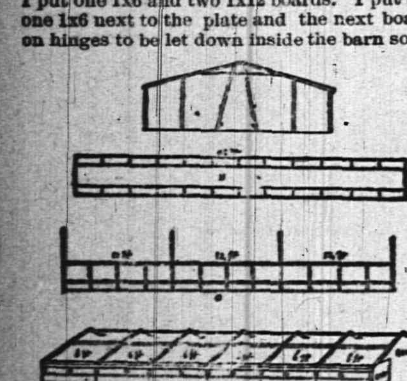
Instructions and Diagrams for the Construction of Them—Some Good Hints for Raising Colts—How the Insects Destroy in This Country—Plan for Self-Feeding Watering Trough and Model for an Umbrella Holder on a Wagon Seat.

MY cow-barn gave me great satisfaction last winter, while so many herds of cattle around me were suffering and dying from exposure to the cold. It is quite cheap, and handy and accomodates a considerable number of head. It is 21 feet wide, 36 long and 5 high on the sides. It is roofed with 12-foot boards, which makes it quite flat, but all the warmer. In this section we need protection from the wind as much as from the rain, or more, and there is but little danger of the snow getting so heavy as to break the roof down. In the centre there is a manger about four and one-half feet wide with a 10-inch feed-box four inches deep before each cow for grain. The timber used is 2x4 throughout, but where lumber is cheaper then here a heavier kind might be used. Posts are set every twelve feet to prevent the roof from sagging. I have a door at one end through which to shove feed into the manger, and large enough so I can walk right in. This door is level with the ground. At the opposite end I have three and one-half foot doors on each side to let the cows in and out. I use 2x4 for a ridge pole and 2x4 double for plates. On the sides I put one 1x6 and two 1x12 boards. I put the one 1x6 next to the plate and the next board on hinges to be let down inside the barn so as



to make an opening through which manure can be shovelled out. On the remainder of the space on the sides I put a few old boards to keep the manure from rolling into the stable. This manure banks up and makes the sides tight by the time cold weather comes in. I allow three feet space to each cow, which is plenty, and the stable thus accommodates 24 head.

My manger is about 12 inches from the ground; but if stanchions be used it could be lower. Its sides are 6-inch boards, and from each post the floor of the manger is supported by sills of the same. The stable proper has no floor. I tie the cows to the posts by ropes. I intended to batten the barn, but I find this unnecessary. For the roof I used some old lumber that had some large holes broken out, but the heat of the animals and foul air make it necessary to leave some of the doors open for ventilation, and the manger did not freeze in it last winter although the weather was very cold.

The figure shows the arrangements of posts at the end of the barn, width, 21 feet; while the other figure is a view of the inside of the barn; D, doors for throwing out manure. The third figure shows the mangers and feed-boxes, while the last shows a side view of the same.

W. C. GOULD.

Raising Colts.

THE cost of raising a colt the first four months is nothing except the loss of the use of the mare for a few weeks. When weaned the colts should be fed a few oats until grass comes the next spring. Feed just enough to keep them in a thriving condition; it is better not to wean them until they are six months old. A warm shed where colts can run at large is the best for them until they are old enough to break, which should be done when coming three years old. The colts are easy to break and any one with a little care can handle them. The cost of raising a colt is about the same as that of raising a steer. My motto is not to let a horse take cold. I feed and water regularly; do not feed too heavily; rather often; let them run out in the pasture as much as possible during the summer months, and I always have healthy horses. I never use horses when they do not act well and they generally are all right in a few days. For cuts, etc., on feet smear with hot tar.

A. H. S.

Destruction by Insects in America.

THE annual loss to protective industries in the United States caused by insects is estimated at $150,000,000. Here is a fair battle between man and another sort of earth occupiers. They are smaller, but if they can whip us, have undoubtedly as good a right to the world as we have. As civilization advances, new insects make their appearance, marching sometimes eastward but generally westward. There are few, if any, forms of vegetation that have no parasites that devour either foliage or fruit. The loss to the cotton crop is estimated at $15,000,000 a year, while that to the apple crop is not much less, and that to the potato crop at least one-half as much. But the estimate is not a fair one until into the loss is counted the time spent in fighting to secure the proportion that is saved.

For the Prevention of Accidents.

A novel exhibition, open to competition from all parts of the world, is to be held in Berlin next year, during the months of April, May and June. It is proposed to exhibit all forms of appliances designed for the saving of human beings from accidental injuries. This definition is broadly interpreted, and a very well arranged classification has been adopted. The idea of the exposition had its origin in a discussion held by the Institute for Brewing at Berlin, in 1887. It appeared that workmen were in such constant danger from moving machinery and other factors of danger in industrial establishments, that a good work might be done in inaugurating a spirit of competitive among the world of inventors in the matter of saving factory operatives from accidents.

The Prussian government has, in a practical manner, approved of the plan by giving the use of the large exhibition place in Berlin near the zoological garden, to the committee free of charge. Exhibits of all classes of articles bearing in any way on the protection or saving of life in factories will find a place in the exhibition. This is insured by the well planned classification we have already alluded to. It is too long for us to give here, but it is well worth inspection as a sample of thorough organization.

To enlarge the scope of the exhibition and to make it more useful, it is judged of importance to have manufacturers send the apparatus, or models of the same, which they may have devised for their own private use. This will prevent the affair from taking the form of a mere contest between rival dealers in life-saving machinery.

A special consular report has been issued by the United States government apropos of this interesting occasion. It is to be hoped that America will be worthily represented there.

MANY MEN.

FLOQUET is a charming after-dinner talker.

EX-PREMIER FERRY is plain, easy, blunt and original.

CLEVELAND, Whitney and Dickinson are all good ball-players.

JUDGE TOURGEE, the author, has patented a metal fence-post.

DR. MCCOSH is preparing a set of lectures on "fundamental proof."

FRANK A. HARDY claims to be the oldest fireman in the United States.

LORD SHREWSBURY has made a big thing out of his noiseless tire cabs.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY, the Hoosier poet, is quite modest and unassuming.

FRANK LESLIE, of San Francisco, has worn a silver windpipe for twenty years.

CARDINAL GIBBONS was a bishop at thirty-eight and an archbishop at forty-seven.

BISHOP O'SULLIVAN, of Mobile, was at one time sexton of a church in Jersey City.

E. P. ROE entertains guests by reading to them chapters from his forthcoming novel.

SAINT-SAENS has finished a new opera which will be produced in Paris next winter.

WILKIE COLLINS's letters are headed with a monogram in which a quill pierces the letters.

SIGNOR GIUSEPPE BALESLIA has grown 766 varieties of tea roses at his villa in Monte Periola.

BISHOP KEANE, rector of the Catholic University, was at one time a clerk in a grocery store.

WESLEY ODEY, a day laborer of East Nevada, Mo., has become a millionnaire through a windfall.

THERE is talk of celebrating the 200th anniversary of Pope's death by a festival at Twickenham.

SHAW LEFEVRE has introduced a bill in the English Parliament to prevent the gathering of wild flowers.

WOMEN'S WAYS.

SPEAKER CARLISLE's wife is 5 feet 9 inches tall.

JENNIE FLOOD has a remarkably pretty bust and throat.

THE average pay of female school-teachers in Ohio is but $212.45.

THE Duchess of Hamilton has opened a retail butter shop in Ipswich.

MISS BAYARD, of Baltimore, a niece of Secretary of State, is 6 feet tall.

GEORGE ELLIOTT never received less than $50,000 for any of her novels.

THE latest freak among the English women who go to concerts is to sit and knit.

THE Empress of Austria now takes lessons in fencing for the sake of the exercise.

THE Countess of Aberdeen, a warm friend of Ireland, always wears the shamrock.

THE Archduchess Valerie, of Austria has always had a great aversion to wedlock.

AUNT ANNIE ROUSCH, of Meigs County, Ohio, is 101 years old and has 600 descendants.

MRS. ELIZABETH SANDS, of Baltimord, Md., is ninety-nine and wont enter an elevator.

A six-year old daughter of Joseph Davis, of Wayne County, W. Va., weighs 230 pounds.

MRS. CHARLES MASON, of Fitchburg, Mass., is the author of "Do They Miss Me at Home?"

MME. OLAROVSKY, the wife of the Russian Consul, is one of the beauties of the Pacific Coast.

MRS. AUGUSTUS EVANS WILSON received $15,000 for "Infelice" before the book went to press.

A two-and-a-half-year-old daughter of Levy, the cornetist, shows extraordinary talent for music.

LAWYER CARRIE B. KILGROVE argued her first case in Orphans' Court in Philadelphia last week.

DR. MARY WILLITS is the first women to be elected a member of the Philadelphia County Medical Society.

MRS. FREDERIC CUNNINGHAM is building cheap and model tenement houses for the working people of Brookline.

THE Dowager Empress Victoria, of Germany, will reside for some months in England with her mother, Queen Victoria.

CLARA MAYER, the ingenue of the German stage, is no longer young and pretty, but is raved over by sentimental maidens.

THE Duchess of Rutland, a writer on social topics for women, is coming to America to widen her sphere of observation.

FRAU HEDWIG NIEMANN-RAABE, the renowned German actress, is small in stature, with regular features, but not beautiful.

QUEEN MARGHERITA, of Italy, is making a collection of pearls with a view to decorating, some day, the wedding-dress of her son's bride.

MRS. DR. SMITH has contributed $12,000 for the purpose of building a "play house" for the children of Newark, N. J., who have no place but the streets to play in.

FOREIGN FLASHES.

KAISER WILHELM, during his four military campaigns, performed 723 days of actual service in the field.

LUGWIG BARNEY, the German tragedian, was a bricklayer's apprentice in his boyhood and was dismissed for incapacity.

MR. AND MRS. W. E. GLADSTONE will celebrate their golden wedding July 25. She was 26 and "the grand old man" 28 when they were married.

AND now Dr. Mangold, of Kiel, is going to rescue Henry M. Stanley. The name of the man who will go to find Dr. Mangold is a mystery to be solved in the future.

MRS. ANNIE BESANT, the English radical thinker and lecturer, has a face of somewhat masculine but, every line of it indicating determination and resolute purpose.

IN Denmark most of the girls are trained in agriculture, which is there an important industry. The owners of farms receive pupils who undergo a regular training.

MME. DALENCOURT is the founder of a work in Paris known as the Society for Evangelizing Women for the Working Classes. There are about 400 women in regular attendance.

MME. VINCENT, a French woman, has saved twelve persons from drowning. A short time ago she jumped into the waves entirely dressed and rescued the twelfth, a six-year-old boy. She has seven children of her own, the youngest a baby.

THE wife of the French president is said to look not more than 22 years of age, although she is just 42. Many women would like to understand her secret of youth. The fact that she is the best dressed French woman in France may be explanatory.

On arrival the women are furnished with knitting materials, the work becoming theirs when finished. The society keeps a stock of calico, dried vegetables, etc., which, bought wholesale, are sold to the women at cost price. There are also a lending library and savings bank attached to these meetings.

A YOUNG gentleman of France, one evening after a dance, made a bet while supping that he could swallow a raw egg without breaking the shell, and he did so. A few days afterward he experienced violent pains, the doctor administered a strong emetic, the egg came back, but broken, and out sprang a young chicken.

JEM STEWART, champion boxer of Scotland, after giving an exhibition in Coatbridge recently, was attacked by two women, one of whom was his discarded wife. Stewart attempted to make off, but his wife stuck to him, and while upbraiding him for his unfaithfulness so belabored him that the police had to be called to his assistance.

NEW YORK NOTES.

A BRIDGE TO BE BUILT OVER THE HUDSON RIVER.

Interesting Events in the Career of Levi P Morton, Showing His Character in Earlier Years—New York to Have an Extra Session of the Legislature—An Interesting Divorce Suit.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Col. Thomas Lincoln Casey, of the United States Engineer Corps, has received orders from Secretary of War Whitney to call a public meeting for the purpose of having the plans for the proposed bridge across the Hudson River submitted, and of hearing any arguments which may be urged in opposition to the scheme. The new bridge will reach from Castle Point in New Jersey to about Fourteenth street in this city. Roughly measured, the distance from bulkhead at the place mentioned, is about 2,800 feet. This would be the length of the span, and it would be some 1,300 feet longer than the span on the Brooklyn Bridge, and if the end spans are to be, 1,500 feet, it would bring the first pier on this side somewhere in the neighborhood of Ninth avenue and Hudson street. The height at its lowest point, as mentioned in Senator Quay's bill, is 140 feet, and in a suspension bridge this lowest point would be where the cables leave the piers, so that it would be from the very nature of things much higher in the centre. The probable cost of such a bridge and whether such a span can be built in safety, are matters which are interesting New Yorkers just at present. It is said that all of the railroads terminating in Jersey City are interested in the passage of the bill, and it is rumored that the railroads which have for years been trying to get some plan to arrange a more convenient means of landing their passengers in the city will supply a large portion of the capital, which Mr. Lindenthall says will be $16,000,000. Some well-informed people laugh at the idea of building such a bridge at such a figure, and say it will turn out like the St. Louis Bridge that Capt. James B. Eads said could be built for $3,000,000, but which subsequently cost $13,000,000.

SINCE the nomination of Levi P. Morton to the second place on the Republican ticket there have been many misstatements published here and there about his early life. It was in Hanover and not in Concord that Mr. Morton began business. This was about forty years ago and he was then a youth of eighteen. It was long before the days of the railroad and the village was a relay station for the stage coaches which ran up the Connecticut River Valley from Boston to Montreal. There was an old-fashioned country inn where the change of horses was made and where weary travellers could rest a day and spend the night. Dartmouth College, the alma mater of Daniel Webster and Rufus Choate, was then, as now, the only attraction of the town. At the time when Mr. Morton went there, there was a big brick block known as the Tontine building. In this was the entire commercial enterprise of the village. It was just across the street from the Episcopal rectory, where the Rev. R. M. Berkeley, rector of St. Thomas's Church, lives. About two blocks away, on the street leading to the river, is the beautiful little stone church itself, which Mr. Morton has always been interested in, and which he has promised to endow with sufficient money to build a fine stone tower in memory of his first wife. The congregation of this church is small, but the Rev. Mr. Berkeley's great popularity among the students of the college fills the formerly vacant pews every Sunday, and has already secured several handsome gifts from friends of the church. Mr. Morton's promised gift has been looked forward to with pleasure by the people of Hanover, who take an unusual interest in the little Episcopal church and its kindly, whole-souled rector. Among other benefactors of the church have been Mrs. Catharine Wolfe and a sister of Mrs. Rufus Choate.

When Mr. Morton went to Hanover he had two trunks on the top of the stage, and in these were his entire worldly belongings. In fact they were not all his, but were a little stock in trade advanced by W. W. Esterbrook, a merchant of Concord. Mr. Morton went as an agent of Mr. Esterbrook, and he set up shop in a little corner of the Tontine block. Here he did a small retail business on his own account, and bought country produce on commission for the Concord firm. The farmers sold him eggs, butter and potatoes and took in exchange cloth, molasses, tea and coffee. The business was a sort of barter and few cash sales were made. The country produce was sent down to Concord by the stage coaches and by the same medium the little country merchant received in return his supplies. Finally Esterbrook failed and Mr. Morton had to suspend. One of the largest creditors of the Concord firm was a Mr. Beebe, of New York, who went up to Hanover, looked over the business and decided to set young Morton on his feet again. After a few years the young man bought out Mr. Beebe's interest and ran the business for himself profitably. He had the trade of the country for twenty miles about and did a business of $100,000 a year. It was here in his six years' stay in Hanover that Levi P. Morton laid the foundation of his fortune. Mr. Morton married his first wife from a well-to-do family in Lebanon. She was a Miss Lucy Kimball, and the old Kimball estate has been in the family for more than one hundred years. There were four daughters. The second daughter married Gen. Berdan, one of whose daughters is the wife of F. Marion Crawford, the novelist, and another is the wife of the French Ambassador to the Court of St. Petersburg. Another sister-in-alw of Mr. Morton is the wife of Col. Richard Lay, while still another is Mrs. Elizabeth Christophers Hobson, a rich widow of this city. An aunt of Mr. Morton's first wife is Mrs. Caroline Kimball Haddock, of Hanover, the widow of Prof. Charles Haddock, a nephew of Daniel Webster, for a long time Professor of Belles Lettres at Dartmouth College and formerly United States Minister to Portugal. Richard B. Kimball, the litterateur, is a brother of Mrs. Haddock.

GOVERNOR HILL has called an extra session of the Legislature much to the disgust of the politicians. While the object of the extra session is not specified, its particular purposes will be to provide an appropriation to prevent the convicts in the several State prisons from being forced into idleness after July 16, when the appropriations available to keep them at labor will be exhausted. The matter is simply one of humanity, and unless the money is voted no work can be carried on in the prisons until the next Legislature assembles. The period of six months' enforced idleness involves evils and possibly outbreaks which cannot be contemplated without a shudder. When the Legislature convenes the Governor will communicate the facts to it by message and ask for an immediate appropriation. The money is already in the treasury, but it cannot be drawn except by act of the Legislature, and the bill appropriating $500,000 for the purpose was beaten on the last day of the last session. No increase of taxation is involved. The session need last but one day if the Legislature acts promptly. It is not probable that any other subject will be brought before the Legislature by the Governor, although the terms of the proclamation are so broad as to enable him to ask legislation against Trusts or to provide for an enumeration of inhabitants. As the Assembly Chamber ceiling is being removed the room cannot be occupied, and that branch will be compelled to take up its quarters again in the Assembly parlor.

CHICAGO has heretofore held sway in the matter of divorces, but New York is fast taking second place, if not really rivalling that city. In a divorce case recently commenced a most romantic story is given and is so remarkable that I give it in full. A certain Mrs. Smith, the complainant, states that she comes of a once well-to-do family in the West. While yet a young girl she was sent to the famous convent of the Sacred Heart in Paris to complete her studies. While there both of her parents died. Following this sad news came the melancholy intelligence that her father had failed shortly before his death and that she was penniless. She had no relatives and her few friends turned against her with the tide of her bad fortune. The good nuns obtained her a place as nursery governess in the house of a Paris banker. While in that position she became acquainted with the wealthy Bedlow family, of Newport, R. I., who were spending some time in the gay capital. The Bedlows induced Mary to come with them, and for two years she travelled with her new friends through Europe. Of this period of her life Mrs. Smith speaks in the highest terms. Her heart is full of gratitude for the kindness of her friends who softened the natural hardships of her position and treated her as one of the family.

She came to New York with the Bedlows and here met, she does not say how or where, an attractive young fellow who called himself Charles Smith. He had traveled extensively, spoke English with a slightly foreign accent, for which he accounted by saying his mother was a German. Mary had saved up about $700. Her friends raised a little purse for her, gave her a simple but ample trousseau and a pretty wedding. Smith had told her that he was engaged in the restaurant business and well to do. Shortly after the honeymoon Mary found that Smith's restaurant, like Claude Melnotte's palace, was a fiction. She, however, cheerfully hand her husband her little savings and they opened a small eating-house near. Mary toiled night and day to make the venture a success. At last she broke down from overwork and her little son Charles was born.

Smith's manner to his wife during her sickness completely changed. He became morose and as she was recovering he one day, she deposes, declared that he was tired of the restaurant business, and proposed that she aid him in opening and conducting a business that was not honest. This she refused indignantly to do, whereupon Smith, she alleges, threw her to the ground and broke two of her ribs. He then, so the wife's story goes, told her that his name was not Smith, that he was a Russian and had deserted the army of the Czar to avoid court-martial. A price was fixed upon his head, and she had married a felon. He subsequently assaulted her on several occasions, she says, breaking another rib and injuring her internally. She was taken to the New York Hospital, where she hovered between life and death for weeks. Upon her recovery, through the kindness of the hospital authorities, she obtained a place as waiting maid with a family at Garden City, L. I. Here she endeavored to earn a living for herself and little one, but her health gave way and she was forced to leave.

The story sounds more like a sensational romance than an every-day truth, and it is hard to realize that such things are going on in our midst. When one reads occurrences of this kind the thought naturally comes that possibly Zola has been criticized too severely. The hard luck seemed to pursue the complainant further, for it seems she retained a lawyer to take charge of her case and that she paid him $25 as a retainer, but he pocketed the fee and neglected her case. She began the present proceedings through another attorney. Such is the woman's story as told in her affidavit. She neglects to give dates and does not exactly locate the scenes of these alleged incidents.

A STRANGE case has cropped up in the courts during the last week in which Capt. Thomas S. Copeland, of the Ninth Police Precinct, is said to be one of the heirs to something like $200,000, the principal and interest of an estate left by his mother, of which no trace was found until recently, although she died in 1871. Mrs. Phoebe Copeland was supposed, during her lifetime, to be comfortably well off, but after her death her seven children could not learn from any papers she left how her funds were disposed of, and consequently they have been searching for seventeen years for the supposed fortune. Recently Charles Reynolds Logan, an attorney, obtained information which led to believe that Mrs. Copeland left $80,000 in cash, and that it was deposited in the Dry Dock Savings Bank. If this proves correct the sum now due the heirs will reach nearly $200,000. At simple interest even the principal would be more than doubled. Mr. Logan has procured an order based on an application made by Andrew Copeland, an elder brother of the Captain, for the savings bank to produce and turn over the money deposited in the name of Mrs. Copeland or show cause why it should not do so.

A GOOD story of Mr. Morton comes from an old classmate of his who now lives in Salem, who recalled a pleasant reminiscence of his college days at Dartmouth, when he was an undergraduate and the Hon. Levi P. Morton, now candidate for the office of Vice President of the United States, was a humble tailor and dry goods dealer in Hanover, N. H. He remembers Mr. Morton as a smart, active young fellow, of barely 20, with a sharp eye to business. It had been the custom from time immemorial for members of the graduating class to order their dress suits for graduation day from a fashionable New York tailor. Learning this, young Morton put in a claim for the contract, pledging his word that the suits should equal in all respects to the best that New York could furnish. He tried his hand, and his work was so good that he received the orders of a large number of the class. Mr. Peabody remembers his suit as one of the best he ever had.

MEACHAM.

An Incident of the Convention.

NEW YORK, July 9.—Just before the Hon. Chauncey M. Depew sailed for Europe a reporter met him at a public gathering. Dr. Depew looked inquiringly at the reporter and said; "I believe I met you at my house the day I returned from the Chicago Convention?"

The reporter assented, and Dr. Depew said: "Well, that was a great gathering of people, and I don't mind telling you a story connected with the Convention," and the railroad President playfully plucked at the coat collar of the reporter, as both sought the corner of a neatly furnished room on the first floor.

"One night during the convention," began the great after-dinner orator, "while sitting in my room in the hotel with several other delegates, a hall boy knocked at the door and handed me a card. It bore the name of a man prominently identified with the Brotherhood Locomotive Firemen. Of course I wondered what he wanted to see me about and I told the boy to show him up. In a minute a great big brawny fellow, over six feet high and as straight as an Indian, stood hat in hand on the floor looking at me. His face was strikingly handsome. He appeared grieved about something. Walking over to where I sat he extended his horny hand, which I took. Then he spoke, saying: "Mr. Depew, I lost my little boy a couple of weeks ago. It was a hard blow to me. Seeing by the papers that you are being attacked because of your connection with railroads I came in here to extend you all I can afford—my sympathy. We all sympathize with you. And throwing his arms around my neck he kissed me with a resounding smack on the forehead, and standing up with a big tear in each eye said to me: "That's what the boys think of you."

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.33, 1.21, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.54, 6.40, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, a. m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 2.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 4.34, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6 58, 9 24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05., p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m.. 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m. 1.21, 2 25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton, 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.43, 6.02*, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.32, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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Ninth and Green streets, 7.30*, 8.30*, 9.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 5.30, 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 9.00, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p. m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.25, 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.35, 5.25, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.15, p. m.

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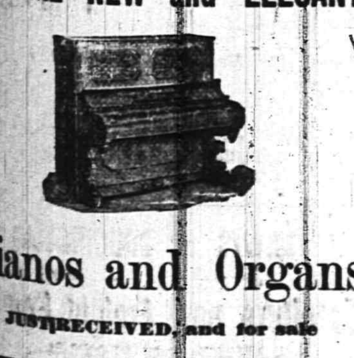

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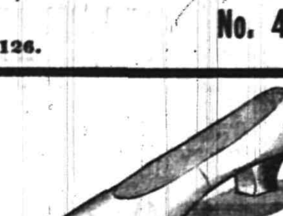

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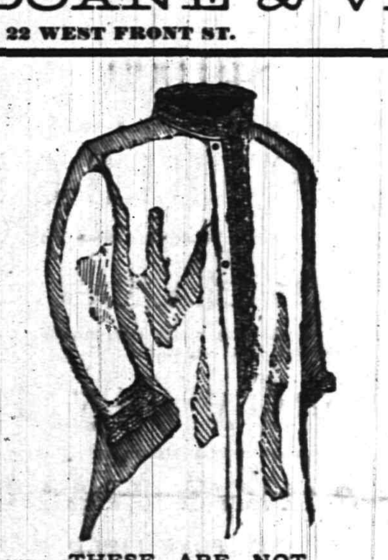

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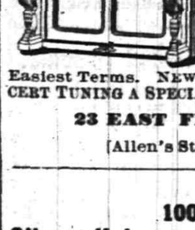

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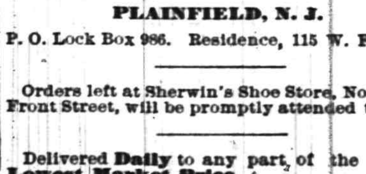

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A HOT FIGHT WITH SWORDS.

The Field of Honor the Only Remedy for the Insults Applied in Debate—The Premier's Injuries Slight—Boulanger's Condition Now Decidedly Critical.

PARIS, July 14.—As a result of the bitter and violent personalities in the Chamber of Deputies last night which resulted in Boulanger's resignation as a member and his withdrawal from the chamber amid the derisive hoots and yells of his fellow members, a duel was arranged between General Boulanger and Premier Floquet.

The contestants met at Count Dillon's estate at Neuilly-sur-Seine, at 10 o'clock in the morning. In the encounter Boulanger received a severe wound in the neck and Premier Floquet was slightly wounded in the hand, chest and foot.

The contestants, with their seconds, MM. Le Herisse and Laisaur for Boulanger and MM. Clemenceau and Perrin for Floquet, arrived at the dueling ground almost simultaneously. But little time was lost in the preliminaries, and after the men had taken their positions the duel commenced.

Both contestants were intensely excited. General Boulanger forced the fighting and made several passes at his adversary, but did not strike him. Premier Flouquet, who was pale and trembling, parried the thrusts of his adversary, but did not exhibit the skill of an expert swordsman.

In the second encounter General Boulanger made a desperate pass at M. Floquet, who thrust out his sword and held that of his adversary off.

After a short rest the men renewed the fighting, and Boulanger made a vicious thrust at Floquet, who warded it off. Instantly he made a lunge with his sword and plunged it deep in Boulanger's neck. The general staggered, threw his hands about the wound and fell into the arms of his seconds. A physician who was present bandaged his wound, immediately after which the general was placed in a carriage and driven from the field.

He was removed to the house of Count Dillon, who positively refused to allow any person to see him. The physicians gave strict orders that the General must not be disturbed on any pretense whatever, and even Count Dillon, in whose house he is staying, was forbidden to enter the room.

It was evident that Boulanger meant to kill his adversary. He fought with a desperation and determination which were inspired by hatred and a desire to be revenged for the humiliation to which he was subjected in the Chamber of Deputies last evening.

Again and again he threw himself against M. Floquet, making desperate lunges every time. Though the duel lasted but four minutes, and was terminated by the serious wound inflicted by M. Floquet, the General utilized every moment in making desperate passes at his adversary, endeavoring to bury his sword in a vital part.

In the early part of the encounter Boulanger struck his adversary on the right leg, inflicting an insignificant wound. At the same time Floquet touched the tip of one of Boulanger's fingers with his sword. In another lunge Boulanger evidently intended to plunge his sword as near the heart of his enemy as possible. He made a vicious attack on him which M. Floquet by dexterous work parried, but not until he had received a slight chest wound.

While it was generally supposed that nothing but a meeting on the field of honor could avenge the insults offered, the time and arrangements for the duel were kept secret. But few persons were therefore present at the meeting. The Ministry, however, had been informed by M. Floquet of the challenge and its acceptance, and were waiting at the Premier's residence to learn the result. When M. Floquet returned and the outcome had been learned a perfect ovation was accorded him.

The news of the duel soon spread throughthe city and crowds surged to the streets, anxious to learn how seriously Boulanger had been wounded.

The duel has resulted in alienating nearly all of Boulanger's friends. La Lanterne, which has heretofore vigorously supported him, announces that it has severed all connection with Boulangerism.

The wound in General Boulanger's neck is very serious, and the reports from his chamber are not at all favorable.

The blade made an ugly gash, tearing the flesh horribly. The wound is two and a half inches in length by half an inch in depth. The sword point of M. Floquet narrowly missed the jugular vein. Practical duellists never inflict such wounds unless they mean to kill.

The General has shown considerable restlessness, and during the night fever set in. The indications of inflammation are still apparent, and he is not out of danger.

Royal Reception to the Czar.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—The Czar and Czarina met with an enthusiastic reception at Finland, where a fleet of steamers escorted the royal yacht to Helsingboro. The university students who serenaded them were invited on board the yacht. The Czar and Czarina will return at once to meet Emperor William.

Bishop O'Farrell May be Elevated.

TORONTO, Ont., July 14.—The opinion among the Catholic prissts here is that the vacant archbishopric will be tendered to Bishop Walch of London, who will decline on account of ill health, and that then either Bishop Dowling of Petersborough or Bishop O'Farrell of Trenton, N. J., will be selected.

New Russian Commercial Harbor.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—The officials propose to utilize Keleensky Bay for commercial purposes, owing to the want of accommodation in the war harbor of Sebastopool. Large granaries and elevators for loading ships will be constructed.

Russia Not to Issue a Loan.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 14.—It is denied that the government is to issue another loan.

An Aged Lawyer Dead.

SPRINGFIELD, Mass., July 14.—Timothy M. Dewey, the oldest member of the bar in this city, died yesterday.

CHARGE AGAINST A PASTOR.

Rev. Dr. Collins Under Arrest, Accused of Assaulting a Young Girl.

CAMERON, Ind., July 14.—The pastor of the Christian Church here, Rev. Dr. A. M. Collins, is under arrest, charged with criminally assaulting May Kinegan, aged 12, on Tuesday last.

After the charge had been preferred the accused left town to avoid harsh treatment, as excitement in the place ran high. He had reached Kansas City, when officers here arrested him, and returned him to this city for trial.

The more closely the story told by the young girl is analyzed many discrepancies are discovered, and it is now thought she has made false charges. The accused gave bonds for his appearaner.

The reverend doctor is well known throughout the country as an eminent lecturer.

She Loved Him, Though a Thief.

KNOXVILLE, Tenn., July 14.—Charles Burgmann, a former street musician of Knoxville, resently went to Rome, Ga., where he joined the Salvation Army. While there he met Miss Ladell, the daughter of a prominent citizen, who fell deperately in love with him.

Burgmann finally got employment as newsboy on a railroad, and absconded with $150. He was followed and captured at Knoxville. Miss Ladell, hearing of his plight, came here, and, by paying all costs, succeeded in having the case dismissed. She then sent for Burgmann and married him.

Peace Partially Restored.

MEMPHIS, July 14.—The militia companies organized in Critendon county Ark., to put down the dominition of the negroes have partially quieted the disturbances and restored peace.

The two leading agitators, York Byers and John Davis, fled at the first hint of danger and are in Memphis.

The white men of Crawfordsville threaten them with death should they return, and it is expected that only their permanent exile will effectually restore peace in the community.

Pickpockets on a Train.

NEWARK, O., July 14.—While the passengers on train 5 of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad were asleep this morning, a gang of pickpockets went through the train and made a very successful haul.

Nearly every berth in the sleeper was visited. When the passengers awoke they discovered that their valuables were missing. When the reports were all in, it was ascertained that about $400 in money and a quantity of jewerly had been taken. The thieves escaped.

Not Guilty of Arson.

KOKOMO, Ind., July 14.—In December last the hardware store of J. C. Pickett caught fire and from it the flames spread to adjoining buildings, destroying property to the value of $700,000.

Pickett was arrested on a charge of arson, and his trial has lasted for the past two weeks. Yesterday he was adjudged not guilty and was discharged.

Murderer Potts Re-spited.

RALEIGH, N. C., July 14.—William A. Potts, sentenced to be hung at Washington, N. C., for the murder of Paul Lincke in June, 1887, attempted to commit suicide last night in his cell. To-day Gov. Scales received a telegram to the effect that a respite was necessary, Potts being in a dying condition. The Governor granted a respite until Tuesday.

The Lockout Ended.

PITTSBURG, July 14.—It is now generally conceded the iron workers' lockout is ended. Brown & Co. of the Wayne Iron Works here have signed the Amalgamated Association's schedule.

The Sharon Iron Co. of Shenango Valley also signed. This is the first break in that district.

Fatal Explosion in a Powder Mill.

CRESSWELL, Pa., July 14.—The Laflin & Rand powder mills were wrecked by an explosion yesterday. Edward Reed and George Bellman were instantly killed, and David Ranitch received injuries from which he died a few moments later. The cause of the explosion is unknown.

Hiram Atkins Resigns.

MONTPELIER, Vt., July 14.—Hiram Atkins one of the best known Democrats of this state and editor of the Montpelier Argus, resigned yesterday from the State Committee.

Because being on the National Committee he said he would be no good to the State organization.

Cowhided a Slanderer.

GANTZ, Ky., July 14.—Rev. Andrew West, pastor of the Methodist Church, was cowhided on the street here by Rev. Jordan Thomas, pastor of the Baptist Church. It is alleged that West was circulating slanders about Mrs. Thomas.

Cured Him by Breaking His Neck.

BRANDEBURY, Ky., July 14.—James Taylor, a citizen of this place, was taken suddenly ill yesterday, and was taken to the home of Aaron Norton. While there Taylor became violent, and in trying to quiet him Norton broke his neck.

The Mayor of Sligo Arrested.

DUBLIN, July 14.—Michael McHugh, mayor of Sligo and proprietor of the Sligo Champion has been arrested for violation of the Crimes Act by publishing an editorial censuring land-grabbers.

The Window Glass Scale.

PITTSBURG, July 14.—The window glass workers' scale of wages has been arranged practically on the same basis as last year. They will get the advance demanded when the price advances beyond a certain figure.

Eastern Yacht Club Cruise.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., July 14.—The Eastern Yacht Club squadron rendezvoused here to-night and started to-day on their annual cruise, going as far east as Bar Harbor. The Volunteer is one of the fleet.

Brig Caught in a Gale.

HALIFAX, N. S., July 14.—The brig Addie Bensin, from Liverpool, has arrived here bound for Bothheest, N. Y. She was caught in the recent gale and narrowly escaped destruction, losing all her sails.

Lafayette's Grandson Married.

CCINCINNATI, July 14.—Charles G. Lafayette, a grandson of Gen. Lafayette, was married to Miss Lillie Deihl, in this city, May 30. The marriage has just been made public. Lafayette is a broom maker who resides on Court street.

A QUEER LIBEL LAW.

Can a Corporation Kill a Paper Without Trial.

NO OPTION OF BOND ALLOWED

What the President of the Hartford Telegram and Officials of the Ætna Insurance Company Have to Say About Their Differences and Law Suits.

HARTFORD, July 13.—The excitement over the summary action by the Ætna Life Insurance Company, whereby, under the forms of law, the entire plant of the Hartford Telegram was seized and carried off by the City Marshall last week, still continues unabated.

Judge D. C. Birdsall, president of the Telegram Company, was seen last evening at his residence by a reporter. He said:

"The article upon which the Ætna Life Insurance Company brought action, was printed on Monday morning, July 2. It was an editorial written by myself, the facts on which it was based being gathered from an article published in the Post of the previous Saturday. These referred to the losses of the Ætna during the past six months.

"The figures seemed to me appalling and I was of the opinion that no company could sustain such losses and survive for any considerable length of time. Under that impression, I wrote the article without making any investigation as to the financial condition of the company.

"I had no desire to injure the company. I had heard that they were doing business in a reckless way; that they were giving larger commissions to their agents than other life insurance companies were, securing large bonuses on loans, and as two of our largest companies—the Charter Oak and Continental—had gone into the hands of receivers, I naturally thought that the public should be informed of the condition of this one. So I wrote the article as I would write of any corporation about whose affairs the public had a right to know.

"This condition of the Connecticut law leaves it within the power of any strong corporation to break up at will and destroy the business of an opponent to any newspaper that dares to express any criticism. Our paper has been destroyed and thirty men thrown out of employment.

"But the combination was not yet satisfied. The next day I was arrested on a criminal charge, under section 1,509 of the Statutes, for libellous publication. I went at once before Judge Henney, who fixed the bail at $500, which was promptly given. This was returnable before the Police Court on July 4, and then Assistant Judge White increased the bail to $1,500, which was furnished. The hearing is set down for next Wednesday."

Landlord Scully Ousted.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., Suty 14.—It is learned that Landlord Scully is about to sell his Illinois holdings. He owns 4,000 acres in Sangamon, 15,000 acres in Logan and 1,000 acres in McLean and other counties, in which he has for several years carried on the Irish rackredting system.

Last year two bills were introduced in the Legislature looking to the extirpation of alien Scully and his system. The measures passed after a hard fight and were at once approved by the Governor.

Under the provisions of these acts, alien land owners were bound to dispose of their realty within six years, under penalty of forfeiture, unless in the meantime they became citizens of the United States.

Scully's American representative is now preparing to sell all the land owned by him in Illinois. It comprises some of the richest farming land in the State. Scully also has enormous tracts of lands in Nebraska and Kansas, where the same system of rack renting is pursued.

Baseball Games Played Friday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT INDIANAPOLIS

New York	1	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0—4
Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	1—6
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

AT DETROIT.

Detroit	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—2
Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	1	0	1	4	0	3	0	0	0—9
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0—4
Cleveland	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	0	0—3

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	3	0	1	4	0	2	0	2	2—14
Athletics	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0—4

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	4	3	3	0	2	2	0	1	1—16
Baltimore	0	0	0	0	5	3	1	0	0—9

AT KANSAS CITY.

Brooklyn	1	4	0	0	1	1	0	1	0—8
Kansas City	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	2—6

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 13, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	41	[illegible]	Brooklyn	46	21
Detroit	39	[illegible]	St. Louis	39	21
New York	37	[illegible]	Athletic	37	25
Boston	35	[illegible]	Cincinnati	38	26
Philadelphia	29	[illegible]	Baltimore	29	34
Indianapolis	21	[illegible]	Louisville	23	41
Pittsburg	22	[illegible]	Kansas City	20	42
Washington	21	41	Cleveland	19	41

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Thursday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	109¾
Chic. Burl't'n & Quincy	114¾
Del. Lack. and West	132¾
Lake Shore	91¾
Missouri Pacific	73¾
N. J. Cent	83¾
New York Central	105¾
New York Lake Erie & West	15¾
New York & New England	42¾
Philadelphia & Reading	61¾
Pac. Mail	36¾
St. Paul	69¾
Union Pacific	55¾
Western Union	76¾
Oil	83¾

WHEAT, 87¾; CORN, 54¾; OATS, Ungraded, mixed, 35¾; FLOUR, patents, $4.60@$5.00; extra $3.50@$4.75; LARD $8.60; BUTTER, creamery, 20@21; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream, 6@7¾; skim, 2@4; Eggs, 18½@19.

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While carefully guarding the interests of the taxpayers and conforming strictly to the principles of justice and equity, this Democratic Administration has paid out more for pensions and bounties to the soldiers and sailors of the Republic than has ever been paid before during an equal period.—NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Notice of the next meeting of the Home Building & Loan Association, will be found elsewhere.

—A special meeting of No. 2 Engine Co. will be held on Monday evening next, to complete the arrangements for the forthcoming excursion.

—Janitor S. R. Hope will next month thoroughly renovate the Bryant school building, and put it in good order preparatory to the Fall opening.

—The base ball committee of the Y. M. C. A., at its last evening's meeting, took in twenty new members including Condon, Buckley and others of the city's best players.

—That popular excursion to Long Branch and Ocean Grove, that the people each year wait for, conducted by Messrs. Laing & Nelson, will leave Plainfield, Wednesday Aug., 1.

—The Somerville *Democrat* says: "Daniel Lee, a New Jersey hermit, who had lived for years in a dilapidated shanty near Plainfield, died on Monday, leaving wealth of the value of $500,000."

—An enthusiastic meeting of the Order of American Firemen was held in Firemen's Hall on Thursday evening. After the transaction of some routine business, adjournment was made for one week.

—A regular encampment of Major Anderson Post, No. 109, G. A. R., was held in the K. of P. rooms on Thursday evening. Two new members were elected, making a total membership of 34. The newly elected members will be mustered in at the next encampment.

—The *Preposterous News* has an amateur correspondent at Lake Hopatcong, who reports thepresence there of Miss Julia Ketcham whose "father is the popular pastor of the First Presbyterian church." Dr. Ketcham's daughter is not at Lake Hopatcong, nor is her name Julia.

—The Crescents have gone to Somerville, this afternoon, with the strongest team the Y. M. C. A. has ever put in the field. Nothing but an accident can prevent their winning with such a nine as Nicholson, Condon, McMurray, McCutchen, Lee, Dilts, G. Cadmus, Demarest and Doane.

—A widening lane amid the grain,
Tells where the scythe is swinging;
The morning brings on breezy wings
The sound of rifle ringing;
The piping quail on mossy rail
In tuneful numbers muster—
While Ruth and Joe to Collier's go
To buy a diamond cluster.

—It is reported that Mr. T. H. Brooks of West Seventh street, will bring a suit for damages against the Electric Light Company, to recover damages for the injuries his wife received in a recent accident on Central avenue, which was caused by the carriage coming in contact with the electric light wires.

—Hunting's Cirque-Curriculum drew a large audience again last evening. Mr. Bob Hunting, the proprietor and clown, pays our city a compliment. He says that he never met a more orderly class of people than he has in this city. Of the thousands who pass him daily at the entrance to his tent, he says he has not yet found one unruly or obstreperous person, each one quietly submitting to his dictates. Mr. Hunting himself is a thorough gentleman, likewise his performers. He will close his engagement here this evening.

—Prof. Conde's Cornet band will give an open-air concert at Caspar's Hotel, on Monday evening.

—A regular meeting of the Woman's Relief Corps, No. 10, was held in Winfield Scott Post room, last evening.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The Asbury Park papers locate Mr. S. A. Wallace of this city at the Carlton Hotel, Asbury Park.

Miss Ella Quick of Brooklyn, is spending her vacation very pleasantly, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Winckler, of North Plainfield.

Judge George P. Suydam was seen on the streets yesterday behind a handsome team of cream-colored horses, which he recently purchased.

Mrs Edward Winter and little daughter, Helen, of East Fifth street, are absent from the city for a few weeks, visiting friends in Brooklyn.

Mr. J. L. VanNeste of East Second street, leaves for the West today, and during a trip of three weeks will combine business with pleasure.

Mr. Francis Bernard, of Harmony street, North Plainfield, is today celebrating his 81st birthday. Although advanced in years, Mr. Bernard is yet active and enjoys good health.

The body of Edward Anderson, formerly of Westfield, who died in California recently, arrived at Hoboken, yesterday. The funeral services were held at the residence of the deceased's aunt, 33 Eighth street, that city, at noon today.

A cablegram has been received from Mr. Mulford Estil, who sailed for Europe in company with Mr. John M. Crane on the 4th instant, announcing their safe arrival at Queenstown, on Thursday morning. The voyage over was very pleasant and the weather was delightful.

Mr. Chas. E. Doane of East Fourth street has recently had erected in his pigeon lofts, an electrical contrivance which connects with his bedroom, and rings an alarm in case a carrier pigeon arrives at the loft after dark. By this method Mr. Doane can get the accurate time the bird arrives.

Mrs. Wm. Taylor and daughter, of East Fifth street, have returned from Sea Girt, and next week they will go to Pennsylvania for the remainder of the season. Mrs. Taylor met with a loss upon her arrival at Sea Girt. A passing train struck her trunk, which was standing on the depot platform, and knocked it into kindling wood. The contents were strewn along the track, and torn into shreads. A box of valuable jewels was obliterated. The Central railroad officials acted honorably, by adjusting Mrs. Taylor's loss.

Reform Hall Meetings.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS.—The ladies of the W. C. T. U., having canceled their contract at Reform will not hold their usual Sunday services there; but the Reform Club will endeavor to keep up the regular services every Sunday at 4 o'clock in the afternoon. Mr. James McGee will conduct the Sunday afternoon services tomorrow. The usual morning prayer meeting will also be continued at 9:15 A. M. All are most cordially and earnestly invited to both of these meetings. Mr. A. Vanderbeek will take charge of the singing. EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE, P. R. C.

July 14, 1888.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Cutter's Hall, "Lord's Day, 11 A. M.—"The Memory Feast." 2:30 P. M.—Bible Class. 7:30 P. M.—"Modern Naamaas, or People Who Still Hate Water." All who are not Christians cordially welcomed.

In the Trinity Reformed church the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck, will preach to-morrow at both services, 10:30 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. The subject in the evening will be "Intermediate Failures and Final Triumphs."

A Coachman Injured.

Dennis Kilbride, a coachman in the employ of Mr. J. W. Murray of Central avenue, received painful injuries by being kicked by a horse a few days ago. Mr. Kilbride was about the stable attending to his duties as usual, when he was kicked in the face and knocked down. The injured man was then trampled upon, receiving additional wounds on his legs and arms. He was taken to his home on West Fourth street, and Dr. Boone dressed the wounds.

To Shoot a Return Match.

On Tuesday of next week a team of ten men from the Middlesex Gun Club will shoot a return match with a team of ten men from the Trenton Gun Club. The contest will take place at Trenton. The first match shot in this city, some time since, was a victory for the Middlesex Gun Club, and we bespeak for them a victory on Tuesday next.

Bathing All Day.

In spite of Emperor Bradley's proclamation that bathing suits at Asbury Park hereafter can only be occupied one hour, Mr. Ross at the Ocean Grove pavilion promises that all who accompany the Warren Mission excursion from Plainfield, next Friday, can have suits and bath houses all day, if they like, at 25 cents for each person, as usual.

Beat Again.

"The only paper published in this section that possesses a Telegraphic News Franchise," was left again, yesterday. THE PRESS published the special cable news of the Boulanger-Floquet duel in its issue of yesterday afternoon, but the *Slumbering News* had never a word.

THE CITY'S FIRE DEPARTMENT.

Chief Engineer Doane's Report of Its Assets, Its Appurtenances, Its Liabilities and Its Needs—A Recapitulation of Its Resources, Membership and Availability.

To the Honorable the Common Council of the City of Plainfield:

GENTLEMEN:—I have the honor to herewith present my report of the condition of the Fire Department of the City of Plainfield.

The property of the Department consists of two engine houses, one hook and ladder house, bell tower, with alarm bell weighing 2,500 pounds, one third sized Amoskeag Steam Fire Engine, double pump, one third sized Amoskeag Steam Fire Engine, single pump, one hand fire engine, 2 four-wheeled hose carriages, 2 two-wheeled hose carts, one hook and ladder truck, twenty-three hundred and fifty feet of rubber hose, sixteen hundred and fifty feet of cotton hose, and twenty-one fire wells located as follows:

Fourth and Washington streets, gas tanks.

Front and Richmond streets, seventeen feet deep, seven feet four inches water.

Second and Washington streets, nineteen feet deep, six feet six inches water.

Second and Madison avenue, twenty-two feet eight inches deep, six feet one inch water.

Third and Liberty streets, twenty feet eight inches deep, six feet seven inches water.

Fourth and New streets, twenty-one feet deep, eight feet six inches water.

Fifth and Richmond streets, fourteen feet deep, ten feet water.

Fifth and Park avenue, eighteen feet six inches deep, six feet five inches water.

Fifth and Madison avenue, seventeen feet seven inches deep, six feet five inches water.

Sixth and Liberty streets, twenty feet eight inches deep, seven feet one inch water.

Seventh and Franklin place, fifteen feet deep, eight feet six inches water.

Seventh and Broadway, twenty-one feet deep, eight feet water.

Seventh and Union streets, twenty-one feet seven inches deep, seven feet water.

Seventh and Central avenue, eighteen feet nine inches deep, six feet nine inches water.

Seventh and Spooner avenue, nineteen feet two inches deep, six feet two inches water.

Ninth and Central avenue, twenty feet two inches deep, eight feet eight inches water.

Webster place and Broadway, seventeen feet deep, eleven feet four inches water.

Second street and Park avenue, twenty feet deep, eight feet two inches water.

Crescent avenue and First place, twenty-one feet nine inches deep, eight feet nine inches water.

South Second street and Muhlenberg avenue, eighteen feet seven inches deep, eight feet five inches water.

Fourth and Washington streets, thirteen feet six inches deep, six feet four inches water.

The manual force of the department consists of Chief, First and Second Assistant Engineers and 118 other officers and men.

The house occupied by the Alert Hose Company is rented by the Department at an annual rental of $275.

All of the houses need some repairs, and especially that occupied by Engine Company No. 2, which needs a general overhauling.

The bell tower is in need of some repairs and an entirely new speaking-tube.

Nineteen hundred feet of the rubber hose is in good condition, eight hundred and fifty feet of cotton hose in fair condition, and four hundred and fifty feet of rubber hose, and eight hundred feet of cotton hose have been condemned.

The fire engines are in good order, one of the hose carriages is worthless, the truck needs a new forty foot ladder, and the extension ladder also needs repairing.

Horses have been placed in the two engine houses, truck house and Alert Hose house at the rate of $8.33⅓ per horse per month, with drivers, and would recommend the continuance of this arrangement for the balance of the year.

I would suggest the immediate purchase of not less than 1,500 feet of hose, and herewith present bids therefore from several parties and recommend the acceptance of the D. A. Woodhouse Manufacturing Company's bid in accordance with their proposition.

The fire well on the corner of Second street and Madison avenue is almost useless on account of quicksand, and I would recommend that a well be placed in the vicinity of the electric light station, as the Electric Light Company will agree to connect their pump to such well by a four inch iron pipe at their own expense.

The well at the intersection of South Third street and Muhlenberg avenue is also in bad condition and should have immediate attention. Its present condition leaves a large territory entirely unprotected.

I would recommend that a well be placed South of the Pond Tool works.

I would recommend a system of fire alarm boxes throughout the city, and also that the city be divided into fire districts. Telephones should be placed in the houses of the Chief and Assistant Engineers, so that they shall be in communication with the different companies.

I would recommend the sale of all condemned hose, old iron, brass, and useless apparatus.

Respectfully submitted,
T. O. DOANE, C. E.,
Plainfield Fire Dept.

Plainfield, June 30, 1888.

WESTFIELD.

(The PRESS is for sale by W. W. French.)

The Congregational and Methodist Sunday schools went on an excursion to Lake Hopatcong on Wednesday. The two schools comfortably filled eight cars. The day at the lake was a most delightful one, and the fishing was excellent.

The new brick store and dwelling house of Mr. Patrick Traynor at the corner of Broad and Elm streets, is nearing completion, and will be ready for occupancy in the course of a few weeks.

WE HAPPEN TO HAVE

LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

WE ARE RUNYON & CO., AND OUR BUSINESS IS FURNITURE.

NEW STYLISH GOODS!

YES; that's just what they are, by prudent buying and marking our goods at Low prices, we have closed out the Summer stock so close that we have but little old goods to run off. But we can offer our patrons extra inducements in new Fresh Goods just bought at greatly reduced prices, on account of the lateness of the season. For instance, we have just opened a

BRAND-NEW lot of handsome new styles, first quality of Satteens, at 20c., the 25c grade; elegant 36in. Batiste, at 12½c; pretty Punjab Percales, 36in. wide, at 15c; Simpson's 3-4 Batiste, at 7c. New Windsor Foulards, 36in. wide, at 9c; light Merimack Prints, at 6c; Wool Challies, 16c. Full line White Goods at Low Prices. White, All-Wool Jerseys, Silk Braided, at $2 50, worth $3 00.

PARASOLS at Reduced Prices. A new lot of very handsome Hamburg Flouncings, at $1 00, worth $1 25; at $1 35, worth $1 50; at $1 50, worth $1 75; at $2 50, worth $3 00. A full line of White and Colored

ALBATROS, at 49c to 55c; White and Colored Surah Silks, and Morie Silks, Sash and Fancy Ribbons, "Foster" and "Harris" Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Mits. Thompson's and "C. P." Corsets, etc.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE.*

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. EDSALL'S.
5-18-tf

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—7.30, 8.50, 11.45 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m

SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window. Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 12, 1888.

Anderson, F. W.	Langford, Mrs. Crissie
Anderson, Mrs. Mary	Laucluli, Mlle. M.
Adair, Wm.	Lazier, A. F.
Angie, D. A. (2)	Leonard, Mrs. Henry
Apgar, Miss Emma	Marsh, Chas. A.
Brokaw, E. B.	Manning, Miss Lizzie A.
Brown, Emma S.	McLaughlin, Miss Katie
Bunn, Mrs. Nellie	McGrath, Miss Mary
Bostwick, Miss Martha	Morisy, Miss Mary
Bailey, Miss M.	McCauly, Mary
Bull, Mrs. Benj.	Moore, Mrs. Alla
Baum, J. H.	Murray, Mrs. Annie
Burns, Mary	Moore, Miss Annie A.
Benton, Mrs. Lewis (2)	Norris, Fred
Boyle Katie L.	Nolan, J. H.
Chamberlain, William	Platt, Charles
Clark, Mrs. Katie	Proctor, Mrs. Francis B.
Delano, Mrs. H. C.	Pound, Mrs. Jennie
Douglas, Frank E.	Randolph, Edward
Delainy, Mary	Reynolds, Mrs. Lizzie
Dobbs, Mrs. Barbara	Ralph, John
Davis, Mr. J. H.	Sephas, Miss Eliza Jane
Dater, Mr. & Mrs. Hiram R.	Saltus, F. H.
Ferguson, Dr.	Sulivan, Miss Kate
Fleurie, Edward	Stevens, Maggie
Flippin, Linward	Sharott, Mrs Maggie
Fleming, Andrew S.	Stockwell, Wm.
Fruen, Mrs. H.	Scribner, Isaac W.
Foster, H.	Slaight, Henry S.
Graves, Miss Ella	Stephenson, J. H.
Hoyt, Mrs. E. F.	Toms, Miss Annie E.
Haviland, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. D.	Whitcuff, Charles
Kubowik, Albert	Wooden, Miss Eliza A.
Lebault, Dolph	Williams, Miss May
	Williams, Miss Amelia
	Wurzenrieth, John

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

50,000 Celery Plants, best market varieties, Winter Cabbage and Greenhouse Plants, for sale at Denton's Nursery, Hillside avenue.

WANTED to purchase, a Platform Scale, capacity of about four tons. Address, with full particulars, "Scales," this office.

FOR SALE—Work Horse and Cart. Apply to Sharkey & Blimm, Grocers, E. 3d St. 7-12-tf

FOR SALE, cheap, Billiard Table, Balls, Cues, Cue Case, four chairs, and chandelier. Enquire David R. Weaver. 7-10-6

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street, N. Y. city. my20tf

MONTHLY MEETING OF THE Home Building & Loan Association

For payment of dues, will be held at Republican Headquarters, No. 12 East Front Street, on

MONDAY, JULY 16, 1888,

at 7:30 P. M. A Loan will be sold at 9 P. M. First payment for new members, $4 25 per share of $200.

S. R. STRUTHERS, Sec'y.

EXCURSION OF THE Warren Mission & Hope Chapel SUNDAY SCHOOLS TO Asbury Park & Ocean Grove, FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1888.

TICKETS, . . . $1 25
CHILDREN, (5 to 12,) . . 90c

Train leaves Plainfield 8:05, Grant avenue, 8 o'clock. 7-14-5

LAING & NELSON EXCURSION TO LONG BRANCH and OCEAN GROVE, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-td

Opening To-Night

Great Fire Insurance Sale!

$40,000

Worth of Men's, Boys' and Children's

CLOTHING!

Saved from the late Broadway, New York, fire, must be closed out in

15 DAYS,

By order of the Insurance Companies. Great Fire Insurance Sale, beginning

Saturday July 14,

1888, at 7 A. M., and to continue for 15 days, at

LAING'S HALL,

FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The appraisers for the Insurance Companies, after carefully examining the stock of Clothing considered that the same was not so badly damaged as claimed by the assured Clothing Manufacturers, and failing to agree as to the actual loss, were forced to take the stock, turn it into money, and the goods must be sold at once, in order to make a final settlement. All goods are appraised at forty cents on the dollar of manufacturer's cost; and this is all we want for them. The great Fire Insurance Sale will enable people in Plainfield and vicinity to secure their Clothing for almost nothing.

We Will Tell You Merely a Few BARGAINS:

Men's Business Suits, all to match, for.... $3.15
This suit costs to manufacture, $13.65, and if it does not suit you in every respect, or if you don't think it worth $13.65, bring it back any time inside of four days, and we will pay you $3.15.
Elegant Cheviot Suits, worth $15 00, must go for.... 4.15
Extra Fine Quality Men's Suits, tailor made 5.90
This is an elegant Suit and worth $17 00.
G. A. R.—Warranted all wool and fast color, Blue Flannel Suits, sold everywhere for $15 00, at.... 7.05
1,000 different kinds Diagonal, Worsted and Corkscrew Suits, which cost to manufacture about $20 00, we will sell for.... 8.99
Good Working Pants, worth $2 50, marked 74
We offer an elegant pair Men's Cassimere Pants, at.... 1.00
that cannot be bought elsewhere for less than $4 00.
Boys' Suits, suitable for the season, worth $6 00, at.... 1.75
Boys' Pants, worth $1 00, for.... 25
600 Dozen Suspenders, per pair.... 10

Don't fail to call and examine this stock at retail; it costs nothing to call and judge for yourself, and you will find everything just as cheap as mentioned in this circular. A chance to get such bargains will never occur again.

We reserve the right to limit purchasers as to quantity, to prevent dealers taking advantage of this sale.

Doors open from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M., during this sale. Come at all hazards—it will pay you.

LOOK FOR THE BIG SIGN, *GREAT FIRE INSURANCE SALE.*

Laing's Hall, Front St., Plainfield, N.J. 7-13-2

Jersey Milk is the People's Choice.

Put up in Bottles.

Address a postal card to

D. L. DARBY, Box 1,082, Plainfield. 5-18-y

BARGAINS! BARGAINS!

Closing out our Summer stock of MILLINERY GOODS at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Come and see at what Low Prices we can sell trimmed and untrimmed Hats. A good Shade Hat at 25c. Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Suits and Wrappers. Children's Dresses, Lace Caps. An assortment of Ladies' and Children's Aprons as low as 25c. Boys' Shirt Waists—all at very low prices. MRS. T. J. GILLIES, No. 7 Madison Ave. 6-14-m

Boarding and Furnished Rooms,

SYCAMORE STREET, opposite Bicycle Club House, and in front of Central Railroad station.

Mrs. Mary Yaeger. 6-16-y

Choice Fruits, Nuts, Oranges, Lemons, Confectionery, &c.

BANANNAS, Wholesale and Retail.

31 WEST FRONT STREET,
16 NORTH AVENUE, (Paoli's Stand.)

I would respectfully inform the citizens of Plainfield that I have stocked both the above stores with *FIRST-CLASS GOODS* and solicit a share of patronage.

LUSARDI GUATELLI. 6-18-tf

PECK'S CORNER.

LACES. LACES.
LACES.
AT PECK'S!
LACES.
LACES. LACES.

SHOT DOWN!

We will sell for a SHORT TIME,

Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " $1.70.

Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,

Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods,

A Nice Rod for the BOYS, 18cts.

Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

Ask to see the Springfield Roadster—the *SAFETY WHEEL.*

A. M. VANDERBEEK & CO.,

At 33 PARK AVE.,

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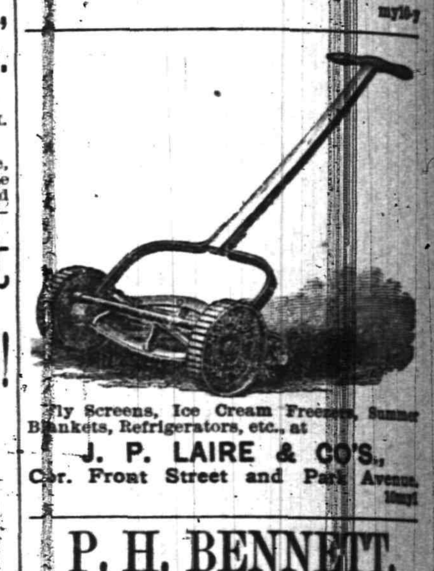
PLAINFIELD, N. J. my18-y



Fly Screens, Ice Cream Freezers, Summer Blankets, Refrigerators, etc., at

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DEALER IN

BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,

MEATS OF ALL KINDS,

Fruits and Vegetables in their Season

42 PARK AVENUE,

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Goods Delivered to any part of the city.
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IN THEIR SEASON.

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Howell & Hardy,

Fancy and Staple Groceries,

CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.

Creamery and Dairy Butter

FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,

North Avenue, Opposite Depot,

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PHILADELPHIA LAWN MOWERS

HARDWARE,

PLUMBING,

TINNING.

Have your FURNACES cleaned NOW and save money, time and inconvenience.

A. M. GRIFFEN,

13 East Front Street.

TELEPHONE CALL 8.

PETER W. McDONOUGH,

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Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES. 3-1-tf

LEWIS B. CODDINGTON,

[Successor to T. J. Carey.]

Furniture and Freight Express,

OFFICE—51 W. FRONT St.,

Nearly opposite Laing's Hotel.

LARGE COVERED VANS or TRUCKS. Goods delivered to any part of the U. S. Satisfaction guaranteed. Charges reasonable. P. O. Box 59. Piano moving a specialty. 1-1-tf

WHICH WILL YOU CHOOSE?

By their platform and their action in the House on the Mills' bill, the Democrats have shown themselves in favor of a reasonable reduction of taxation in a way which will greatly relieve the entire people, benefit all industries and increase the Commerce of the Country, thereby giving employment to a larger number of workmen and higher wages as well as cheaper living.

The Republicans have committed themselves in favor of retaining taxes as they now are upon all the necessaries of life, removing the tax from whiskey and tobacco, and destroying Foreign Commerce so that Trusts and Combines may have perfect Monopoly and levy a still larger tax upon the people.

Those who would desire a tax reduction that is at once wise and beneficial to the whole Country, will not hesitate to support the policy laid down by the President in his message.

Those who desire free whisky and taxed necessaries, the destruction of Commerce and the rule of Monopolies, Trusts and Combines, will support the Republican platform.

There is no middle ground this year.

ANOTHER VIEW OF THE GREAT ISSUE.

The Tariff-Reformer and the English Free Trader—The Negro Still a Slave to the Protectionists.

(Contributed.)

In the *North American Review* for June there is among the "Notes and Comments of that excellent magazine a short article upon "That Chinese Wall." The writer objects to that term being applied to a prohibitive tariff. As a prelude we have the ever-recurrent complaint of English gold being used to destroy our protective system.

"The American free-trader is a paid or 'honorary' political district messenger, who delivers the messages and does the errands of the English Cobden Club. When the Cobden Club takes snuff the American free-trader is forced to use his bandanna. He has a hard job at times, poor fellow, to reconcile the obvious self-interest of England and of other foreign powers to invade our markets without hindrance or toll with the equally obvious self-evident fact that such an invasion would operate to the detriment of American manufacturers, American workmen, American homes, and every development of American welfare. *It would compel the American citizen to defray all the expenses of maintaining the American governments*—municipal, State, and Federal—*all* indispensable to the maintenance of the American market—and yet give the untaxed foreigner the same advantage as the heavily taxed American therein."

The italics are our own. This then, would be the result of "English Free Trade." "It would compel the American citizen to defray all the expenses of the American Governments—Municipal, State, and National." And who but the American people are to pay the expenses of American Governments? And what in the world does England have to do with defraying the expenses of our Municipal and State governments? And by a parity of reasoning, the American people, in common with other governments must at this time be defraying the expenses of the government of free trade England. (*Irish World* please copy.) And this, then, is the whole secret of the protectionist theory in regard to the surplus. If England is paying the expenses of our government, sufficient reason for one cent postage, Blair Educational Bills, River and Harbor Bills, Aqueduct Commissions, etc. But, seriously, does Mr. Ball, Jr., really think that any one holds to the old and exploded idea that it is the exporting merchant upon whom the burden of the duty falls? In the first place, John Bull never thinks of paying it. The actual duty in cash is paid by the importer, and collected by him from the consumer, so that President Cleveland's words are as true now as they were when first uttered, that a protective duty "increases the cost of the commodity to the people by precisely the amount of that duty." It is from the pocket of the American people that this surplus finds its way; it is the American people that defray the expenses of American governments, as of right it ought to be, and as it always will be, whether we have a protective tariff, or a tariff for revenue only, or no tariff at all, or even an entirely prohibitive tariff, such as is proposed in the Republican platform.

In *Belford's Magazine* for July, Henry J. Philpott gives us some startling facts. In "A Plea for the Negro," he shows how our tariff laws have absolutely failed to provide for the Nation's ward, a regard for whose rights is claimed by the party of protection (meaning 47 per cent protection) to be one of the chief reasons for the return of that party? And yet, while protecting every other class of laborers in the country they have left the negro alone to compete with the "low pauper element of England."

"No. Look at it in any way you will; catalogue all the imaginary blessings of our present tariff system, and not a single one of them is bestowed upon the negro. His cotton is not taxed, but the shirt that was made of it is; and the iron ties that bound it, and the steel rails on which it was sent to the seaboard to await the coming of that foreign customer against whom his government aims all its commercial antagonism, and on whom it even supposes that it heaps the burden of its own support, are taxed.

"See him standing there amid the unprotected harvest of his toil! To be blamed for submitting to slavery, but to be honored as highly as any other American citizen for having made his own living without one particle of protection, bounty, subsidy or financial aid of any kind from his government, nor even any compensation for the protection or subsidizing of others at his expense. Black as he is, victimized as he is, he is a King in self-respect compared with the flock-master who robs him of his hard earnings when he comes to spend for woollen clothes a portion of what the foreigner has paid *him for* his cotton, and whose face blanches not nor blushes when he declares that, unlike the negro, he cannot, without the tariff that robs the negro, make his living in the best country ever spread under the foot of man. * *

"And which ever way you take it, what good does it bring to the negro who grows the cotton? It is all out of pocket so far as he is concerned. The black sheep is left out of the fold by the self-appointed shepherds of the flock, who argue that inability to make a living unaided and with only an even start confers the right to dictate the taxes of those who do make their own living, with not so much as an even start." M. C. S.

A Favorite Spot for Lovers.

The scholars' playground adjoining the Bryant school building on East Sixth street, seems to be a secluded and much sought for spot by lovers. Under the storm sheds there are comfortable benches, where the weary can rest and "listen to my tale of woe." Janitor Hope has heretofore only fastened the gate, through which an entrance to the grounds is made, by a hook, but the patronage is so large that he has lately been compelled to put a padlock on the gate, and pleasure seekers now have to scale the fence or remain on the outside.

Janitor Hope has been somewhat enriched by these nightly visits. A few mornings ago when he went to the school he found a costly fan and a gentleman's cane. Monday morning he found a silver half-dollar, and on Wednesday morning he found a pair of ladies' gloves. The owners can have their articles by applying to the janitor.

Jerusalem and the Crucifixion.

In the production of this panorama at Madison avenue and 59th street, New York, nothing has been spared to make it the most complete and realistic ever produced.

Its artists, Kowalsky, Picard, Bellenger, Mege, Merlot and Castel Bert, have no superiors in the line of panoramic painting, they having done the finest work on the best panoramas in Europe and America. All the latest ideas of illusion and effect are utilized.

The topography of that famous country, the beautiful city of Jerusalem, the Crucifixion, the multitudes of people in consternation and awe over the event, and the darkness that has come over the land, all combine to make this panorama by far the most important and attractive yet produced.

State Agricultural Society.

The State Fair grounds at Waverly are being put in good shape for the annual exhibition in September. The track has been leased to the Mutual Driving Associatinn for the year.

Among the improvements suggested by the building committee at a recent meeting, which were adopted, were the following: A new floor for the kennel building; a substantial fitting up of the art gallery; two new windows in the horticultural building; an addition of fifty feet to the poultry building; new beams and piers to the carriage sheds; a tier of seats in front of the grand stand; nine new box stalls; twenty single stalls along the Elizabeth road, and a new judges' stand. The whole to cost about $3,800.

The Horse Was Found.

Under the above heading the Asbury Park *Journal* on Wednesday contained the following:

'On Sunday Mr. Freeman, an extensive dealer in ice at Plainfield, hired a horse at Coward's livery, and in company with Howard Spier, drove to Long Branch, leaving the horse tied while they made a call. Michael Donahue and another man unhitched the horse and drove out in the country. On returning they turned the horse loose at Eatontown pretty well tired out. It was found and cared for by a Good Samaritan. Mr. Coward sent out searchers and found the animal on Monday. Warrants were issued for the apprehension of the lawless ones, but they have not yet been found.

Railroad Signals.

There are perhaps but few persons in the city outside of railroad men who actually know the meaning of the signals on the locomotives which pass through the city, especially at night. Two white lanterns swinging from under the engine's headlight, indicates that the train is running irregular and not on schedule time. Two green lanterns in front of the engine indicates that another train is following close in the rear. The same signals apply to the running of trains in the daytime, except that green and white flags are used instead of lanterns.

—A party of young people from the Third ward went to the circus on Thursday evening, and when they returned they were surprised to find that they had locked themselves out of doors, by springing the night latch when they left the house. A generous amount of patience and a spade sprung the fastening on a cellar window, through which an entrance was made.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

STAYNER ALSO INDICTED.

With Ives and Woodruff He is Charged with Larceny and Embezzlement.

CINCINNATI, July 14.—The Grand Jury will not make its report until late to-day, and until that time no official disclosure regarding the rumored indictment of Henry S. Ives and R. A. McDonald will be made.

It seems tolerably certain that McDonald has been indicted for perjury. He brought suit for injunction, in which he charged that the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton road was insolvent, and that the directors were about to sell their Cincinnati, Richmond and Chicago road to buy stock for their individual use.

It was shown that he had but a trifling interest in the road, if any at all, and that he had no knowledge of the financial standing of the company. As to Ives, if any indictment is found against him, it will be based on his connection with bonds of the roads which came into his possession, and the charge would be embezzlement or larceny.

The announcement that Henry S. Ives, the New York magnate, had been indicted by the Grand Jury, caused great surprise.

It has also leaked out that George H. Stayner and E. Wilson Woodroff, partners of Ives, had also been indicted, the three being charged with larceny and embezzlement. Stayner was the president, Ives vice president and Woodruff treasurer of the Cincinnati, Hamilton and Dayton at the time the crime is alleged to have been committed.

General Harrison Talks Protection.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 14.—General Harrison last evening received the railroad club, 900 strong. He addressed them on the value and heroism necessary in their calling, and then alluded to the benefits of protection.

While some might say, he declared, that the railroad business was an unprotected industry, yet he felt assured that the relations between skilled and unskilled labor are so close that one in fact is dependent on the other.

If labor is thrown out in one line then by so much the more will others be crowded.

He wanted legislation so shaped as to insure to the workingman the highest prosperity and wages which would permit a margin for the savings banks.

In conclusion, he invited the members of the club to call on him any time, assuring them he would be pleased to receive them.

Governor Hill Visits the State Camp.

STATE CAMP, PEEKSKILL, July 14.—Governor Hill paid the camp a visit yesterday. During the afternoon an exhibition was given with the Gatling guns firing 1,000 shots each minute, and the regiment was drawn up in line for dress parade and reviewed by the Governor.

Afterward the Governor and party witnessed a sham battle between the Sixty-fifth Regiment and the Fourth Provisional Battalion. The Governor returned to Albany at 7.53 o'clock.

Police to Protect the Burlington.

CHICAGO, July 14.—The Burlington managers have again called on the police for protection to property, and forty policemen have been assigned to duty in the yards. This action was made necessary by the renewal of acts of violence since the arrest of the dynamite subjects.

In the examination witnesses, were produced by the prosecution who testified to having sold dynamite to Bowles in Nashville and Westfield, Ind.

David M. Pascoe Jailed.

PHILADELPHIA, July 14.—David M. Pasco, ex-Secretary-Treasurer of the International Typographical Union has been committed to prison in default of $2,500 bail on the charge embezzlement of $2,340. Edward P. Plank the President of the union made the complaint. Pascoe claims most of the money was due him. His books are in a very bad state.

Is Texas Fever Contagious?

CHICAGO, July 14.—In response to a circular sent by Vice President Washburn, a meeting of representatives of every leading cattle industry in the country was held yesterday to devise tests to ascertain whether Texas fever was contagious to native cattle. A committee of five was appointed to have charge of the experiments.

Gold Brick Swindlers Arrested.

DAYTON, Ohio., July 14.—Three fugitives from justice, D. M. McCord, J. I. Tracey and George Brown were arrested on a railroad train to-day charged with attempting the gold brick swindle on a farmer named Hosmer, near Meadville, Pa. They had a complete outfit for bunco purposes.

The Resignation Accepted.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—The President has accepted with regrets the resignation of Gen. V. N. Lathrop, U. S. Minister to Russia to take effect August 1st.

This action on the part of Mr. Lathrop, has been caused by ill health and has been contemplated for some time.

Another Victim Dead.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—A dispatch from Charlottesville, Va., to-day says: H. C. Brightwell of Prospect who was wounded in yesterday's wreck died at the hospital here to-day.

Capt. O. P. Taylor's condition is critical.

The President Invited.

WASHINGTON, July 14.—A delegation from Pennsylvania called on the President yesterday and invited him to attend a meeting of the State Grange at Williames Grove near Harrisburg, on August 28.

Labor Parties to Unite.

CHICAGO, July 14.—The leaders of the United Labor and Union Labor parties have arranged for a meeting here August 1, when an attempt at fusion will be made.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

THE thermometer at Omaha, Neb., Thursday, registered 105 degrees in the shade.

THE American and California sugar refineries, San Francisco, have advanced sugar one half cent a pound.

THE lasters at Cole's factory, Marblehead, Mass., have struck for $2 per day, their prewages being $1.75

A reward of $1,000 is offered for the arrest of the man who assaulted Gertrude Clapp at Pittsfield, Mass.

FIFTY gravestones and monuments in the cemetary at Waltham, Mass., were overturned in the recent cyclone.

THE post office at Concord Mass., was robbed of $1,000 in money and stamps by burglars Thursday night.

ARTHUR DONAHUE, of Taunton, Mass., who was kicked in the stomach by a horse Wednesday night died of his injuries.

THE Chicago Citizens' Association has decided to furnish whatever money may be necessary to successfully prosecute the jury bribing cases.

A. M. BUNCE, proprietor of a large dairy at Wirt, La., was murdered Thursday night, and robbed of $2,000, which he had in his possession. The murderers escaped.

THE new Manitoba Legislature will stand thirty-three Liberals, five Conversatives. Ex-Premier Norquay, leader of the Conservatives was elected by a majority of two.

Mr. Moody's Summer School.

NORTHFIELD, Mass., July 14.—Mr. Moody preached to the students of his summer school last night his sermon on the six essential qualifications for Christian service, which he said were faith, courage, enthusiasm, perseverance, love for the work, and human sympathy.

Gen. S. C. Armstrong, of Hampton Institute, Va., arrived last night and addressed the students on his work and its need. T. Hudson Taylor, of London, also spoke.

The lecture of the morning was delivered by H. L. Hastings, of Boston, on the "World without a Bible." There are now eighty missionary volunteers here, twenty having decided in favor of the work within the last few days.

Fears for a Steam Yacht.

KINGSTON, Ont., July 14.—It is feared the steam yacht Verve, which left Toronto Wednesday for Kingston, was lost in the gale, with her crew of six men.

Gen. Sheridan's Condition.

NONQUITT, Mass, July 14.—Gen. Sheridan's condition shows further improvement. He continues taking solid food, but is as yet unable to sit up.

Ex-President Hayes in Boston.

BOSTON, July 14.—Ex-President Hayes has arrived in Boston from Ohio. He is president of the National Prison Reform Association, the annual convention of which opened in Tremont Temple to-day.

The Rope Parted.

BANGOR, Me., July 14.—Edward Hincks, of Orrington, 25 years of age, was drowned last evening by the parting of a rope while at work on a vessel.

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SOME of the best effects in the decoartion of textiles are produced by what is known as applique-work, and this is especially true when used in conjunction with ornamental stitchery or embroidery proper.

In beginning an important piece of embroidery it is well to have the use or place for it definitely fixed, as much of its value depends upon its being well placed.

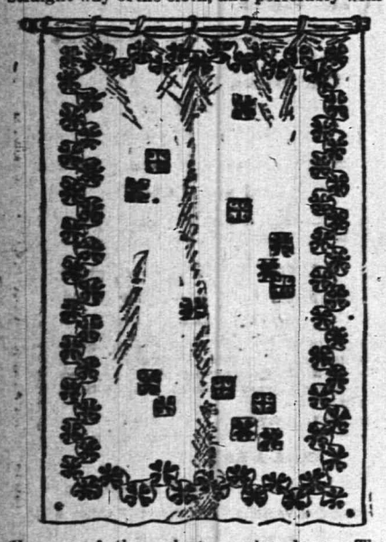
The design for the finished curtain must not be followed literally as to central ornament, the space covered by the drawing not allowing the amount of ornament necessary for an ordinary-sized portierre.

There is room for much taste and ingenuity in the arrangement of this kind of design, and in placing the forms. The forms themselves are sufficiently simple to be suitable to the plainest interior, while it is also possible to distribute them with so much grace as to produce a very rich and decorative piece of embroidery.

The particular hanging from which the design is taken is brown denim—a cotton twilled material which is strong, firm, and of good color. The applied forms are in velvet of a tawny brown or orange color. If the same materials are to be used, the breadths of denim should be stitched together, making a sufficiently long and wide piece for the hanging. It should be stretched upon a table, and the border lines ruled or basted with cotton. The perforated design can then be placed between the border lines, and an impression left upon the cloth by pouncing some white or red marking powder through it. The powder can be bought at any embroidery supply store, and used by tying a small portion in muslin and gently striking the perforated lines with the bag. Enough will pass through the perforations to leave a continuous line of design. It is necessary sometimes to fix these lines by passing a warm iron over them.

If it is not convenient to have the design perforated by machine, it can be pricked with a needle, placing the needle perforations about one-sixteenth of an inch apart, the design having been drawn on foolscap by placing it against a window glass.

When this is done a pattern must be cut of the principal form of the design; that is, the heart-shaped from which is to be applied in velvet. For the border these pieces can be cut from the length of velvet, taking care not to turn the form askew, but keeping it straight on the wrap of the fabric. This is a small but important detail, as the color of the velvet will vary in the light if it is not cut the straight way of the cloth, and perferably with



the nap of the velvet running down. The border forms fit into each other closely, so that there is very little waste in cutting. The pieces which are cut from the velvet must be lightly bruised upon the back with paste, and laid in the exact position made for them by the stamping of the design. The connecting lines and the pieces of velvet will form a continious border.

Blocks of velvet three inches square are cut. The pattern which is to be cut from the block, must be drawn with a pencil, and carefully and smoothly cut from the block with sharp pointed scissors. About half the number of blocks which are necessary for the centre of the curtain are to be prepared, as the remaining blocks are made by outline. The blocks are to be placed upon the centre space of the curtain in groups and singly, avoiding straight lines either horizontlly or perpendicularly, and changing the position until the grouping is satisfactory. When this is accomplished, take the forms which have been cut from the blocks, and supplement the groups by drawing hollow squares of the velvet blocks. Place in them the four forms cut from the blocks. When the effect is quite satisfactory, each block and form must be carefully pasted in position, and left until dry.

To prepare a piece of work of this kind properly, it is best to have it fastened to the table by pins, driven like tacks. This can very easily be done, and does not make holes in the fabric as tacks would do. After drying, the piece of work is ready for the embroidery frame. When placed in the frame, the applied forms should be carefully sewn down with a single thread of floselle the exact color of the velvet, and are then ready for couching. This may be done with floselle or coarse gold, or both, as one desires. If of silk, it should be of the tint of the velvet, but may be lighter or darker, depending upon the depth of color of the ground upon which the design is placed. If the material is dark in color, it will be necessary to use very bright silk, and probably some gold thread, to produce the right effect. If light in tone the couching silk must be correspondingly dark, to give sufficient force to the design.

In this case, if the ground is of brown denim, to get an effect from the couched lines it will be necessary to use rather a brilliant orange red, in two full strands of floselle and two threads of gold. These may be crossed with two single threads of very dark brown, the same color as the denim, but darker. The dark crossing stitches serve the purpose of throwing threads into a bead-like edging, and the gold should be so managed as to appear and disappear at short intervals, making glints of metal here and there. The connecting tracery of the border is to be done in couching, as well as the edge of the velvet forms. In the centre of the hanging the velvet blocks are to be edged with couching, and also the lines marking the open blocks.

In arrangin this design there must be no effort to enrich the ground by too much covering or ornamentation, for such an attempt would only emphasize the want of correspondence in quality between the velvet and the cotton ground. The cotton must stand for itself quite boldly, and assert itself by space, having just enough ornamentation to dignify it, but not enough to provoke comparison of quality.

Well arranged and finished, it is a most effective hanging for a hall, dining-room or living-room, and goes well in color with olive or a very dull old blue.

FASHION NOTES.

WHILE Henrietta cloth will be much worn this season by those in mourning or half mourning, and is trimmed with ribbon bands or white plush, as fancy dictates, both being very pretty.

THE corsage, according to French fashion dictates as regards the bridal robe, should never be decollete and never sleveless but as plain as is possible yet of graceful cut. Sleeves on the French bridal dress have a slight fulness at the shoulder.

LONG tulle veils of the color of the costume are worn twined gracefully about that hat which accompanies the bridesmaid's costume. Chip or leghorn are the braids most worn, although some of the drawn crape hats are exceedingly pretty and even newer.

A BEAUTIFULLY wrought robe of satin for a noble English bride, was garnished with seed pearls and gold threads. The corsage was formed of old Honiton lace and bands of wrought work. It was a sumptuous garment, but not one which we should deem suitable for a youthful bride.

THE wearing of bright colors for gloves is a fancy which hardly can be called artistic or even in good taste, and is of necessity of short life in consequence. Red kid gloves are an abomination to the eye which is imposed upon us this season—so also are those in heliotrope and deep orange color.

THE pretty fashion of shoulder capes of plush to accompany spring costumes, is one which at once appeals to the good taste of young ladies. These pretty bits of outer garments add much to the jauntiness, and also a little to the warmth of the gown of Henrietta, cashmere, or other soft stuff.

THE Robespierre redingote, with large revers opening over the chest, fastened with two rows of big buttons below the breast line and falling in straight lines from the waist, is the favorite coat of the Parisian woman. The cravat worn with this coat is of lace or gauze, and tied in a big aggressive throat bow. The sleeves are coat shaped, but not very tight, and have large turned-back gauntlet-like cuffs.

DIRECTORY styles—so called—comprising the long, full pleated shirt, with little or no drapery, or plain, full double skirts, loose blouse, or gathered waists, with gauzed or mocked yokes, and folded with sashes of the material are favored in the make up of all wash fabrics for summer gowns, as well as for the lighter wool and inexpensive silk stuffs that form the bulk of the piazza and morning dresses for midsummer wear.

THE most exquisite of bridal parasols prepared for the open air wedding, is seen at Denning's. It is of white Brussels net, both the foundation and over covering, which last is put on full from the top of the canopy to the points of the ribs of the light paragon frame. A flat of white ribbon confines the fulness of the net at the top, and a bow of the same the long handle. This parasol is not carried by the bride, but by her tallest page, who walks just a little behind her on one side, holding the filmy canopy right over her head.

IRISH laces are coming into use again. There has been some wonderful ecclesiastical lace pieces made by the art students in the Irish schools during a competitive trial for the prizes for making a set of jubilee laces as a presentation to Pope Leo III. The first prize was won by a class in the Convent of Poor Clares at Kenmare, the second by the young women students in the Metropolitan and Cork Schools of Art. The Irish lace workers of this period are producing the finest flat needle points in stitches and designs, which prove the high artistic feeling and genius of the Irish people. Many of these late Irish laces are said to rival the finest raised points of Venice or Prussia, or the filmy fineness of Chantilly or Meo.

Styles of Blouses.

Among the very many sorts and styles of blouses now worn alike by matrons, young ladies and children two makes rival each other in general favor, these are pleated blouses set into a yoke, and the Russian blouses cut in one piece. The former allows very many combinations, for instance the yoke can match the skirt and be made of any fancy material: a lace yoke is alse very pretty.

The Russian blouse is invariably trimmed with braid, which goes round the neck, and covers the fastening strap going down the side of the blouse, or as fancy dictates only on one shoulder. These blouses may be worn with all sorts of skirts, but elegant ladies only wear them with plain skirts, with a border of the same braid above the hem and a long lightly caught up dapery. The blouse material is usually silk crape, Surah or voile, the latter in bluish gray, (savon de Marseille)

or London grey, both of which highly fashionable colors are also to be had in silk. For girls from 18-12 years of age both the Russian as well as the yoke blouse are frequently cut in one piece with the connecting drapery, still the simple blouse bodice is the best, being generally made of red Surah trimmed with white silk braid, and as it suits all sorts of skirts ought not to be wanting in the wardrobe of any growing girl,

Cloth Mounted Shoes.

As regards shoes, they are oftener than ever before made of the same color, and if practical of the same material, as the dress. Bootines with patent-leather tip and English laced shoes are worn with demi-toilettes. For elaborate toilettes slippers with wraps are worn, and the Medicis slipper with straps crossed on the instep; these are made of the silk of the dress, or else of patent-leather or glazed kid. For promenades on the beach and excursions, in addition to cloth boots and those of natural-colored leather, there are deer-skin boots, very substantial, but at the same time yielding and comfortable.

WASHINGTON.

AN AUXILIARY NAVAL RESERVE FORCE WANTED.

The Coreans Improve Their Apparel—The United States Pays One-Half of the Cost of Maintaining the City—Senator Cullom has Withdrawn His Letter Indorsing Fuller's Nomination.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The report of the House Naval Committte, through Mr. Whitthorne, in favor of the bill providing for the formation of an auxiliary navy or naval reserve from the merchant vessels of the country, has just been printed, and is one of the most interesting documents issued by Uncle Sam for some time. It contains some valuable information, also, which has been collected by the committee with great pains. The bill contemplates the enrollment of a naval reserve of officers and seamen, engineers, firemen, quartermasters, and others now employed in the merchant steamers or in other nautical or aquatic pursuits, and who are American citizens. In addition to these men an enrollment is contemplated of the life-saving service, revenue marine, lighthouse service, and signal service men at coast stations in the naval reserve. They are to qualify before a Naval Board, and are to be voluntarily enrolled for five years. The annual cost of maintaining the naval reserve is estimated at $200,000. The policy in having such a fighting force to be called upon in emergencies is a new one in this country. It is a pet scheme with Admiral Porter, and endorsed by naval officers generally, and has the endorsement of the citizens of many leading cities. The most interesting feature of the report of the Naval Committee is a long history of the principal features of the system of naval reserves in different maritime countries. England, France, Germany, Italy, Russia, Austria, Spain, Sweden, Norway, Holland, Portugal, Turkey, Greece, and Japan, all have efficient reserves that are valuable auxiliaries to the fighting force of those countries. The Naval Committee will attempt to get a vote upon this bill, but it is not likely that they can succeed at this session, as the Tariff and appropriation bills are the only subjects that will receive much attention between now and adjournment.

ONE of President Cleveland's callers to-day was a little old man about five feet high, with snow-white hair and beard, and feeble with the weight of years. He was dressed in the most solemn kind of black, with a silk hat of a style long since forgotten, and about which was wound a wide mourning band. The old gentleman leaned upon the arm of a bright, active little woman, who bore quite a resemblance to him in form and feature. Although herself past 60, the lady was the old man's daughter, and she is both eyes and ears to him, for he is almost totally deaf and blind. When Congressman Chipman introduced the Rip Van Winkle to the President he told him that he was John Winchell, of Detroit, 91 years of age, a survivor of the war of 1812, and that he fought with honor as a private in the battle of Lundy's Lane. The old man has come to Washington to urge the passage of a bill to pay him arrears of his pension, which was granted to him in 1834 for a wound received in 1814, when that famous battle was fought. The queer old couple were at the Capitol later in the day, and called on Senator Palmer, who was pleased to find in the old soldier his townsman and his former instructor, when he, a callow youth, sought religious truths in the old Baptist Sunday school in Detroit. Senator Palmer assured the old man that while he perhaps wandered from the paths of strict virtue as pointed out to him fifty years ago by Mr. Winchell, he would make amends as far as possible by assisting in the passage of his bill.

THE Washington doctors say there never was a critical case more superbly managed than General Sheridan's. At one time, it is known, both pulse and respiration had stopped—he was literally a dead man. But one doctor clapped a galvanic battery to the General and the other pounded away to produce artificial respiration, and he was brought back from death to life. Gen. Sheridan was very much set upon the Nonquitt trip. He bought the cottage there nearly a year ago, and as soon as the spring opened he had a force of workmen remodelling and repairing it. He did not expect to get it finished and ready for occupancy before July 1, but he was dead set on Nonquitt all the winter and spring. As ill as he was, it tickled him that he was to go there just at the time he said he was in spite of the doctors and their long faces. He has never been seasick in his life, and so it is hoped he will not suffer now. But people who have taken that outside trip to Boston, along the Jersey and Massachusetts coasts, remember it as a frightful one. The short, cropping sea of coast navigation is infinitely worse than the long swell of mid ocean, and the Swatara is the champion roller, pitcher, and plunger in the navy. Every time she turns around, she turns bottom upward almost, and when her nose is buried in the brine her stern is generally gyrating in the air. She is a daisy. However, the doctors say she is the ship for Gen. Sheridan, and they have proved that they know what they are talking about in that case.

BENJAMIN F. SHIVELY of South Bend, Ind., bears the proud distinction of being the youngest member of the House of Representatives of the Fiftieth Congress. Mr. Shively can boast another distinguishing mark also, for he is the only man, so far as heard from, who ever left Congress to finish a college course, and promptly upon graduation returned to Washington. This is what Mr. Shively has done. Although the youngest man in the Fiftieth Congress, he was yet a member of the Forty-eighth Congress. This is a fact almost entirely overlooked by the general public, but it is a fact, nevertheless. Mr. Shively was for a few months a member of the Forty-eighth Congress, having been elected to the unexpired term of William H. Calkins, the Republican member who resigned to make his unsuccessful canvass for the Governorship of the Hoosier State. Mr. Shively was born on March 20, 1857. When he was in Congress before he was in his thirtieth year. After the Forty-eighth Congress adjourned, Mr. Shively entered the law class of the Michigan University at Ann Arbor and graduated in 1886. Then he was re-elected to Congress. He is a greenback Democrat, and before his first election his district had for a long time been represented by a Republican. It is a Democratic district now, and Mr. Shively was elected to the Fiftieth Congress as a Democrat.

A STRIKING peculiarity of Senator Daniel of Virginia is that he is rarely without a cigar. He is not always smoking, but there are few moments in the day when he does not have a cigar in his mouth. When he sits in the Senate chamber listening to a speech or following the business of the day he turns a cigar over and over in his mouth and seems to take great enjoyment from its fragrance. When not smoking his cigar Mr. Daniel chews it. He does not remove it even when engaged in conversation. After Senator Ingalls had given notice in the Senate on Thursday that he would answer Dan Voorhees' speech next week, Mr. Daniel walked up to the presiding officer's chair and had a long and animated conversation with him. Mr. Ingalls bobbed his head, pounded his desk with his fist, and seemed to be endeavoring to persuade the Virginia Senator that some statement he had made was wrong. Senator Daniel was as emphatic as Senator Ingalls, and all the time he talked his cigar was rolled about in his mouth within three inches of the Kansas Senator's nose. Roscoe Conkling was also a constant cigar chewer. He smoked moderately, but was in the habit of cutting a cigar in two, placing the big end in his mouth, and chewing for hours. Senator Daniel is the only member of the Senate to imitate Conkling in this respect.

A LONG time ago Washington entered into a partnership with Uncle Sam that has panned out beautifully. In consideration of the Government holding so much ground as that occupied by the public buildings, parks, &c., it agreed to pay one-half the cost of the city's expenses. How would New York like to have a rich partner in such a scheme, who, moreover, takes nearly all the trouble and expense of governing the town on his hands? She would jump for joy, the bells would crack with ringing, and Trinity Church would dance a fandango with the City Hall. But this lovely scheme is just what Washington enjoys. Is a pavement wanted? Put down the best. Uncle Sam must pay his scot, which is a good half. Want to organize the Fire Department? Don't spare expense—Uncle Sam can afford the best. A few trees wanted? Lay out five miles of them, and put one-half down to Uncle Sam's account. That's the way this town is run, and if anything goes wrong there are three men—Commissioners Webb, Wheatley, and Raymond—who must answer it with their heads. The beauties of an enlightened despotism are apparent in the capital of the republic. It is enough to make one abandon liberty, equality, and fraternity forever, to see how well Washington gets along with its three despots, who manage everybody and everything. The census of the city has just been completed. It shows 227,000 inhabitants, against 203,000 four years ago.

THERE are two Breckinridges in Congress—Clifton R., who is the son of the late Vice-President, and William Cabell Preston Breckinridge. But "Mr. Breckinridge" means W. C. P. invariably. Mr. Breckinridge is a handsome, gray-haired and gray-whiskered man, not unlike Mr. Blaine, although much shorter. He has the beautiful, penetrating voice of the Prestons of South Carolina, from whom he is descended—a family of no great genius, but who are all born orators. Mr. Breckinridge's particular chum is his little twelve-year-old daughter, who sticks to him like a little chestnut burr. The greatest frolic of the year to the pair is New Year's Day, when they both go visiting together. Little Miss Breckinridge wears a costumie of pure white, and her face is one broad smile of childish delight as she swings on to her father's hand. They first pay their respects to the President. Then they go to the few houses at which Mr. Breckinridge calls. The little maid gets her pocket full of candies, is petted by all the men and kissed by all the ladies, and is the happiest youngster in Washington. Her mother remonstrates mildly at this unique performance, but Mr. Breckinridge declares he will have his way about this, as he has to give it up in everything else.

IT is reported that Senator Cullom has withdrawn his letter recommmending Mr. Fuller to the Chief Justiceship. If he has, it is thought it will be very unhealthy for Senator Cullom—much more so, in fact, than for Mr. Fuller. Senator Evarts is also said to oppose Mr. Fuller. But it is a fact that the senior Senator from New York has suffered a little in credit from his queer and tortuous ways about confirmations. It is said, in short, that Senator Evarts talks two ways, that sometimes he leads people to think he is going to vote for confirmation, and then, suddenly, he flops. His course both in the rejection of ex-Solicitor-General Goode and the confirmation of Justice Lamar wasn't thought as straight as an arrow. This makes the Republicans mad as well as the Democrats.

THE father and sister of Mrs. Benjamin Harrison live in this city in a modest boarding-house opposite the dwelling that was for so many years the residence of Gen. Logan. Mrs. Harrison is the daughter of the Rev. William H. Scott, who was formerly a professor at Miami University, where he had as students under him Benjamin Harrison and many other men since risen to destinction. Mr. Scott, who has ceased preaching, is a very old man, and holds a position in the Pension Office. Gen. Herrison's son Russel is a leading citizen and ranchman residing at Bismarck. His wedding a few years ago to the daughter of Alvin Saunders of Omaha, then a colleague of Gen. Harrison in the Senate, was a noted society event. Miss Saunders was one of the most beautiful young women in Washington society.

"SECRETARY WHITNEY is a gentleman, and no mistake," say the clerks and messengers in the Navy Department, and the opinions of one's inferiors is a very good test of a man. Not only did the Secretary invite all the employees of the Navy Department out to Grasslands on the Fourth, but he had provided vehicles to take them there and a luncheon after they get there. For many of them the cost of getting out to Grasslands, which is far off the line of street cars and about five miles from the boundary, would have taken two days' wages. The Secretary, though, who is a thoughtful man, and when he makes a gift makes it generously, notified them that all would be transported free, and that they would be treated just as any other invited guests would be. Of course this pleases them. The Secretary is solid with the people under him, to his credit be it told.

THE Coreans have made some additions and improvements in their walking costumes since they have come to Washington. When Mr. Mik Chu Pak, Ambassador Extraordinary and Minister Plenipotentiary, takes a walk on breezy afternoons on the fashionable promenades, accompanied by Mr. Kut and Mr. Min, attaches, all engrande tenue, Mr. Pak wears, first, a complete dress of white. On his head is the curious Corean hat, in which Mr. Pak may boil his rice when not otherwise in use, if he chooses. Over all is a long-waisted coat, with tails that nearly sweep the ground, of blue mosquito netting, and in his hand Mr. Pak carries the kind of gingham umbrella favored by the grangers. Thus they proceed, the gingham umbrella being a sort of insignia of rank, and giving an air of magnificence to the whole. They are sad looking heathens. Life is apparently a great bore to them. But they like the American children, and know how to make frieuds with them.

Attorney-General Garland has returned to his residence in Washington from a brief visi to the lower Potomac. He is improved in health, but is still too weak to resume his duties at the department. He will probably leave the city in a day or two for Rock Enon Springs, Va.

G. D. W.

The Week's Work.

WASHINGTON, July 9.—The Tariff and Appropriation bills will occupy the House this week. The Committee on Appropriations expects to report the General Deficiency and the Fortification bills (the last of the regular appropriation bills yet to come before the House early in the week and will demand prompt action upon them. Less than a dozen pages of that part of the Tariff bill which fixes duties remain to be acted upon, but as they include the wool and woollen schedules, upon which much debate is expected, it is thought unlikely that the bill will be disposed of this week.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.[illegible] 2.30, 3.30, 3.[illegible]5, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.[illegible]0, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.[illegible]0, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.[illegible] 4.00, 5.30, 6.[illegible]0, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.[illegible] 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.25, 1.21, 2.[illegible] 2.57, 3.51, 5.[illegible]25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.[illegible] p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.[illegible] 3.30, 5.16, 5.[illegible]28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.[illegible] a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.[illegible] 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.[illegible]0, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.[illegible] p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.[illegible] a. m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.36, 6.[illegible] 8.08, 8.17, 9.[illegible]2, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.[illegible] 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.[illegible] 10.15, 11.1[illegible] a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 6.[illegible] 6.47, 8.15, 9.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.[illegible] a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.[illegible]8, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.[illegible] 4.34, 5.[illegible]2, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.35, p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

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6.58 a. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 6.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

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For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.[illegible] a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sundays—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.[illegible] a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sundays—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45*, 6.07, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.39, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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From Third and Berks streets, 8.30*, 9.[illegible] 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.[illegible] 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.25, 6.[illegible] 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.[illegible] p. m.

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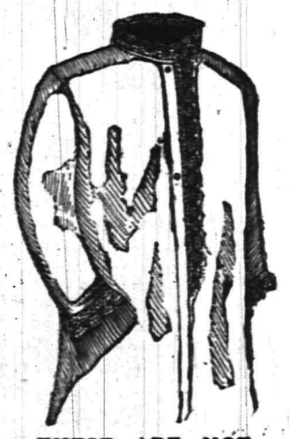

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THE POPE IS GRIEVED.

An Encyclical Letter That Made a Stir.

HE CONDEMNS BOYCOTTING.

Intense Dissatisfaction Caused Among the People of the Diocese of Dublin—Discussion of the Public Meetings Held in Ireland—His Affection for the Irish.

DUBLIN, July 16.—A papal encyclical was read yesterday in all the churches of the diocese of Dublin.

It states that the Pope was grieved to learn that meetings had been held in Ireland where-at dangerous opinions regarding his recent decree had been uttered.

The statement was made that the decree had been prepared without sufficient inquiry. On the contrary, the decree was based on the most complete information obtainable.

The Pope had held intervews with Bishops of Ireland and sent a trusted legate to Ireland to observe for himself.

The Pope reiterates his affection for the Irish. He has always urged them, says the encyclical, to keep within the bounds of justice and right. The bishops must remove the misconception regarding the decree and leave no doubt of its force.

The whole system of the plan of campaign and boycotting is condemned as unlawful. A letter written by Archbishop Walsh accompanied the encyclical, which says that the agitation referred to has now ended under the resolution of the bishops. Hope has arisen during the past few days, says the letter, that before the close of this session of Parliament provision will be made for the more urgent needs of the hour. The people may wait in peace for fuller legislation on Irish affairs during the next session.

The encyclical was dated June 24. It causes intense dissatisfaction among the people. The communists in the church at Bray were so offended that they got up and left the church during the reading of it.

McGlynn Discusses His Critics.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Dr. McGlynn spoke of "Our Plan and its Critics" at last night's meeting of the Anti-Poverty Society, and had a larger audience than usual. He devoted much more time to the critics than to the plan, and compared the malignity and misrepresentation with which he declared his society was assailed to the struggles and persecutions of the Early Christian Church.

He declared his intention of iterating his doctrines until he should accomplish the pleasing task of shaming his critics. People build monuments, he said, to the men they originally wanted to kill and to club. A man gets but little from the generation he is trying to enlighten. Humanity has got so used to the whip and the club that it actually cries out against him who tries to compass its liberation.

Then the Doctor took a philosophical view of his critics, and said he would not call them liars, with emphasis on the "call," but nobody could deprive him of the liberty of thinking. He believed in the devil, and of course the devil was opposed to his society. His Satanic Majesty has a special interest in landlords, and is very conservative when he has things about fixed to suit himself.

Mrs. Henderson Indignant.

CLEVELAND, O., July 16.—The relatives and friends of Mrs. Samuel E. Henderson are highly indignant at the insinuations in regard to the recent death of her husband at the Astor House in New York. They look upon her arrest at the time of the suicide as unjust and cruel, but are even more incensed that anybody should intimate, as a New York paper did this morning, as they learned by telegraph, that Mr. Henderson was poisoned to secure the insurance on his life.

Aside from the fact that Mrs. Henderson is a women of estimatable character and entirely above suspicion they declare there was no possible motive for the crime. The amount of insurance she will receive will but slightly offset financially the loss of a husband occupying a lucrative position, and whose family connections justified a large expectency, now cut off by his death.

Mr. Fuller's Confirmation.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—It is understood that an executive session of the Senate would have been held Friday to consider the nomination of Judge Fuller but for the extended debate on the fisheries treaty.

Senator Farwell, who is exerting himself to the utmost to secure support for the nomination among the Republicans, is now satisfied that the confirmation will be made by a majority of from four to six. In this estimate, it is said, Senator Cullom is not included.

The latter gentleman has denied the statement that he ever promised to vote for Mr. Fuller confirmation, admitting only that he spoke in praise of him when questioned by the Government.

The Ruins at Ophir Farm.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Many persons yesterday strolled along the dusty road leading to Ophir Farm, about three miles from White Plains, to view the ruins of the elegant stone mansion of Whitelaw Reid, which was destroyed by fire Saturday.

Only portion of the walls remain standing and it is thought that they will have to be pulled down if it is decided to rebuild. Portions of valuable furniture and bric-a-brac lie among the ruins, which were guarded yesterday by several of Mr. Reid's farm hands. It is understood that Mr. Reid will have plans prepared this week for a new summer residence to be erected on the same site.

Adjournment a Long Way Off.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The prospect of an adjournment of Congress seems as far off as ever and indications now point to the possible realization of Senator Edmund's prediction that Congress would not adjourn before October 1st.

Senator Allison in an interview to-day said: "Congress will not adjourn until some action is taken on the tariff. The Mills bill will hardly pass the house before July 25, and the Senate will undoubtedly take at least a month to consider a substitute. This with the delayed appropriation bills, debate on fisheries treaty and other important measures, will put adjournment a long way off."

Sullivan Wants to Fight.

BOSTON, July 16.—John L. Sullivan arrived here this morning. He announces his desire to fight Mitchell or Killrain for $525 dollars with any rules.

INDIANA'S BOY PREACHER.

A Prodigy Who Has Aroused Much Religious Excitement.

VINCENNES, Ind., July 16.—Southern Indiana has a boy preacher, Pascal Porter by name, who has stirred up considerable of a religious excitement in that part of the State. Like his parents, he is a believer in the doctrines of the Second Adventists, and is a finished Bible scholar.

His stye of declamation is not oratorical, but fervid. He advances no new ideas, but talks with such earnestness and fervor as to impress his hearers with a belief that he is engaged in the work for the good he can accomplish. Some of his utterances are marvelous for a boy of his age.

The boy dresses in knee breeches, black stockings and a suit of black. He has black eyes, black hair and weighs about seventy-five pounds. He is about four and one half feet tall. He is straight as an arrow, walks erect with great dignity and seems to feel the responsibility of his position. In common conversation he talks glibly, though somewhat boyishly. He says he expects to preach for the Lord all his life; that he intends soon to go to school and take a thorough theological course.

In the Old John Street Church.

NEW YORK, July 16.—The upper part of John street, usually so quiet on Sunday, was enlivened nearly all day yesterday by people who had come to attend the opening services of the second week of the midsummer camp-meeting of the John Street Methodist Church, which is one of the oldest churches in the United States. It was the first Methodist Episcopal Church in America, and was dedicated by Philip Embury in October, 1768, the present building having been erected in 1841.

The pastor, Rev. Wellesley W. Bowdish, conducted the services, and spoke at length upon the glorious history of the John Street Methodist Church and the bright future of usefulness before it. The church was filled by an eager congregation and twelve conversions were made at the morning service.

Thomas Harrison took charge in the afternoon, and conducted a meeting, during which many open confessions and conversions were made. During the past week 156 conversions were made.

Robert Garrett Home Again.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Robert Garrett arrived here from Europe yesterday looking the picture of health. To a reporter who called at the Brevoort House Mr. Garrett said:

"My return home was occasioned entirely by the death of my brother Harrison. I had purposed spending the autumn months shooting in Scotland, but my presence was necessary in settling up the estate of my brother.

"My return has no significance whatever in regard to the affairs of the Baltimore and Ohio Railroad, as has been reported. I am still a director in that corporation, and as a stockholder of course have a financial interest in its affairs. More than that, I have a deep interest in the success of the road entirely outside of money considerations, but I have no desire or intention at present to take upon myself any executive position."

Dillon's Friends Meet.

LONDON, July 16.—Five thousand people gathered in Hyde Park yesterday to protest against the imprisonment of John Dillon, and to express sympathy at the death of Mr. Mandeville.

It rained during the whole time of the meeting. Numerous bands of music escorted the procession to the park, where various speakers addressed the people.

It is expected that the Mandeville inquest will last for several days. Mr. William O'Brien, who was in jail with him at Tullamore, and Drs. Moorehead and Somayne have been summoned to be present at the inquest. Mr. Timothy Harrington, M.P., will represent Mr. Mandeville's relatives at the investigation.

Frightful Fall of Æronauts.

CINCINNATI, O., July 16.—Young and Williams, æronauts, gave a balloon ascension to-day from Coney Island, a pleasure resort ten miles up the river.

When about 5,000 feet above the earth, both men jumped out on a parachute. When within 500 feet of the earth, the parachute became unmanageable. The men fell headlong into the Ohio River, which is now at a great height, owing to the recent flood.

When they came to the surface boats went to the rescue and Williams was saved with great difficulty. Both men were frightfully injured and Williams may die. A crowd of more than a thousand people saw the accident and a score of women fainted.

Saxony's Duke in New York.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Prince Bernard, of Saxe-Weimer, and Duke of Saxony, in company with Baron Nordhoff, spent yesterday at Long Branch. This week the Duke will spend in sight-seeing about New York and vicinity. He does not leave America until July 21 and he expects to run over to Philadelphia during the latter part of the week.

The Duke remarked to-day that he was delighted with New York and was surprised at its magnificence and immensity. He has had a number of callers at the Fifth Avenue, and his fine physique and superb carriage attract universal attention there.

Republican Headquarters.

NEW YORK, July 16.—The Republican National Committee is having considerable trouble to find a suitable house for its headquarters, and a mansion was engaged on Fifth avenue, but when the owner learned who wanted it she raised the price $1,500, and the committee declined to pay the advance.

The members have been looking at several houses on Madison avenue, in the neighborhood of Twenty-fifth street and if they can agree upon terms they will probably locate somewhere in that vicinity.

Italy Wants All Her Rights.

ROME, July 16.—The Reforma, commenting on the appointment by the United States House of Representatives of a committee to inquire into the evasion of the Contract Labor law, with special reference to the influx of Italians into America, says the Italian Government will be on its guard to see that neither America nor any other country shall take measures contrary to international law or in opposition to the rights conferred on Italy through diplomatic relations.

Extending Education in India.

SIMLA, July 16.—The Government has adopted a resolution relative to the extension of state education in India. It is designed to replace private schools by Government institutions and to engage English specialists to supervise and enlarge technical education. Moral training will be provided for by a text book on morality based on natural religion

TRAMP BURGLAR SHOT

A Vigilant Storekeeper Quick with His Pistol.

OTHER THIEVES RUN AWAY.

A Shot and Scramble in the Dark and the Wounded Man Dying in a Hospital—Exciting Chase by Policemen After the Injured Man's Pals in the Early Morning.

NEW YORK, July 16.—The ready revolver of a vigilant storekeeper administered a quietus to a prowling burglar yesterday morning. Shot through the body and desperately wounded, the midnight marauder was taken to the Roosevelt Hospital, where his death is a matter of only a few hours.

Henry Huebener, a stalwart German, keeps a grocery store on the ground floor of No. 833 Ninth avenue, between Fifty-third and Fifty-fourth streets, in the rear of which he lives with his wife and one child. A counter runs along the north side of the store, and in the southwest corner is the door leading to the bedroom, in front of which is a large ice-chest. Along the south side of the store are piles of vegetables, crates and barrels. There are large windows without blinds on either side of the front door.

Huebener kept his store open late on Saturday night, and went to bed tired with his day's work. He slept soundly until 3.30, when he was aroused by a noise as if some one were trying the door. Jumping up, he went into the store, and looking over the top of the ice-box saw two rough-looking men flattening their faces against one of the windows, and peering into the store.

Slipping noiselessly back into the bedroom he whispered to his wife not to be frightened, and taking from under his pillow a heavy double-action revolver, went into the store in his bare feet. The men at the window had disappeared, and as he listened intently he could hear no noise.

He noticed that the fanlight over the door was open, and made up his mind to search the store. Pistol in hand he stepped behind the counter and was making his way toward the counter when a man suddenly sprang from behind a crate of vegetables on the opposite side of the store and, pointing a revolver at him, hissed, "Go back and keep quiet or I'll kill you, you——Dutchmen!"

Without an instant's hesitation Huebener raised his weapon and, taking as good aim as he could in the uncertain light, fired. With a sharp cry the intruder dropped his pistol, clapped his hand to his side and fell forward on his face. At the same moment the front door was violently burst open and two men rushed in.

Huebener could see that each carried a pistol in his hand, and finding himself thus suddenly outnumbered he prudently dropped behind the counter and beat a retreat on all fours to his bedroom, locking the door after him.

Officer Joseph Mannion, who was coming down the avenue, heard the shot, but could not tell from what direction it came. As he reached the corner of Fifty-third street he saw two men dash out of the store and run around the corner of Fifty-fourth street. He gave chase, and pursued them to Tenth avenue, where they ran through the open hallway of a tenement house and got away.

On returning to the store he found the fellow whom Huebener had shot lying unconscious on the sidewalk half-way between the store and the corner of Fifty-fourth street. A trail of blood showed that he had made a vain attempt to follow his retreating pals.

Assistance was summoned and he was carried to the Roosevelt Hospital, where it was found that Huebener's bullet had entered the left side below the heart.

The prisoner became semi-conscious at half-past 5 o'clock and talked incoherently.

He first said that he was Edward Ryan, and afterwards Thomas Kelly. He is not known by either of these names. Captain Killilea describes him as a "tramp burglar," who probably does odd jobs about the stock yards where his identity will be established.

He is a rough-looking fellow, about 24 years of age, with a smoothly-shaven face that is badly pock-marked. His revolver was evidently carried off by his two pals, for whom the police are now looking. Huebner was arrested and arraigned in the Yorkville Police Court, where he was promptly discharged by Justice O'Reilly, who shook him by the hand and congratulated him warmly on his plucky conduct.

Baseball Games Played Sunday.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	3	5	0	1	2	1	0	0	0—12
Cleveland	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	1— 7

AT LOUISVILLE.

Louisville	0	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—5
Athletics	0	0	4	1	1	4	0	1	—1

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	0	0	4	0	2	0	3	3	0—12
Baltimore	0	1	0	0	6	0	0	0	2— 9

AT KANSAS CITY.

Kansas City	2	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0—4
Brooklyn	1	0	1	0	1	0	0	2	—5

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 15, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	42	21	Brooklyn	47	22
Detroit	39	23	St. Louis	41	22
New York	37	26	Athletic	40	26
Boston	35	31	Cincinnati	38	26
Philadelphia	30	31	Baltimore	30	35
Indianapolis	22	36	Louisville	24	43
Pittsburg	23	39	Kansas City	20	42
Washington	21	42	Cleveland	20	46

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Saturday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	109¾
Chic. Burl't'n & Quincy	114¾
Del. Lack. and West	132¾
Lake Shore	91¾
Missouri Pacific	73¾
N. J. Cent	83¾
New York Central	102¾
New York Lake Erie & West	15¾
New York & New England	41¾
Philadelphia & Reading	61¾
Pac. Mail	34¾
St. Paul	69¾
Union Pacific	56¾
Western Union	78¾
Oil	83¾

WHEAT, 87¾; CORN, 54¾; OATS, Ungraded, mixed, 35¼; FLOUR, patents, $4.60@$5.00; extra $3.50@$4.15. LARD $8.60; BUTTER, creamery, 20@21; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream, 5@7¾; skim, 2@4. EGGS, 15¼@16.

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While carefully guarding the interests of the taxpayers and conforming strictly to the principles of justice and equity, this Democratic Administration has paid out more for pensions and bounties to the soldiers and sailors of the Republic than has ever been paid before during an equal period.—NATIONAL DEMOCRATIC PLATFORM.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—A visiting clergyman occupied the pulpit in Grace church, yesterday.

—The U. S. Grant Republican Club of North Plainfield, will hold a meeting in Spencer's Hall, this evening.

—An excursion from Newark to Mauch Chunk and Glen Onoko, will pass over the Central Railroad on Wedneday.

—The recently organized "Tippecanoe Club" will meet at "Gep's" headquarters on East Front street, to-morrow evening.

—The new Catholic parochial school is fast approaching completion, and will be one of the handsomest and most substantial buildings in the city.

—A man named King, who spent Friday night in the city Jail for disorderly conduct, was fined ten dollars by Judge Suydam on Saturday morning.

—The delightfully cool weather yesterday, had a tendency to increase the attendance at both the morning and evening services in the churches.

—The Atlantic Division of the American Canoeing Association are camping at Highland Beach, the new excursion resort, on the Sandy Hook Peninsula.

—The five-mile race for the championship of Union county will be held at Westfield in the latter part of the month. A large entry of bicyclers is expected.

—Strawberry picking is now ended for this year. Raspberries, huckleberries and blackberries are now on deck and present indications point to a large crop.

—The Central base ball club will play a match game with a nine from Elizabeth, on the East Front street grounds in this city on Saturday, July 28. An exciting contest is expected.

—The reason of the increased State tax rate this year is caused by the new law which gives five dollars as the appropriation for each person of school age, instead of four dollars as heretofore.

—A special meeting of Plainfield Engine Company No. 2, will be held this evening to complete the arrangements for the forthcoming excursion of the Company to Cold Spring Grove, on the East River.

—Grace church choir held a rehearsal in the church on Friday evening. The members and a few of their friends, about thirty-five in all, will go on a picnic to Boynton Beach on Friday of this week.

—It is stated that about 400 members of the G. A. R., in the State, have taken advantage of Department Commander Grubb's generous offer to pay their back dues and secure their reinstatement in the Order.

—Arrangements are making whereby the members of Crescent Division, U. R. K. of P. of this city will accompany Unity Association of Elizabeth and Elizabethport on an excursion to Riverview Park on the Hudson on Tuesday July 24th.

—Mr. H. T. Smith, the grocer, of Broadway and Fifth street, who last week made an assignment for the benefit of his creditors, has stationed Mr. S. B. Towne of Glen Cove, L. I., in the store to look after the book accounts, which are said to be quite large.

—A Front street merchant accompanied by his wife was driving in the neighborhood of New Market last evening, when the horse in turning around accidentally upset the vehicle, throwing the occupants out into the roadway. Neither of them, however, was seriously injured.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. H. S. Barnes, a former resident of this city, but now of Arlington, N. J., is visiting among friends here.

Rev. J. B. Cleaver preached four different sermons yesterday—two in Reform Hall, and two in Cutter's Hall.

Mr. T. R. Frosell of Roxborough, a suburb of Philadelphia, Pa., is the guest today of Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck.

Rev Father Stafford, assistant priest at St. Mary's church, celebrated the 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock Masses, yesterday morning.

Mr. A. R. Hartshorn, one of the obliging clerks in Mr. H. P. Reynolds' pharmacy, is spending a two weeks' vacation at Corning, N. Y.

Miss Georgie Cornell, a former resident here, but now residing in Brooklyn, spent Sunday with friends on West Fourth street, returning at noon today.

Mr. Henry Woodland presided at the organ in Trinity Reformed church, yesterday, in the absence of the regular organist, Mr. Arthur L. Titsworth.

Mr. and Mrs. George A. Chapman, of Central avenue and Eighth street, are Summering at Rye, New York state. They will return about October 1st.

Rev. Mr. West of Cranford, occupied the pulpit of the Holy Cross church, yesterday, in the absence of the pastor, Rev. T. L. Murphy, who preached in St. John's church of Elizabeth.

District Deputy, Grand Chancellor H. J. Martin of this city, will install the newly elected officers of Unity Lodge, No. 104, K. of P., on Wednesday evening, and on Thursday evening the officers of Perseverance Lodge, No. 74, will be installed.

Mr. Dudley S. Miller, head clerk in Messrs. Field & Randolph's pharmacy, and Mr. Duckworth, of Mr. Seeley Edsall's corps of efficient clerks, left town today for a two weeks' vacation, spending a week at Clinton, and the remainder of the time at Asbury Park.

Chief of Police Carey has the strongest grip on record in this city, and offenders should be careful not to get within its clutch. A testing machine that recently stood in one of the city hotels, showed by its registering dial that the Chief was many a pound stronger in his hands than any of the others who tried it.

Mr. Peter V. Weaver has disposed of his house and lot on Grove street, North Plainfield, and will take up his residence in this city. The lot has a frontage of 50 feet by 125 feet deep. Mr. John M. Schorb, Jr., was the purchaser. Mr. Weaver is negotiating for the purchase of a house and lot on Orchard place, recently erected by Mr. John Emmons.

District Deputy Grand Chancellor H. J. Martin, accompanied by G. P., Geo. H. Polhemus and G. M. of A., J. E. Flannery went to Elizabethport on Tuesday evening last and installed the newly elected officers of Harmony Lodge of that place. On the following evening the officers of Olive Branch of the same place were installed by the working team from this city.

The condition of Dr. Utter—who has been lying seriously ill for some weeks at his residence on Broadway—was so much more alarming last evening, that none of his family left him for a moment. Miss Utter's place at the Crescent Avenue organ was occupied by Mr. D. E. Davis, and Mr. I. C. Pierson of the Crescent choir, played for Mr. Davis in the M. E. church.

Announcement was made at St. Mary's church yesterday morning of the approaching marriage of Mr. Hugh McDonnell, the Sixth street liveryman, and Miss Theresa Collins. The ceremony will take place with high mass at St. Mary's church on Saturday morning next at 8:30 o'clock, Rev. Father Smyth officiating. A reception will be held at the residence of Mr. P. Lynch on Central avenue, from 8 to 12 o'clock P. M.

At her home on Liberty street, yesterday, occurred the death of Mrs. John L. Duckworth, aged twenty-five years and eleven months. The deceased was a sufferer from consumption, and had been confined to her bed for about five months past. A husband, who has been employed at the Potter Press Works for the past seven years, and three small children, survive her. The funeral will take place at St. Mary's church, to-morrow at 9 A. M. Interment will be made in Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Elizabeth.

The Claim Adjusted.

Dr. A. S. Titsworth, agent in this city for the New York Life Insurance Company, this morning paid to Mr. William H. Shotwell, administrator for the late Edmund V. Shotwell, $5,000, the amount of money for which the deceased was insured. Proof of death was furnished the company on July 2, and on the 14th instant, a check for the full amount was drawn up and forwarded to the agent here. Mr. Shotwell's policy dated back from 1869, but of late years he had received some large dividends.

The City Park.

Another step was taken on Saturday toward improving the City Park property. The high grass and weeds were mowed down, adding greatly to the appearance of the place. Yesterday the park was largely patronized by pleasure seekers. If the grounds were nicely graded and laid out with walks, and the whole enclosed with a substantial fence, the place would be an ornament to the city.

—An accurate report of the races on Saturday is crowded out of today's issue. It will appear to-morrow.

WAS HE MURDERED?

A GHASTLY FIND IN WESTFIELD.

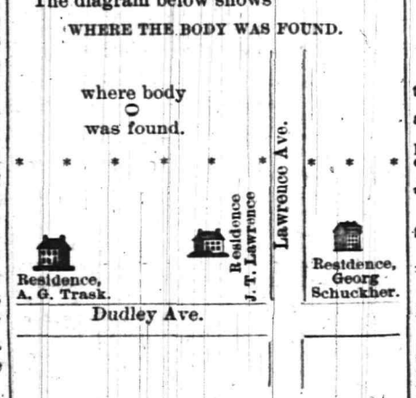
The Remains of a Man's Body With a Crushed Skull—Well Clothed and a Book of Bible Verses in a Pocket.

About four o'clock of yesterday afternoon, Messrs. William Dallas and C. M. Smith—the latter the brother of Mr. S. G. Smith of this city—were out for a walk along Lawrence avenue, Westfield. They had a dog with them, and turned into a path that ran from the avenue into a clump of woods back of Mr. A. G. Trask's residence, thinking they might come across some game for the dog's entertainment. But their success as discoverers was greater than they could have expected.

They had gone along the wood path about a distance of 200 yards, when they suddenly came upon what seemed at first a bunch of cast off clothing. A closer look disclosed the horrible fact that a dead and decomposed body was contained in the clothes. The skull was broken apart and featureless—even the jaw was loose from its sockets. The remains were beyond recognition.

The diagram below shows

WHERE THE BODY WAS FOUND.



The coat was off and lay beside the remains. No hat could be found, although a careful search was made. The body had evidently lain where found for a month or six weeks, and from its position looked as if dragged there along the path, after death. It lay upon its back, legs stretched out at full length and with the shoulders drawn up.

The body was that of a man about five feet ten inches in height. The hair on the skull was brown. The clothing consisted of a heavy blue serge coat with vest to match, and blue pants; a fine white shirt with small red stripe woven through the linen; a black silk neck scarf, and a pair of sewed shoes. It was not the clothing of a tramp.

The contents of the pockets were: a red cotton handkerchief, some Sunday school tickets, a small leather pouch containing about 75 cents in change, a moustache comb, a yale-lock key and a small book of Bible verses for each day in the year. Hardly the literature of a tramp.

The spot where the body was found was only a half-mile from the Westfield station, and County Physician Westcott was summoned from Fanwood at once to view the ghastly find. Dr. Westcott and Officer Marsh examined the body, its condition, its clothing and its surroundings. All they learned is given above. Morgue Keeper Casey was then notified to take charge of the remains.

This morning Undertaker P. Casey of this city and a reporter of THE PRESS, went to Westfield, gathered up the remains and brought them to this city to await a coroner's inquest. Dr. Westcott having a case at Elizabethport this morning, was unable to say whon the inquest would be, but probably to-morrow morning.

A closer examination of the body and clothing was made this afternoon, in preparing the remains for the jury's inspection. A clean 14½ collar of material to match the shirt, was found, also a book of printed instructions to agents, "how to sell Manual of Sexual and Creative Science."

But a mysterious thing was a half of an excursion ticket—unpunched aud with the date obliterated. It was a *return* coupon, good for passage "from New York to Westfield." But not even the ferry-master's punch had cut it. The half "to New York" was gone and undoubtedly used—but by whom? If the dead man had traveled on it would or could he have returned to Westfield without using the return coupon? Did his murderer use it to assist him in his flight?

A time table of Central R. R., trains, also found on the body, was dated May 13, 1888. This disproves the theory at first entertained that the body had lain where found since the blizzard. Then the Summer clothing evidences the season when the unknown man met his fate.

A pair of thin, black woven gloves were found in a pocket, which, with the black-silk scarf and the book of scriptural quotations, conjure up the picture of a mild and inoffensive man.

He was not killed to be robbed, and men of the meekness and placidity his dress betokens, have no vicious enemies. It seems more probable, he belonged to a class that end their struggles against a rough and cold world, with poison. The skull might have been torn apart by dogs.

—Now is the time to set out celery plants.

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DR. FLINT'S REMEDY is the only safeguard which hard drinkers have against the blunting or loss of sensation, the derangement of the sense of taste, hearing, and sight, and the stimulation of the emotions which hard drinking brings. Descriptive treatise with each bottle. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

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BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

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YES; that's just what they are, by prudent buying and marking our goods at Low prices, we have closed out the Summer stock so close that we have but little old goods to run off. But we can offer our patrons extra inducements in new Fresh Goods just bought at greatly reduced prices, on account of the lateness of the season. For instance, we have just opened a

BRAND-NEW lot of handsome new styles, first quality of Satteens, at 20c., the 25c grade; elegant 36in. Batiste, at 12½c; pretty Punjab Percales, 36in. wide, at 15c; Simpson's 3-4 Batiste, at 7c. New Windsor Foulards, 36in. wide, at 9c; light Merimack Prints, at 6c; Wool Challies, 16c. Full line White Goods at Low Prices. White, All-Wool Jerseys, Silk Braided, at $2 50, worth $3 00.

PARASOLS at Reduced Prices. A new lot of very handsome Hamburg Flouncings, at $1 00, worth $1 25; at $1 35, worth $1 50; at $1 50, worth $1 75; at $2 50, worth $3 00. A full line of White and Colored

ALBATROS, at 49c to 55c; White and Colored Surah Silks, and Morie Silks, Sash and Fancy Ribbons, "Foster" and "Harris" Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Mits. Thompson's and "C. P." Corsets, etc.

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Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 12, 1888.

Anderson, F. W.
Anderson, Mrs. Mary
Adair, Wm.
Angie, D. A. (2)
Apgar, Miss Emma
Brokaw, E. B.
Brown, Emma S.
Bunn, Mrs. Neilie
Bostwick, Miss Martha
Bailey, Miss M.
Bull, Mrs. Benj.
Baum, J. H.
Burns, Mary
Benton, Mrs. Lewis (2)
Boyle Katie L.
Chamberlain, William
Clark, Mrs. Katie
Delano, Mrs. H. C.
Douglas, Frank E.
Delainy, Mary
Dobbs, Mrs. Barbara
Davis, Mr. J. H.
Dater, Mr. & Mrs. Hiram B.
Ferguson, Dr.
Fleurie, Edward
Flippin, Lanward
Fleming, Andrew S.
Fruen, Mrs. H.
Foster, H.
Graves, Miss Ella
Hoyt, Mrs. E. F.
Haviland, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. D.
Kubowik, Albert
Lebault, Dolph
Langford, Mrs. Crissie
Lacululi, Mlle. M.
Lazier, A. F.
Leonard, Mrs. Henry
Marsh, Chas. A.
Manning, Miss Lizzie A.
McLaughlin, Miss Katie
McGrath, Miss Mary
Morisy, Miss Mary
McCauly, Mary
Moore, Mrs. Alla
Murray, Mrs. Annie
Moore, Miss Annie A.
Norris, Fred
Nolan, J. H.
Platt, Charles
Proctor, Mrs. Francis B.
Pound, Mrs. Jennie
Randolph, Edward
Reynolds, Mrs. Lizzie
Ralph, John
Sephas, Miss Eliza Jane
Saltus, F. H.
Sulivan, Miss Kate
Stevens, Maggie
Sharott, Mrs Maggie
Stockwell, Wm.
Scribner, Isaac W.
Slaight, Henry S.
Stephenson, J. H.
Toms, Miss Annie E.
Whitcuff, Charles
Wooden, Miss Eliza A.
Williams, Miss May
Williams, Miss Amelia
Wurzenrieth, John

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

DUCKWORTH—In this city, July 15, 1888, Mrs. John L. Duckworth, aged 25 years and 11 mos. Funeral services at St. Mary's church, Tuesday morning at 9 o'clock. High Mass celebrated. Interment at Mt. Olivet Cemetery, Elizabeth.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under his heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

WANTED—5 or 6 nice rooms; central location; rent low. Address, "Rooms," PRESS office. 7-16-tf

FOR SALE—Work Horse and Cart. Apply to Sharkey & Blimm, Grocers, E. 3d St. 7-12-tf

FOR SALE, cheap, Billiard Table, Balls, Cues, Cue Case, four chairs, and chandelier. Enquire David B. Weaver. 7-10-6

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

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TO

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FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1888.

TICKETS, - - - $1 25

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TO

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Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

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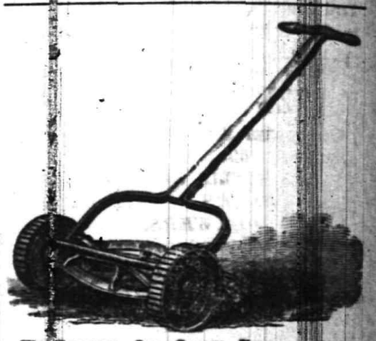

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WHICH WILL YOU CHOOSE?

By their platform and their action in the House on the Mills' bill, the Democrats have shown themselves in favor of a reasonable reduction of taxation in a way which will greatly relieve the entire people, benefit all industries and increase the Commerce of the Country, thereby giving employment to a larger number of workmen and higher wages as well as cheaper living.

The Republicans have committed themselves in favor of retaining taxes as they now are upon all the necessaries of life, removing the tax from whiskey and tobacco, and destroying Foreign Commerce so that Trusts and Combines may have perfect Monopoly and levy a still larger tax upon the people.

Those who would desire a tax reduction that is at once wise and beneficial to the whole Country, will not hesitate to support the policy laid down by the President in his message.

Those who desire free whisky and taxed necessaries, the destruction of Commerce and the rule of Monopolies, Trusts and Combines, will support the Republican platform.

There is no middle ground this year.

To Celebrate the 100th Anniversary.

A movement is on foot among the members of the Society of Friends in this city to celebrate the one hundredth anniversary of the erection of the Friends' meeting house on Peace street. THE PRESS recently published an article relating to the matter.

A conference of the Friends' was held in the meeting house on Saturday afternoon, when it was decided to hold the anniversary on Monday, August 20. The exercises will include the reading of historical papers, and addresses by eminent speakers, not yet selected.

The following persons were appointed a committee to make the necessary arrangements for the proper observance of the day: Judge Nathan Harper, chairman, Aaron M. Powell, Samuel B. Underhill, Geo. R. Pound, Friends Mary Jane Field, Catherine E. Webster and Sarah Underhill. As soon as the programme is completed, THE PRESS will present it to its readers.

An Old Gentleman Injured.

Mr. William Squires, an elderly gentleman residing on Steiner place, North Plainfield, met with a serious accident while driving along Somerset street, about nine o'clock on Saturday evening. Mr. Squires was passing Voehl's bakery at the time the accident occured, and in turning out to allow a vehicle to pass he accidentally ran into hackman Gus Utzinger's rig. Mr. Squires was thrown over the dashboard, striking on his shoulder on the hard macadamized roadbed. Both wagons were considerably damaged by the collision.

The unfortunate man was taken to his home where the attending physician discovered besides numerous bruises on the head and body, a severe fracture of the shoulder blade. Mr. Squires is a man well advanced in years, and his injuries will necessarily confine him to the house for a long time.

Reform Hall Meeting.

There was a good attendance in Reform Hall, last evening, at the usual Sunday evening meeting of the Reform Club. Vice President Harper occupied the chair and Mr. Ethan Lamphear offered the opening prayer. Freeholder Vanderbeek and his choir gave the best of music. There were three speakers, namely: Dr. Burnett, President Bogardus of the American Temperance Union of New York, and George M. Angleman. Each spoke from a different standpoint and presented the cause of temperance in a religious, political and moral light. Close attention was given the remarks of each.

Vice President Harper gave notice that Mr. S. A. Haines of Netherwood, would be the speaker next Sunday evening, and that services under the auspices of the Club would be held in Reform Hall regularly every Sunday at 9:15 A. M., and 4 P. M. The meeting then closed with the doxology.

Open Air Concert.

Following is the programme to be given by Prof. Condes Cornet Band, at the open air concert at Caspar's Hotel this evening:

Yager March	Faust.
Oh Mama Waltz	Popular Air.
Mikado Lancers	Geo. Wiegand.
The Comrades Overture	F. Conde.
Hallo Baby Schottische	E. Harrigans.
Carlotta Waltz	C. Millecker.
Lampa Overture	D. Herold.
Nick o' the Woods Waltz	Geo. Wiegand.
Electrisier Galop	E. Liebig.
Hohwald Waltz	Kaulich

—A regular meeting of the Home Building and Loan Association will be held in the Republican Association rooms on East Front street, this evening.

—Chas. F. Powlison will lead the Young Men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A., this evening at 8 o'clock. Subject, "Specific Designs of the Bible."

—The Grocers and Butchers Association of Newark, fifteen hundred strong, are going to Highland Beach on their annual excursion on the 19th inst., and the United Baptist Sunday schools, on the 20th.

—The ownership of the American Steam Laundry on East Front street is about to change hands. Mr. Charles Monfort who has made a success of the business will, on today, transfer it to Mr. H. C. Drake of North avenue.

"THAT'S THE WAY!"

Professional Players Defeat the Plainfield Team.

THE PRESS said on Saturday, that only "an accident" would bring about the defeat of the Crescents at Somerville, that afternoon—yet the Plainfielders were defeated by a score of 11 to 4. What was the "accident?"

Possibly there were a number of them. McCutchen was absent and a substitute had to be provided at the last moment. Then some of the many errors of the Crescent players were possibly accidental. The principal accident, undoubtedly, was that the Plainfielders failed to hire as good a pitcher as the Somervilles did.

The latter was a big professional said to have just come from a season of active practice and high average with one of the Association teams. He won the game for the nine that hired him by his pitching that kept down the Crescents' score, and his batting that brought in the runs for the West Ends. He came high but they had to have him; because the Somervilles will never see the day they can beat the Plainfielders.

Besides their imported pitcher, the West Ends had an imported catcher. He also hit when and where it would do the most good—making 2 two-base hits which added to Harkins' two and three-baggers, won the game. The rest of the Somerville nine was of just the material the Plainfield nine meets and beats so often.

The Crescents struggled hard against such unfair odds. Dilts covered himself and his nine with glory. The only brilliant play of the day, was his catch of a hot liner that he quickly passed to Mc Murray, and two were out in an instant. The grand standers rose to their feet and cheered loud and long. The Plainfield contingent shouted, "That's the way, Mr. Dilts!" while the population of Somerville that knew him from a boy, yelled, "Good for Asa!"

The rest of the nine were off their luck, yet they pluckily pulled past the West End lead of three runs in the first inning and stood one ahead at the beginning of the seventh. Then the bottom fell out. Nicholson was compelled to give Harkins his base on balls, rather than let him have a hit at it; and two costly errors of Murray's and one by Lee, let in four runs. The same number by good batting in the eighth gave the Somervilles the game by the following score:

WEST ENDS.

	R	1B	PO	A	E
Barkclow, 3b	1	1	0	0	1
Meehan, 2b	3	2	2	2	1
Harkins, p	3	2	2	15	0
Simpson, c	2	2	14	6	2
Davenport, cf	1	1	0	0	0
Conklin, 1b	0	1	9	0	0
Dilts, rf	0	0	0	0	0
McMutrie, lf	0	0	0	0	0
Mack, ss	1	1	0	1	0
	11	10	27	24	4

CRESCENTS.

G. Cadmus, 2b	0	0	0	1	0
Lee, 3b	1	1	2	3	3
Condon, c	1	1	9	1	1
McMurray, 1b	0	1	7	0	3
Buckley, lf	1	0	0	0	0
Dilts, ss	1	2	2	3	0
Demarest, cf	0	0	1	0	1
Murray, rf	0	0	2	0	2
Nicholson, p	0	0	0	10	0
	4	5	23	18	10

WEST ENDS	3	0	0	0	0	0	4	4	*	—11
CRESCENTS	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	—4

Earned runs, Crescents, 1; West Ends, 5. Left on bases, Crescents, 3; West Ends, 5. Struck out, by Harkins, 15; by Nicholson, 9. First base on balls, Harkins, 0; Nicholson, 2. 2 base hits, Harkins, 1; Simpson, 2. 3 base hits, Harkins, 1. Passed balls, Simpson, 1; Condon, 2. Umpire, Mr. Mack.

Law of the Road.

A new law passed by the last Legislature will interest drivers of vehicles and bicycle riders. In the revision, section 91, is the following statute providing:

That drivers of carriages, sleighs or sleds, whether of burden or pleasure, using any of the turnpike or public roads in the State, when met by another carriage, sleigh or sled, they shall likewise keep to the right, so as in both cases to permit such carriage, sleigh or sled, either met or over taken to pass free and uninterrupted, and if any person shall offend against this provision such persons shall forfeit and pay the sum of two dollars to any person who shall be obstructed or hindered in his or her passage and will sue for the same, and shall be subject to an action for every such offence, to be recovered with costs of suit.

The recent enactment is in relation to the use of bicycles and tricycles, and provides that bicycles and tricycles, and all vehicles propelled by pedo-motive or manumotive power are thereby declared carriages within the meaning of the above statute, and the riders are entitled to the same rights and privileges, and subject to the same restrictions as drivers of carriages, sleighs and sleds.

DUNELLEN NEWS.

Another heir to Mr. John Kennedy's estate, in the person of a young son, arrived a few days ago, and proclaimed to the world that he had come to stay.

The Presbyterian church people held a sociable at the residence of Miss Thomas on Dunellen avenue, Thursday evening, that was thoroughly enjoyed by the large number of persons present. Refreshments were served in abundance.

A Lamp Exploded.

A kerosene lamp exploded in Mr. H. M. Sherwin's shoe store on West Front street, on Saturday evening, and for a time occasioned considerable excitement. The lamp was finally thrown from a window into the back yard, landing in a heap of combustibles. The fire was extinguished before any serious damage was done.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

THE CROP BULLETIN.

Conditions Generally Favorable for all of the Growing Crops.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—The weekly weather crop bulletin issued to-day is as follows: Reports from corn and wheat States of the Central Valley of the Northwest indicates that the weather during the past week has been favorable for growing crops, especially corn, potatoes and grass, which have doubtless been generally improved by recent rains.

Reports from Kentucky and Tennessee indicate that the weather during the past week has generally improved the condition of corn and tobacco. Staple crops in the Southern States have been very much improved by the favorable weather during the past week, and conditions are favorable for cotton in South Carolina, Alabama and Mississippi, and for cane and rice in Louisiana.

Rains in the middle Atlantic States during the past week have slightly delayed harvest work and have greatly improved the condition of growing crops, especially corn and potatoes.

In New England the rain fall and temperature were below normal during the week and the deficiency in the rain fall will doubtless reduce the yield in the hay crop.

In Tennessee and Arkansas local storms and heavy rains injured crops in some sections. Harvesting of oats and flax in Kansas wheat in Illinois and southern Michigan, and hay in southern Minnesota have generally been attended by favorable weather.

Threats from Burlington Strikers.

CHICAGO, July 16.—The revelations of witnesses at the examination of the men charged with conspiracy to destroy property of the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad was productive of anger among the striking employees of that road.

To-day there were mutterings against the squealers and threats of revenge for the traps into which the leaders have fallen. Reports of these threats have reached the railway officials, who have taken fresh precautions against trouble.

A detail of police still remains in the yards, a squad going on every train transferred to other railway yards. The force of detectives employed by the road have been trying to trace the rumors of trouble to a source higher than the strikers who remain around the saloons, but as yet they have not been able to find anything resembling organization among the men.

Church and Bank Alike.

NEW YORK, July 16.—From stories afloat in Jersey City yesterday it appears that Nelson H. Coykendall is not only charged with complicity in the Van Loan Bank defalcation, but with embezzling the funds of a church of which he was treasurer.

It is in the Third Street Methodist Church of which Mr. Coykendall has been a member since 1872. For a long time he was successively elected treasurer, and it is alleged that while holding this position he embezzled the amount of the deficiency which has just been found. It is nearly $500.

When spoken to about the matter Coykendall said that he had been the treasurer of the church, but in regard to the deficiency he replied: "I had better not make any statement about that. I will not do so anyway unless compelled."

Why Spencer Killed Himself.

MARQUETTE, Mich., July 16.—Some light is thrown upon the mysterious suicide of G. H. Spencer, who ended his life on June 19 at a hotel here by taking carbolic acid.

Copies of the two letters which he left his wife, and which the Coroner refused to open at the inquest, have been received by a correspondent. In them he begged forgiveness for the trouble he had made her, saying that his brain was turned and that he killed himself to keep out of the mad house.

It is understood that there was a woman in the case who has always borne an unspotted reputation. She is well and favorably known and highly connected, and her identity is withheld because there is no proof of her complicity in the circumstances which led to the tragedy.

Boulanger Unchanged.

PARIS, July 16.—General Boulanger is still at Count Dillon's country place at Neuilly, where his duel with M. Floquet took place. His conditon is unchanged, and his doctors assert that only his strong constitution prevents the inception of tetanus.

General Boulanger was able to rise last night. He passed a good night, but to-day his neck is much swollen, with a slight congestion at the base. He has no fever, however.

A small demonstration was made by Boulangists last night at Place de la Concorde. Ten persons were arrested, including M. Besnard, editor of the Presse.

Eloped With His Neighbor's Wife.

CHATTANOOGA, Tenn., July 16.—A great sensation was caused in East End, a suburb of this city, by the elopement of William Hall, a prominent and wealthy young farmer, with Mrs. Whitlock, wife of a neighbor.

Hall had a wife and three children and Mrs. Whitlock two children. The affair is the talk of the community. Warrants have been sworn out for the arrest of the elopers and officers have started in hot pursuit.

The Letters of Acceptance.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—President Cleveland is preparing his letter of acceptance at Oak View, and it will soon be ready for the public eye.

A prominent Indianapolis Republican who arrived here to-day says that General Harrison is so pressed by calls that he has no time for work, and that he is coming East soon to write his letter of acceptance.

Colonel Lull Dead.

CHAMBERSBURG, Pa., July 16.—Colonel O. N. Lull of the Cumberland Valley Railroad died here yesterday morning, aged 70 years. He was a native of Sharon, Vt., and from a subordinate position he worked himself up to the superintendency of the Cumberland Valley road, which position he held for twenty years.

An Enormous Gas Well.

CLEVELAND, O., July 16.—A gas well in the southern suburbs of this city struck a powerful vein of gas yesterday at a depth of eighteen hundred feet. Heavy drilling tools were blown out of the well and a column of water sixty feet high was thrown into the air. Experts pronounce the volume of gas enormous, and equal to the best wells in other gas regions.

Maryland Labor Conference.

BALTIMORE, July 16.—The Maryland labor conference organized by electing an executive board with N. B. Talbott, President, Wm. Peck, Vice-President, and Wm. Sinclair, Secretary. They adopted a resolution to hold a grand parade and picnic of all labor organizations the first Monday in November.

Senator Quay in New York.

NEW YORK, July 16.—Senator Quay, Chairman of the Republican National Committee arrived at the Fifth Avenue hotel to-day and will at once consider the initiative steps toward organizing for the campaign.

Dr. Mackenzie Received by the Queen.

LONDON, July 16.—The Queen to-day gave audience to Dr. Morell Mackenzie.

Mr. Randall Much Better.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Mr. Randall passed a comfortable night and is much improved. His physicians held another consultation this morning. Dr. Martin cordially approved the treatment given by Dr. Linhein and Malan and advised its continuance.

The former returned to Philadelphia well pleased with Mr. Randall's condition. He said that the hemorrhage had undoubtedly been checked. If a recurrence of it could be prevented Mr. Randall would be out shortly.

Mrs. Cleveland Going to Newport.

NEWPORT, R. I., July 16.—Mrs. Cleveland will arrive here to-morrow on the steamer Jamestown, and be the guest of Mrs. Morris, of Philadelphia.

Rode off with the Bank's Funds.

HUTCHINSON, Kan., July 16.—A cowboy walked into the bank of La Junta yesterday afternoon, and, covering Rufus Phillips, the cashier, with a revolver, ordered him to drop all the funds of the bank into a bag he placed on the counter.

The cashier complied with alacrity, and the daring robber at once mounted his horse and escaped. The amount of the loss is variously estimated at from $16,000 to $28,000. There is no clue to the robber.

Military Committee Bills.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—Next Thursday evening has been set aside by the House for consideration of measures reported from the Military Committee. A meeting of the committee will be held to-day or to-morrow to determine upon the order in which the various bills will be brought forward.

Chairman Townsend says he will not ask for the consideration of any bill that is likely to provoke debate. For that reason he will not touch the Cutcheon Sea-Coast Defense bill or the Steele Army Reorganization bill.

DIAMOND DATA.

LADY BALDWIN has reported for duty.

MILWAUKEE has let pitcher Struck go.

YOUNG KLUSMAN has caught on in Boston.

KILROY'S arm appears to be all right again.

O'DAY has pitched in five successive victories.

JOHN IRWIN has been released by Washington.

BOSTON expects to pay visiting clubs $50,000 this season.

THE Brooklyn team contains fewer lushers than ever before.

WILMOT'S home run off Clarkson was his first this season.

It's a long time between games for Dick Conway, of Boston.

BROOKLYN didn't expect to begin her trouble in Louisville.

MCPHEE says he'll never, no never, again play ball in winter.

KNOWLTON, of the Harvard team, has signed with the Salem Club.

KID BALDWIN is said to be doing remarkable throwing to bases.

THE Washington Club is to give "Wizard" Shaw another trial.

ED DAILY captain's Washington when Whitney isn't playing.

JOHNSON, of Boston, has become quite a heavy and reliable batsman.

KUEHNE has been playing as good a short as any man in the country.

YALE has not lost a championship game on its home grounds this season.

LATHAM says McCarthy is even fresher than he is. That's saying a great deal.

BUCK EWING'S earnest work for his team is making him popular in New York.

CINCINNATIANS say that Purcell is pretty nearly as much of a clown as Latham.

JOHN EWING, Buck's brother, is even thinner than Dave Foutz, and much taller.

THE Indianapolis Club is said to be after third baseman Campana, of Manchester.

PITTSBURG'S new pitcher, Knell, has a funereal name. We hope no hopes will be buried.

A SILVER ball has been offered by a Detroit firm to the Wolverine stealing the most bases.

FLINT is enjoying a long rest. It is probable the Chicago Club will pension him in 1900.

SHOENICK says he is the biggest man playing ball. He weighs 60 pounds more than Anson.

CINCINNATI has so far been weakest where it supposed itself strongest—in the pitcher's box.

OF all the players released or sold by Chicago, Kelly is the only one Anson would take back.

CHICAGO and Detroit are the hardest clubs in the business to defeat on their own ball grounds.

BUFFALO'S lease of Olympic Park expires this year, and the directors are already looking for new grounds.

FROM St. Louis comes a report that Harry Lyons resents Comiskey's abusive treatment, and wants to leave the club.

DAVE ORR will not be able to play with Brooklyn for several weeks yet. Rheumatism has set in in his injured leg.

WHAT have the Chicago critics, who a few weeks ago stated that Van Haltren had a "squaw heart," to say now?

ST. PAUL has handsome new suits of black doeskin pants, white flannel shirts, black caps and black silk stockings.

MARK BALDWIN is still very weak, and it will be some time ere he will be able to resume his place on the Chicago team.

PETE CONWAY lost his first game in June last Thursday, to Chicago. He had pitched seven consecutive winning games.

PRESIDENT WYKOFF has notified the Association clubs not to advance any money to regular umpires without an order from him.

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And joy went up or joy went down,
With Celia's smile or Celia's frown,
The lover was for days put out
If she but only chanced to pout,
And thought himself a martyr when
She chose to talk with other men.
He seldom laughed, and took to verse;
In short, no man was ever worse—
When, suddenly as April weather,
She smiled, and Hymen tied the tether,
And now, with all he hoped to gain,
With willing love for old disdain.
He finds fulfillment rather tame;
Nor hope nor fear now feeds the flame;
Rich in the bliss of gained success,
He longs for former wretchedness.

F. S. P.

At Albany.

Miss Van Orst—You're coming over to our house to-night, aren't you, colonel? We're going to have a real regent's punch.

Col. Phitts (who has sampled the decoction before)—I'd really like to, you know, but there isn't a single disengaged wheel-barrow in town for the return trip in the morning.—Puck.

From an Unquestionable Source.

"Matilda, that boy of ours is chuck full of slang," remarked Mr. Dusenberry, in a sharp, complaining tone. "He talks about me as the guv'nor, and this morning I heard him tell Bridget to 'Let her go, Gallagher!' Where does he pick up such abominable stuff?',

"Goodness only knows," said Mrs. Dusenberry, with a well simulated look of ignorance.

"At school, I suppose," continued Mr. Dusenberry, "of those Darringer boys. He is altogether too fly, that boy, and if I catch him with those boys again he'll make a home run of the liveliest kind."

"He may hear some of it home," suggested Mrs. Dusenberry, with motherly blandness.

"At home!" cried Mr. Dusenberry. "You are entirely off your base, my dear. Who uses slang here?"

"Probably I am addicted to it," was Mrs. Dusenberry's meek reply.

"Well, it is a vice you'd better get rid of then. Refined conversation is a mark of culture. Let me hear that kid use slang again and I'll give it to him right off the bat. I'll wipe up the floor with him. I'll——"

Just then he saw a commiserating look on his wife's face. He picked up his hat suddenly, and mumbling something about having an appointment at the office, fled.

An Honest Parent.

"My son," said a Boomtown, California, real estate agent to his little boy, "always speak the truth. Remember that 'lying lips are an abomination to the Lord.' I would rather nail you up in your coffin than to have a single falsehood pass your lips. Truthfulness is to me the highest virtue in life. I am always careful to speak the simple truth, and ——run out and play, now, my son. Papa wants to talk to the gentlemen just coming in."

And this is what papa said to the gullible Eastern gentlemen about Boomtown, a dreary, forsaken village of two hundred inhabitants, on a strip of stones and sand:

"Yes, sir! Boomtown's bound to be the Metropolis of this State in less than five years, sir. It can't help it, sir. Why, man, it won't be six months before we have nine lines of railroad running right into the town. Property is bound to double and treble in value every week. There's a dozen big manufactories going up, and it won't be two years before we have the State capital here. Why, the town company's got the capital grounds all staked out. Just take a look at this map of the city. Our half-a-million-dollar Government building will stand right here; our hundred-thousand dollar court house will be in this corner; the high-school building will be here; and the quarter-of-a-million opera house is to be right where you see these streets cross. The electric light plant will be here. Just get right into my buggy and let me show you a lot I can let you have for ten thousand to-day that twenty-five thousand won't touch ten days from this—no, sir!"

A Beam of Wisdom From West Point.

Miss Sayre (who has captured a "plebe"):—How do you like a military career as far as you've gone, Mr. Shrapnel?

The Plebe:—It reminds me of a professional pugilist.

Miss Sayre:—Because there's so little real fighting connected with it.

The Plebe:—No. For the reason that the more you hammer at it the tougher it gets.

Refrigerated.

YOUNG HOUSEKEEPER (to Butcher).—Have you roast beef.

BUTCHER.—Yes, ma'am.

"Do you keep it on the ice?"

"Oh, yes, ma'am."

"Then you may send me some. My husband told me only this morning that he is very fond of cold roast beef."—[Albany Argus.

Not so Easy.

"Half of this bottle of wine is gone. It seems to me that you should be able to stand the temptation," said Judge Pennybunker to his colored servant.

"Dat ar am easier said den done, boss."

"At any rate you should come out like a man and say that you stole the wine."

"Dat ar am easier done den said, boss."

A Good Reason.

They were talking about elevators.

"There is an elevator in my flat, but I never use it," said one.

"Afraid of an accident, I suppose."

"No, it's not that."

"Why don't you use it, then?"

"Because I live on the first floor."

The Thread of Hope Snaps Short.

BOBLEY (to his friend Wiggins, who is awaiting news from the races)—"I suppose, Tom, that you can pay me back that ten dollars this afternoon as you promised?"

WIGGINS (desperately)—"Hang it, I can't tell just now! The beastly tickers run down."—[Judge.

An Amendment Offered.

HUSBAND—"If I ever catch you flirting, I shall first kill you, then the destroyer of my domestic happiness, after which I'll commit suicide."

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MANY MEN.

PRINCE VON BISMARCK likes cards.

MARK TWAIN is a baseball enthusiast.

JAMES WHITCOMBE RILEY, the poet, is a Republican.

GENERAL HARRISON has daily papers every evening.

HANS VON BULOW will visit the United States next spring.

TIPPECANOE HARRISON is a clever and enthusiastic fisherman.

THE Earl of Buckingham has married an heiress with $2,000,000.

LORD DUDLEY recently lost $100,000 at racing and $50,000 at cards.

THE late Marshal Leboeuf was physically the finest man in the French army.

ISAIAH V. WILLIAMSON, of Philadelphia, is worth $20,000,000 and a bachelor.

JOHN KILPATRICK, of Clifton, Me., has killed fifty-four bears in twenty-five years.

PROFESSOR HENRY DRUMMOND is a tall, slim, fair young man with a trim moustache.

WASHINGTON IRVING BISHOP has become a complete wreck from the use of cocaine.

THE King of Denmark has declined to allow his subjects to purchase a country seat for him.

WILLIAM WINTHROP ALLEN, of Medfield, Mass., is the oldest living alumnus of Harvard.

STAGG, the Yale praying pitcher, has refused several tempting offers from professional clubs.

LORD CHARLES BERESFORD is coming to this country in October to explore Southern California.

THE family of the Republican candidate for President consists of a wife, a son and a daughter.

WILLIAM WILSON, of Pittsburg, Penn., thirty years old, is to marry a widow thirty-two years older.

HOSEA H. LINCOLN, a school teacher of Boston, has been ordained a minister at the age of sixty-seven.

THE Goethe Society has three thousand members, of whom one-fourth live outside of Germany.

WILLIAM H. PRESCOTT published his first work at forty-one.

SIR WALTER SCOTT did not begin to write till he was forty-three.

THE Duke of Edinburgh has a passion for dosing himself with patent nostrums.

THE Middlebury (Vt.) College will have a professorship bearing Levi P. Morton's name.

THE Czar of Russia recently gave a nobleman 1,000,000 roubles to relieve him of pecuniary distress.

PHILIP FRESENIUS, a New Haven brewer, who died recently worth half a million dollars, in 1852 carried his kegs to his customers on his shoulders.

WOMAN'S WAYS.

QUEEN VICTORIA is very fond of wearing monstrous straw hats.

MISS JESSIE PATTON won the honors at the University of Texas this year.

BELVA LOCKWOOD began school teaching when she was fourteen years old.

MRS. HODGSON-BURNETTE'S new story is called, "The Pretty Sister of Jose."

MRS. WALTER Q. GRESHAM is a slight, delicate woman, full of nerve and fire.

MRS. SHAW gets ten guineas every time she whistles in public in London.

HARRIET BEECHER STOWE was forty years old when she wrote "Uncle Tom's Cabin."

MRS. CLEVELAND wears a Gainsborough hat of black leghorn in her afternoon drives.

GEORGE ELIOT was thirty-five years old before she became aware of her original powers.

AN original poem by Carmen Sylvia was read at the Woodstock, Conn., Fourth of July celebration.

IMITATORS of Amelie Rives and Ella Wheeler Wilcox are springing up in different parts of the country.

MRS. ESTHA RHOADS, of Hartsville, Ind., is one hundred years old, and has just had her picture taken.

DR. ANNIE POMBERGER, of Philadelphia, is the first woman in America to be granted the degree of D. D. S.

GRANDMOTHER MARK, of Huntington County Penn., is ninety-four years old, and enjoys dancing a hornpipe.

MRS. GENERAL KILPATRICK has soft, dark eyes, raven black hair, olive complexion and vivacious manners.

JOHN STRANGE WINTER, the author of "Bootle's Baby," is a handsome young matron with dark eyes and a sweet smile.

MLLE. HELENE LAROCHE, a Paris ballet girl, recently drew 200,000 francs in a lottery and donated it to an orphan asylum.

MRS. CLEVELAND uses plain, small white paper and her envelopes are always sealed with her monogram in cream-white wax.

MRS. JESSIE WILSON MANNING, who has fame in the West as a lecturer and writer, entered the Iowa Wesleyan University at the age of fifteen.

MISS TOSSE JONES, of Oregonia, Kansas, is only eighteen years old, but has ploughed, planted and cultivated forty-five acres of corn this Spring.

MRS. DANIEL LAMONT will spend the Summer on the Maine coast, while her husband looks after President Cleveland's Presidential interests in Washington.

FOREIGN FLASHES.

M. JULES FERRY still has faith in Tonquin.

THE Queen is now learning Hindustani so that she may talk like a Dutch Uncle to her Asiatic vassals.

THE Duke of Cumberland and his sister, Princess Frederica, have become reconciled after an estrangement of nine years.

ALTHOUGH the interest in Boulangism has largely subsided in France there is one man in Europe who still believes in it. That is Gen. Boulanger.

EX-QUEEN ISABELLA of Spain has an annual income of $1,000,000, but as her annual outgo is $1,500,000, her ex-Majesty finds difficulty in making both ends meet.

M. LOCKROY has just informed M. Renan of his appointment as grand officer in the Legion of Honor. He was M. Renan's secretary on an exploring expedition in Palestine some twenty-five years ago.

SINCE it has been discovered that Mr. Parnell plays a good game of cricket his grip on the Irish affections has preceptibly weakened. Mr. Parnell must learn baseball if he would captivate the Irish-American heart once more.

IT is rumored in London that Patti has been kidnapped by outlaws, who refuse to let her go until she sings "Home sweet Home" to them, and that the diva is so frightened that she cannot remember the words.

M. CLEMENCEAU and General Boulanger recently met by accident at the dinner table of a lady who is a friend of both. They sat one at each side of their host and, to avoid seeing each other so as to compel a salutation which would have been distasteful to both, they sat with their backs turned toward her.

MAX O'RELL told a reporter of the Pall Mall Gazette that he met "nearly all the distinguished Americans—Russell Lowell, Wendell Holmes, and Mark Twain and many others," adding that we have no historic ruins. It is quite evident that M. Blouet's "many others" did not include J. B. Foraker.

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS.

THE DUCHESS OF MARLBOROUGH ARRIVES IN ENGLAND.

A Description of Blenheim Palace With its Magnificent Gardens—The Henley Regetta the Event of the Season—Indications of War in Zululand—Many Items of News Abroad.

LONDON, July 10.—The American Duchess, heretofore known as Mrs. Hammersley, who was married to the Duke of Marlborough on Friday week and left the shore of her native land on the following day, has arrived in England. The Duke has been for some time past spending money on the ancestral palace of Blenheim, where he and his bride will probably reside. Blenheim is situated near the little town of Woodstock, of which Lord Randolph Churchill is M. P., who was assisted during his last election by his American wife, nee Jerome. At the beginning of Woodstock is the private entrance to Blenheim Park, called the Kensington Gate, whence a splendid avenue leads to the palace and whereon the first glimpse of the great residence is obtained.

THE park itself is 3,000 acres in extent, so vast that even from the palace a recent visitor says: "It is only now and then the glimpse of a village church reminds one that the world is not all Blenheim Park. If it is the first quality of a palace to be palatial there is surely none in England to equal Blenheim. Windsor Castle strikes one first as a castle rather than a palace. Buckingham Palace is quite out of the question; there is no other, I believe, of the size or stateliness of Blenheim. A palace of palaces, standing in a park of parks, it was a worthy present from a great nation to its great warrior. Its grand north front stands back, with arcades sweeping down to the two courts which open out from the main entrance; at its feet lies the great bridge across the lake, and it faces on the opposite height the Column of Victory, backed by the avenue stretching to the northern entrance to the park two miles away. The yellow buildings stand out against the grass and trees and the pale English sky with something of a Roman stateliness. It must have been partly from Italy that Vanburg drew his inspiration—with enough that is florid and faulty, there is yet a real dignity in this his masterpiece."

BLENHEIM Park is a beautiful place. The view from the South on the garden front is superb. Stretching before us lies the lawn, bordered to right and left with pleasure-grounds, richly wooded. The little river Glyme flows through the park, and over it had been thrown—when the place was built—a grand bridge on the northern side, a handsome work which needed nothing in the world but a reasonable amount of water to bestride. The Glyme, however, was altogether unequal to the occasion, and its narrow stream trickled ludicrously enough under the great arch. Capability Brown, the nickname given to the landscape gardener of those days, saw the need and found the water. He placed a barrier at the lower end of the stream, and the waters, accumulated there before they rolled over, not only formed a fine lake but created a pretty cataract perhaps twenty feet high, now one of the pleasantest features of the park. Just below the cataract stands an obelisk, on a little opening of greensward backed by the high trees on the slope above. Nearly all the lake is surrounded by high shelving banks, through which it curves—a wide sheet of water, bending in the shape of a letter S, around the western end of the palace. Yet nothing in the whole lake, perhaps, is prettier than the shallow river which flows down the cataract, past a hilled-in, silent spot on the left—a river full of fish, big pike and dace, with a light iron bridge and a stretch of smooth grass with dark foreign trees and a surrounding ridge of higher ground. Below the lawn is an enclosure of some acres, where used to live a colony of kangaroos and of emus; the kangaroos have dwindled to half a dozen now.

THE event of the week, and, from a picturesque point of view, the event of the year, has been the Henley regatta. Whoever has not seen the Thames can form no idea of it. You must imagine a small and wonderfully pretty river covered with boats so thickly that one can get from one end to the other of the course without oars by tugging at the other craft. Thousands of English girls and thousands of pretty dresses, men in showy flannels and most awful blazers, houseboats, floating cabins decked with flowers, lamps and flags, and lined with people eating and drinking, steam launches by the score, and boat racing, which is an excellent, though the least important feature, constituted the regatta. Every Londoner was there who is not at Lord for the great university cricket match. There was a great deal of rain, but as the English people do not mind rain, it did not spoil the fun in the least. Everybody manages to get at least one day at Henley, so that it is quite useless to mention who was there and who was not. Pretty well every one who is ever heard of in London appeared on the course some time during the three days.

THERE is every indication of a first-class war in Zululand, but Parliament, as on a former occasion, is so busy with politics that no attention has been paid to the situation. For months past there have been whispers now and then of a conspiracy among the Boers to revive the old trouble. They have a natural conviction, born of the English policy after the battle of Majuba Hill, that only one good defeat is necessary to bring the English to terms. The breach shows no signs of healing, and boats are being turned from the Cape to the scene of action as fast as possible. The Boers are known to be arming vigorously and organizing horse artillery. They are excellent fighters, and that they are behind the uprising nobody doubts. Altogether between South Africa, Afghanistan and Thibet, several outlets are becoming apparent for British military activity, which for some months past has mainly confined itself to speeches.

PAUL MERRIT and Sims have signed contracts for a new play for the Madison Square. Osmond Tearle has been selected for the leading man in the Shakespeare memorial performances at Stratford-on-Avon. Australian papers to hand pronounce Clay Greene's piece, "Hand the Boatman," a great success in Melbourne. Julia Neilson, in whom the London public seem to take unusual interst, made a further success as Selene in "The Wicked World" on Wednesday. There is quite a complimentary demand to see her in Shakespeare. Mary Anderson proposes to do Hypatia. She has accepted Saville Clark's play in blank verse founded on the novel. There are possibilities of a Chinese version of "Hamlet." The President of the Imperial Academy at Pekin has undertaken at imperial command to translate Shakespeare's works into Chinese. The most of the London theatres are winding up the season, and the chief interest attaches to the Bernhardt engagement at the Lyceum next Monday. Stalls are a guinea each, and the whole house is sold for the first week. "La Tosca" and "Francillon" will be the primary attractions.

A THING which I noticed among the men was the number of recently vanished moustaches, which caused very many ordinarily pleasing young gentlemen to look like very poor actors. For the moment the moustache is decidedly going out of fashion, and if the movement continues actors will have to take to growing beards in order to preserve their identity. College men particularly seem to have been most industrious in their visits to the barbers. Very flat hats, with big brims, were the rule among the women, and a great many girls contrived to look picturesque by dressing themselves in some light color and lying on piles of red cushions shaded by red parasols.

FRANCE does not yet appear to comprehend the tremendous combination that Prince Bismarck is making to compel her to disband her army or fight. She is anxious for peace and to avoid anything which will endanger her great exhibition of next year, which, if nothing happens, will bring millions of francs to Paris. Before another year she will certainly be confronted with Germany's imperious demands. The condition of the frontier is such that a pretext can be made any day for a diplomatic demand upon France. It is not Bismarck's place to begin with any war declaration upon such a trivial pretext. The selected or manufactured incident will be exaggerated for the purpose of calling attention to the situation and after due delay a demand for disarmament will be made. No one affects to believe that France could humiliate herself to such an extent as to accept such conditions. She still refuses to believe the possibility of Russia joining even conditionally the members of the Triple Alliance. After the meeting of the two emperors she may at last open her eyes.

CONSIDERABLE disappointment exists throughout English athletic circles at the astonishingly easy manner in which the American teams have asserted their superiority during the past fortnight. As a sequel to the crushing defeats administered to the English runners at Crewe last Saturday, C. G. Wood, the well-known American, has challenged Fred Westing to two matches at distances of 100 and 220 yards. The Manhattan representative has not yet taken up the gauntlet, but acting on the advice of Gus Sachs, is expected to do so. Cofineff has also been challenged by Lever, the celebrated mile runner of the South London Harriers, to run for the mile championship of the world. Conneff has expressed his readiness to accept. The match is expected to take place almost immediately.

A NEW form of silver wedding has been discovered. Mr. Clement Scott celebrates this month the 25th anniversary of his connection with what he sonorously called the dramatic department of journalism. He has been writing criticisms on plays and players all through this quarter of the century. It strikes one as odd that it should be theatre managers who dine him in recognition of his efforts for the welfare and advancement of the modern stage, but they do; and whoever gives the dinner, Mr. Scott's critical abilities, knowledge and remarkable power of writing deserve more praise than they are likely to get.

THE French branch of the Congo Society has decided to send an expedition to look for the White Pasha of Bahr-el-Gazel, and African exploration is taking on the pleasing air of a geographical parlor game, in which everybody is hunting for everybody else. Emin Pasha is hunting for Stanley, Stanley is hunting for Emin Pasha; Major Barttelot is looking for Tippoo Tib, Tippoo Tib is searching for Barttelot, and now the French society proposes to search for any and all these seekers. Volunteers to look for the French expedition will be called for shortly.

AMERICA has contributed her share to the English gayeties of the week. Mrs. Mackay gave a party on Thursday and Mrs. Parkinson Sharp a crowded ball last night in Palace Gate. These are in addition to the Fourth of July festivities already chronicled. The English, too, celebrated the Fourth, perhaps without knowing it. Lady Salisbury's party was on the Fourth, so was Lady Listowel's very smart ball, and so was the afternoon drum at Lowther Lodge, perhaps the most picturesque in London.

LORD LONDESBOROUGH'S collection of ancient armor has brought enormous prices at Christie's this week. A sixteenth century shield brought 430 guineas. A seventeenth century Spanish chair of metal brought 500 guineas and a Philip IV. breastplate sold for 350 guineas.

The book prices at the Hardwicke sale were equally lavish. Eliot's "Indian Bible" brought £580 and Caxton's "Game and Play of Chess" £250. £550 was paid for a volume containing 12 early tracts in Spanish relating to America.

LITTLE Hoffmann will not, says a musical writer, appear again in public this year. It may be inferred, adds he, that the boy is recovering but slowly from the effects of his American trip.

MOURNING is dying out. Some of the smartest women in London have revolted against the effort of the Court party to prolong general mourning, and appear in colors.

S. B. S.

FOREIGN NOTES.

THE reports of the officers on the Afghan boundary say that the Indian soldiers are so much larger than the Russian Cossacks that it would take one hundred thousand of the latter to contend with fifty thousand Indians.

MR. MAJOR of Exeter has invented a violin bridge in three sections. The two outer sections enclose a middle section honeycombed by more than one hundred cells. The general lines of the bridge are not departed from, except that it is made thicker, and the increase of power and brilliancy is said to be very great.

THE Princess Blanche d'Orleans wanted to give the Pope a magnificent chasuble, and engaged a master of embroidery at Lyons to create it. He ransacked museums, bought stuffs, and began work, when the Princess wrote to him to say that she would only give him $75. So all his toil and trouble went for nothing.

EMPEROR WILLIAM and his consort will be crowned King and Queen of Prussia about Oct. 18. Hitherto only two Kings of Prussia have been crowned, Frederick I. and William I., other monarchs having contented themselves with what was called the Huldigung, or the solid declaration of homage from the representatives of the States of the realm.

BRITISH yachtsmen would never complain of the defects of our course down the bay if they knew that we could read about their races on the other side. The other day in a race between the Irex and the Yarana at the Royal Mersey Yacht Club regetta, the Irex was about ten minutes ahead, but could not get over a certain bar, and the Yarana passed over and won the race.

THE defect in the arm of Emperor William II. is authoritatively described thus: The left arm is not deformed, but withered, or rather dwarfed; the nerves which vitalize it were subjected to great and prolonged pressure during birth, so that their power was destroyed. Hence the muscles of the arm were paralyzed and became wasted from want of use, and the limb did not grow with the rest of the body. The responsibility of this rests with the German doctors who officiated on the occasion, a fact which partly explains the Empress Victoria's distrust of native talent. She insisted on Dr. Gream presiding at all subsequent ceremonies of the same kind, and outraged Teutons have never forgiven her for this affront to German "science."

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 5.45, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 2.30, 3.30, 4.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.30, 7.00, 8.00, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—8.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 4.00, 5.30, 8.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.35 a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.20, 5.35, 6.10 p. m.

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Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.05, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 6.05, 6.47, 8.15, 9.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 10.00 a. m., 1.05, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 1.05, 4.34, 5.22, 6.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.20, p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7, p. m.

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5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m.—For Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 6.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

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For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sundays—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sundays—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45*, 4.00*, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.38, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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Ninth and Green streets, 7.30*, 8.30*, 9.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.15, 2.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 5.30, 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.30*, 9.30, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

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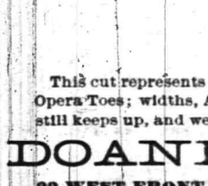

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TWO INSANE BROKERS.

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UNHINGED BY OVERWORK.

Mr. Johnes Under the Care of Dr. Loomis and Henry Prentice in an Asylum—Friends of the Latter Deeply Incensed By the Course of His Wife. Comment of the Street.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Wall street men were in a great state of excitement last night over a report concerning Charles A. Johnes, probably the most daring and successful room trader who ever operated on the floor of the Stock Exchange. The report was that Mr. Johnes had lost his mental balance and would not again be seen at his familiar place on the floor of the Exchange.

Mr. Johnes has not been seen in Wall street since Friday last.

Mr. Johnes' friends say the first symptoms of a diseased mind showed themselves by his conduct on Friday, and that he is now in the care of Dr. Loomis, the well known specialist.

"Charley" Johnes' career on Wall street has been a long and prosperous one. He started as a boy in the firm of Henry Clews & Co. He bought a seat in the Stock Exchange in 1868 and began operations on his own account. He was uniformly successful in his operations and is now estimated as more than a millionaire.

Henry Prentice, a prominent New York broker, and a member of the New York Stock Exchange, has been a resident of Summit, N. J., for nearly two years past. He also has been acting strangely of late, and on Saturday night at a late hour he was removed to the Morris Plains Insane Asylum. He was removed on the affidavits of Drs. W. H. Grisp and J. Burling. It was his wife who made the request that he should be placed in the asylum.

It was first intended by the physicians and officers in charge to take Mr. Prentice from the base ball grounds, where he was witnessing a game of ball Saturday afternoon, and they had already hired a carriage for the purpose. He left the ground before they arrived, and they were compelled to drive to his house, where they found him dining with the Messrs. Barr. When they arrived Dr. Burling, accompanied by Officer Kelley, entered the house and informed Mr. Prentice of the purpose of their visit.

For a moment he was apparently too dumbfounded to reply, but, quickly recovering himself, he positively refused to accompany them, and denounced what he termed a gross outrage to an American citizen. He wound up by going up stairs and writing out a check for the amount of Dr. Burling's bill, which he handed him, ordering him to leave the premises.

The doctor apparently complied with the order, and Mr. Prentice then tried to argue with Officer Kelly, but to no avail. Seeing that it was useless he agreed to accompany him. His carriage and team were ordered, and Mr. Prentice and the officer, with Mr. Barr, started for the asylum.

Mr. Prentice is the son of the late John H. Prentice, the Brooklyn millionare, and owner of the storage warehouse in that city, known as Prentice's stores. He has for many years been a member of the New York Stock Exchange and has an office at 18 New Street. By the will of his father he becomes heir to $7,500 a year.

Twelve years ago Mr. Prentice was married to Miss Nesmith, daughter of Benjamin Ingersoll Nesmith. The have had three children, the oldest of whom is 10 years old. Mr. Prentice's failing has been his love for liquor. On January 17 he became involved in a dispute with a fellow member of the Stock Exchange, and his actions were extremely violent.

His residence here is now in charge of his servants. It is expected that his wife will shortly return and resume charge. What action his own relatives will take in the case is unknown. Not a few are inclined to believe Mr. Prentice rational, and are looking forward to some attempt to secure his release from the asylum.

A large number of letters written by himself, to show the weakness of his mind, had been filed as evidence.

Mr. Fuller's Confirmation.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—In an interview published here to-day Senator Frye was asked if Mr. Fuller's confirmation to be Chief Justice would be confirmed.

"Oh, yes, certainly," replied the Senator. "I think there is no doubt about that. Mr. Fuller is a good lawyer, and nothing can be said against his character. Delay, however, is not unnatural, considering the power and dignity of the office. It is natural that we should expect, not only a good lawyer and a man of character, but an imposing individual; in short, a great man. Much as I like him, Mr. Fuller is not a great man. But his nomination will be confirmed. If the Senate should reject Mr. Fuller, the President would make a much worse nomination.

Did She Kill Him?

MALDEN, Mass., July 17.—The police yesterday broke in the house of John H. Brom, who has been missing for several days. They found his body on the bed, with his throat cut from ear to ear and an open prayerbook lying at his side.

They found no razor or other instrument with which he could have committed suicide. The dead man and his wife have not lived together peaceably for some time.

The woman left the house July 7 and said she was going to New York, since which time she has not been seen. The police will make a thorough investigation.

Democratic Executive Committee.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The Democratic Executive Committee met at noon to-day at the headquarters, 10 West Twenty-ninth street. Congressman William L. Scott was as shy of reporters as usual, and would only say that the organization of the Campaign Committee, the principal business of to-day, would be made to strengthen the party without reference to personal claims or individual preference.

Fishing Season Extended.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 17.—The government has extended the lobster fishing season fourteen days, owing to the heavy storms off Cape Breton, by which the lobster fisherman have lost a considerable portion of the haul.

TWO TO HANG.

Kearney and Ebert Will Be Executed By Van Hise.

FREEHOLD, July 17.—Gov. Robt. S. Green has refused to grant a reprieve to Richard Kearney, the negro convicted of the murder of Mrs. Margaret Purcell, the aged Irish housekeeper of Mrs. Daniel R. Lydd at Long Branch, in February last. Kearney will be hanged in the yard of the Monmouth county jail here Wednesday afternoon about 3 o'clock.

About two weeks ago he was visited by a negro friend, who talked to him nearly two hours on religious subjects and the necessity of making his peace with God before his death upon the scaffold. Since then Kearney has read his Bible daily, and has cried and prayed constantly.

During the last ten days he has been visited frequently by the Rev. J. G. Morrow of Freehold. Last week Kearney protested conversion. On Thursday night he was baptised in his cell by Mr. Morrow.

The hanging will take place in the north corner of the jail yard. A quadrangle about 20 feet wide and 30 feet long has been enclosed by a fence 16 feet high. This little yard will be covered with sail cloth so that the hanging cannot be witnessed from the roofs of the surrounding buildings.

The gallows has been erected under the direction of Van Hise of Newark, who will hang Ebert in Jersey City in the morning, and then come direct to Freehold and hang Kearney. Mr. Van Hise's favorite gallows will be used in Jersey City, so he has a new one made for Kearney. It has no trap. A heavy wrought and cast iron weight will be released by a spring, and will fall into a hole nine feet deep. The gallows is about sixteen feet high.

THE DENTISTS.

Asbury Park to be Invaded by the New Jersey Dental Society.

NEW YORK, July 17.—There will be a great gathering of dentists at Asbury Park this week for the eighteenth annual session of the New Jersey State Dental Society.

The meetings will be held at the West End Hotel, and the session will open on Wednesday morning with prayer, after which Dr. G. Carleton Brown, of Elizabeth, the president, will deliver the annual address.

Following this Dr. W. I. Thayer, of Brooklyn, will read a paper entitled "Homœopathic Therapeutics in Dentistry." The session will continue until Friday. Each morning there will be a business meeting, after which papers will be read.

Among those who will read important letters are Drs. J. Hayhurst, of Lambertville, N. J.; B. A. R. Ottolengui and A. C. Northrup, of New York J. W. Canady, of Albany; J. P. Codman, of Boston; W. X. Sudduth, of Philadelphia; Louis Ottofy, of Chicago; C. C. Smith, of Ilion, N. Y.; G. L. Curtis and J. Edward Line, of Syracuse. Each afternoon the sessions will be devoted to clinics.

Among the lecturers will be Drs. E. J. Verplank, of Albany, D. Genese, of Baltimore; C. L. Robinson, J. Bond Littig, George Evans, H. A. Parr and John H. Meyer, of this city; E. E. Kirke, E. T. Starr and A. G. Bennett, of Philadelphia; George Haskins, of Newark, and a number of others. During the meeting there will be an exhibition of dental appliances and surgical instruments.

Took a Fancy to a Child.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 17.—Ellen Coburn a two-year-old child of Robert Coburn, who was abducted on Saturday morning, while playing in Washington park with her six-year-old sister Bessie, was found this morning by the police in the possession of a young woman named Edna Card, who claimed to have taken the child simply because she had became attached to it.

The young woman does not bear a good reputation. She left home six months ago and, until recently, had been living in New York city. She was arrested as a disorderly character two years ago.

To Meet in Extra Session.

ALBANY, July 17.—The substance of the message which Gov. Hill will send to the special session of the legislature to-day is still unknown outside the Executive chamber.

It is believed that a restriction of the whole business of the session to the work of providing money to maintain the prisoners at work under the prevailing system is the Governor's intention to present.

D. Cady Herrick Not a Candidate.

ALBANY, July 17.—It is announced that D. Cady Herrick will not be a candidate before the New York State Democratic Committee for Chairman of the Executive Committee of the State Committee. Some friend of Governor Hill will be elected.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

AMY REYNOLDS, the variety actress, who was shot by her husband, Dennis McCarthy, at Buffalo, is out of danger.

MICHAEL GORMAN fell from a building in Providence, R. I., which he was painting, and he was instantly killed.

THREE birds of the Lowell Homing Club, which General Greeley released in Washington Thursday, reached Lowell Monday.

NEARLY 800 teachers arrived in San Francisco to attend the third days' session of the National Teachers' Council.

GEORGE H. MORES, aged 43, of Webster, Mass., died suddenly of colic and heart failure, resulting from over indulgence in cucumbers.

OAKLEY'S dry goods stoore, Lincoln, Neb., was destroyed by fire Monday. The loss, with that of occupants in the building, will be $125,000.

A MEXICO boy, Pedro Jones, aged 15, shot and killed George Stevenson, postmaster and station agent, at Glamis, A. T., on Sunday.

DENMAN THOMPSON and Frank McKee have purchased the operetta "Said Pasha," in San Francisco, and will produce it in New York.

EXPRESS TRAIN No. 2 was wrecked at Winnemucca, Nev., Sunday. The first baggage and United States Fish Commission cars were wrecked, but no one was injured.

THE boat on which Mr. Wentworth and wife, of Newtonville, Mass., went sailing off New London Friday has been found empty, and it is believed the two have been drowned.

JOHN STETSON'S yacht, the Sapphire, made the run from Boston to Gloucester Sunday at the rate of fifteen miles an hour. Her owner is delighted with the performance.

THIRTY women in the Carlisle, Pa., shoe factory have struck against the retention of one Kerter, an objectionable foreman. The women assert that he treats them brutaly.

KILLED HIS SHIPMATES

Seaman Kelly Murdered Two Men While They Slept.

TERRIBLE TRAGEDY AT SEA.

Bloody Work on the Steamer Erin—The Murderer Cool and Indifferent—An Awful Sight That Met the Eyes of the Only Witness to the Crime—Kelly's Appearance.

NEW YORK, July 17.—When the National line steamship Erin, commanded by Captain Tyson, which arrrived yesterday from London, was moored to her wharf at the foot of West Houston street, all the crew, with one exception, were permitted to go ashore.

This sailor, Patrick Kelly, who was detained on board, sat in the after cabin on the upper deck with hands and feet heavy manacled. He had killed two of his shipmates.

The Erin usually transports cattle from this port on her trips to London, and returns to New York with general merchandise.

She left London, on one of her return trips, on June 29, and among the crew was Kelly, who was taken aboard at Gravesend, England. He appeared to be a very quiet fellow, who held himself aloof from the rest of the crew, and was greatly disliked by many of them for so doing.

During the voyage Kelly quarrelled frequently with the other members of the crew, among them John Parry and John Chapman, who were killed by Kelly on the night of July 8.

John Whitaker, the only man who saw Kelly unburden his long smothered rage by murdering his two shipmates, said to the reporters to-day:

"I had been sleeping soundly all night and was suddenly awakened about 7 o'clock by a cry from one of the men. I thought at the time that he must have had the nightmare and was just going to turn over and sleep a few minutes more when I heard another cry more piercing than the first. I raised my head and a terrible sight met my gaze.

"There stood Kelly with his hand on the throat of Chapman, who was lying in his bunk on the starboard side of the vessel. I saw that his face was covered with blood, which was flowing from a ghastly wound.

"Just at that moment Parry, who was sleeping in a bunk on the same side, raised his head. Kelly let go his hold on Chapman's throat and grasped Parry by the head. Drawing a sheath knife five inches long and one and one eighth inches wide with which he had stapped Chapman, he drove it with terrific force into Parry's breast, piercing his heart and killing him almost instantly."

"I jumped up, and Kelly picked up a shirt and deliberately commenced to wipe off the blade of the knife. I went to the bunks where the wounded men lay and called each by name, but received no answer. I looked at each again, and I knew that they were dead."

Kelly is a large, powerfully built man, with a short black beard. He is not ill-looking by any means. He seemed to take matters very coolly, and frequently smiled during Whitaker's story of the tragedy.

A LORD'S NIECE.

Her Arrest at Cleveland a Canadian Social Sensation.

CLEVELAND, Ohio, July 17.—The police arrested, Saturday night, on information from Toronto, George M. Jarvis and Mrs. Magdalene Campbell. The reason for their arrest was kept secret until to-day, when it was learned that they are charged with adultery.

Both of the accused are of high social standing in Toronto. The man is the son of the late sheriff of the place and the woman is the niece of Lord Alexander Campbell. She is 19 years of age and very handsome. She admitted having married Campbell a year ago while living as the mistress of Campbell. She said she knew it was wicked, but was ignorant of it being against the law. Both were released on $200 bail.

KNIGHTS OF LABOR.

Opposition to the Re-Election of the Present Secretary.

PITTSBURG, July 17.—The quarterly meeting of District Assembly 3, Knights of Labor, will open here to-morrow. The delegates to be elected will be instructed to vote for Robert D. Layton for general secretary against Charles Litchman, the present incumbent.

There is a lively contest between Litchman and Layton for the office, but the latter's friends assert that he is far ahead thus far. He is a warm admirer of General Master Workman Powderly. T. B. Barry of the General Executive Board is opposing Layton.

The membership of the district assembly has decreased so rapidly that but two delegates will be sent to the general assembly.

An Insane Pauper Returned.

PITTSBURG, July 17.—A young woman, Catharine McCarthy, 21 years of age, arrived in this city from Ireland June 21. She has been mentally afflicted for two years, and her father, believing she would be well cared for in this country, bought her a ticket direct to Pittsburg.

The case was brought up at the meeting of the Board of Charities, and they decided to return her to Ireland. Chief Eliot of the board says there is too much of this kind of imposition being practiced.

President King Still on Deck.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Contrary to the expectations of many Wall street men no meeting of the Erie Railway Board was held to-day. President John King said that the report of his resignation was unfounded.

"I do not contemplate leaving the service of the company," he added, "and people who circulate rumors about me should first be certain of their facts."

Ku-Kluxism in Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Ku-Kluxism is prevalent here and its methods have been applied to Rev. Lucius Herod and his brother, colored. They received anonymous letters to leave their residence, just over the boundary but did not obey the order. Then their house was burned down and they were notified to leave the District or they would be shot.

Wool on the Free List.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The Committee of the Whole has refused to strike wool from the free list. The vote was 102 to 120.

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By their platform and their action in the House on the Mills' bill, the Democrats have shown themselves in favor of a reasonable reduction of taxation in a way which will greatly relieve the entire people, benefit all industries and increase the Commerce of the Country, thereby giving employment to a larger number of workmen and higher wages as well as cheaper living.

The Republicans have committed themselves in favor of retaining taxes as they now are upon all the necessaries of life, removing the tax from whiskey and tobacco, and destroying Foreign Commerce so that Trusts and Combines may have perfect Monopoly and levy a still larger tax upon the people.

Those who would desire a tax reduction that is at once wise and beneficial to the whole Country, will not hesitate to support the policy laid down by the President in his message.

Those who desire free whisky and taxed necessaries, the destruction of Commerce and the rule of Monopolies, Trusts and Combines, will support the Republican platform.

There is no middle ground this year.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—There is now direct telephonic communication between this city and Westfield.

—Letters in answer to advertisements in THE PRESS are awaiting at this office for "Brown," "W. H.," and "D. H."

—Andrew Lutkins of the Borough, had green corn for dinner on Sunday picked from his own garden. Who can beat this?

—"Gep" Frazee desires a full attendance at the headquarters of the "Tippecanoe Club" on East Front street, this evening. Additional officers will be elected and a permanent organization effected.

—The handsomest campaign badges are the silk portraits woven in silk, with the stars and stripes in rich colors under both the Democratic and Republican nominees. Messrs. Day & Son, 18 and 20 Liberty street, New York, are agents for their sale.

—The services held in Cutter's Hall are increasing both in interest and in numbers. On Sunday evening last eight persons made confession of faith with the purpose of being baptized. "True service and its reward" John 12:26, will be the Scripture lesson this evening, at eight o'clock sharp.

—A spirited meeting of the Union County Republican League was held at Elizabeth on Friday evening. In response to an invitation from the State League, Mr. C. M. Goddard of this city, was elected one of the delegates to represent the League at the State Convention on August 15. Freeholder Kyte of Fanwood, was elected an alternate.

—It is stated by some that perhaps the remains found at Westfield on Sunday afternoon were those of the person who committed the brutal murder at Rahway a year or so ago. After committing the horrible deed, and recognizing the fact that he would surely be hunted down, the murderer, some are disposed to believe, remained in seclusion somewhere near Rahway, until recently when he took his own life.

—The attention of the Street Commissioner is respectfully called to the condition of the roadbed on the South side of Park avenue at the intersection of Randolph road. Here the water has washed deep gulleys into the roadbed, making it unsafe for travel. This dangerous spot will be the scene of a serious accident some day, and the city will probably be called upon to pay damages. A word to the wise is sufficient.

—The "dog days" which commenced on Sunday, and continue for six weeks, are regarded by many persons as more unhealthy than those which immediately precede or succeed the "dog days." This particular season is also considered a time when mankind is more liable to attacks from disease through exposure or imprudence in their general habits than any other. If there is no foundation in fact for the belief, it is a superstition of long standing.

—The members of the City Republican Executive Committee will hold a meeting this evening.

—A delegation from Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., of this city, will accompany the Grand Army excursion to Mauch Chunk to-morrow.

—The Court of Errors and Appeals met in conference on the Local Option High License law at Trenton today, and set a day for the delivery of opinions.

—The fire insurance sale of clothing at Laing's Hall, has already attracted a large number of customers who have secured some of the great bargains offered.

—Much wet weather has caused a delay in farming. Having, buckwheat sowing, corn planting and harvesting come all together, and some difficulty is experienced in getting the needed help.

—A shirt of white opera flannel is now worn by certain young men at the Summer resorts, with evening dress. The linen shirt, it is said, will have to confine its usefulness to the Winter season.

—Prof. Conde's orchestra gave an open-air concert from the band stand at Caspar's Hotel, last evening. The music was of a select nature, and was thoroughly enjoyed by the patrons and boarders of the hotel.

—A delegation from Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, I. O. O. F., of this city, including installing officer E. C. Morse, went to Elizabethport last evening and installed the newly-elected officers of Franklin Lodge of that place.

—At a special meeting of No. 2 Engine company, held last evening, it was decided to have an excursion to Cold Spring Harbor on August 30. The various committees were appointed to make the necessary arrangements.

—Probably not one in ten of the dogs in Plainfield has taxes paid for it. If it were otherwise there would be a thinning out of the curs, as their owners would not keep them if compelled to pay taxes on them as the dog law directs.

—Next Friday morning at 8:05 o'clock, the Warren and Hope Missions' Sunday schools start on an excursion to Ocean Grove. All are invited to accompany them. Bathing-master Ross promises a bath-house and suit for 25 cents, as long as desired.

—A lamp is reported to have exploded in a dwelling house at the South corner of Madison avenue and Fourth street, on Saturday evening. The burning oil is said to have ignited the carpet and caused considerable damage. The flames were extinguished with some difficulty.

Fell Overboard in the Hurry of Business.

It seems that some of the friends of Mr. Conway G. Ferguson of East Front street, are under the impression that he was returning from the Monmouth races when he fell overboard at Sandy Hook, last Thursday. Although THE PRESS did not say so, we are requested to deny the rumor.

Mr. Ferguson had gone to Highland Beach strictly on busines, and was returning on a friend's yacht. While laboring under great business anxiety, and in his hurry to board the last boat and reach New York in time to meet a number of important professional engagements, he fell into the broad Atlantic. The presence of Mr. J. Mortimer of this city, and Mr. Lounsberry, now of Brooklyn, probably saved Mr. Ferguson's life. Their gallant rescue of the latter, and the grace and manly courage displayed, was all highly admired by the ladies who witnessed the struggle of the heroes, in the gloaming, from the pier.

Smothered With Chloroform.

Mr. Charles Brown of Duer street, has just lost a horse he highly prized both for its willingness and faithful service, as well as because it had become such a family pet. The animal was attacked with paralysis of the throat, and all the art of medicine and skill of veternary surgeon, failed to relieve it.

Recovery being impossible, and the horse's suffering was so intense, chloroform was administered, under the influence of which the animal's life quietly passed away at midnight of last Saturday evening. Four ounces on a sponge was first applied to the nostrils, but from its effects the horse recovered. A larger dose was then given, and death resulted.

Fire on West Second Street.

A small fire occurred in the frame dwelling house at No. 174 West Second street, between eleven and twelve o'clock yesterday. The house is occupied by Michael McCarthy and family. The fire is said to have been caused by an overheated stove in the kitchen, which set fire to the woodwork. When first discovered the flames had eaten their way up the woodwork to the ceiling, and had also burned away the mantel and a portion of the kitchen flooring.

Considerable difficulty was experienced in putting out the fire, which was only accomplished after about forty dollars' damage had been done to the building.

Left an Unpaid Board Bill.

Wm. Khume, a machinist, was discharged from the Scott Press Works, yesterday, and he attributed his discharge to the influence of a fellow workman, whom he met on the street at noon hour and assaulted. The latter lodged a complaint with the police, and when Chief Carey went after him, Khume was seen making a bee-line for New York via the railroad. It has since been ascertained that Khume kindly remembered his landlord, by leaving an unpaid board bill.

WHO WAS HE?

AND HOW DID HE DIE?

The Mystery Surrounding the Remains Of a Man Found in the Woods at Westfield—Further Particulars and Developments Secured by THE PRESS Reporters.

All that can be additionally learned and brought to light by the skill and indefatigability of THE PRESS' reporters, only deepens the strange mystery that hangs round the remains of the man found in woods at Westfield. Despite all evidence at hand, all circumstances that are apparent, and all clues that are obtainable—identity and manner of death are still beyond all knowledge, and also without the reach of skill or discernment.

The remains were found in a location that is on the road to nowhere. Even those who discovered the bones and clothing were directed to the place by their dog. Ordinary judgment would convince anyone that a dead body found there was either that of a suicide, or of a victim dragged out of sight. It was a spot that would be sought by one who desired to die hidden from the sight of a World in which he could struggle no longer to live, and a spot where a murderer would hide from the sight of the World the evidence of his crime.

The body was found on its back, stretched out at full length. No poison that could cause death except morphine, would leave the remains in so easy a position. The action of any other poison would cause a convulsion and contraction of the muscles—involuntary but uncontrollable—that would have destroyed the composure of the limbs, at least. Neither has there been found package or vial that must have contained the fatal powder or liquid, if used. No pistol nor mark of bullet or self-inflicted wound, can be discovered.

All theories as to the body having remained where found for months past, were destroyed by the publication in THE PRESS, exclusively, of the fact that the time-table found was not issued until May 13, 1888. Newspapers with the ignorance and bad taste to try and establish a connection between the disappearance of Mr. George Thomae and the Westfield mystery, merely made a display of their lack of judgment and sagacity. Had such reporters eyes to see, even if the Summer clothes did not prove to them that the body was that of a man who had died since Spring, they might have noticed the date on the time table.

But THE PRESS is able to bring the time of death still nearer. In one of the pockets of the clothing was found a return coupon of an excursion ticket, unused and good for a trip from New York to Westfield. This ticket greatly adds to the mystery. Persistent inquiry among Westfield's citizens only discloses their assurance that no one known in the town is, or has been, missing. Yet a stranger would not buy an excursion ticket to return again, except at the station where he was in the habit of starting from.

The ticket was sold by Station Agent Pennington at Westfield, on Saturday afternoon, June 2, between the hours of four and six o'clock. A PRESS reporter noticing that the ticket was a *return* coupon, *to Westfield*, understood that it must have been bought at that station, and a reference to the daily reports of the Station Master proved the date of sale. The printed number of the ticket was 3587. The first ticket sold on Saturday, June 2, was 3564, and the last was 3595. This brings the time of death within six weeks of the finding of the body.

But still the strangest part of the mystery is—if the dead man used the coupon "to New York," could he, or would he, have returned to Westfield without using the return coupon found on the body? If *he* did not use the trip "to New York," who did? An examination of the records at the main office in New York, today, shows that this half of the ticket was used, taken up by a conductor, and turned in with his report. Since such time the vouchers have been destroyed—as is the custom each month—and all evidence as to the day and train on which the ticket was used, is thus lost.

So far, no marks on the clothing furnish identification or clues. The shirt was one of the ready-made kind sold in all furnishing stores, with two collars. One collar was worn on the shirt, and the other was found unsoiled in one of the pockets of the clothing. This would intimate that the wearer was away from home, or he would have changed his linen in his room and left the additional collar there.

County Physician Westcott is so engaged with other cases, that possibly an inquest will not be held today. Until then a thorough examination of the dead man's effects, cannot be made. A set of false teeth found that fit the upper jaw, may have some mark their maker can identify and thus throw a light on the greatest mystery that has ever occurred in this vicinity.

North Plainfield Republican Meeting.

An adjourned meeting of the U. S. Grant Republican Club of North Plainfield was held in Spencer's Hall, last evening, a large number of persons being in attendance. Hon. Charles Place presided. But little business came up for consideration. Remarks were made by Dr. H. K. Carroll, and Messrs. I. Brokaw, Thomas Price, John Goodwin and others, after which the meeting adjourned. Twenty-four new members joined the Club last evening.

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ALBATROS, at 49c to 55c; White and Colored Surah Silks, and Morie Silks, Sash and Fancy Ribbons, "Foster" and "Harris" Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Mits. Thompson's and "C. P." Corsets, etc.

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W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

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Flippin, Linward	Sharott, Mrs Maggie
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W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

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BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7-tf

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We Will Tell You Merely a Few BARGAINS:

Men's Business Suits, all to match, for.... $3.15
This suit costs to manufacture, $13.65, and if it does not suit you in every respect, or if you don't think it worth $13.65, bring it back any time inside of four days, and we will pay you $3.15.
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Good Working Pants, worth $2 50, marked 74
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"SUNDAY SCHOOL POLITICIANS"

Whom the Free Whiskey Policy Has Driven From the Party.

SETH LOW, [Ex-Mayor of Brooklyn.]—"The policy outlined in the platform is a policy in which firmly I do not believe, and in behalf of which I can make no fight."

RICHARD S. STORRS, [Pastor of the Church of the Pilgrims (Congregational), Brooklyn].—"I must 'take the woods.'"

THEODORE L. CUYLER, [Pastor of Lafayette Avenue Church (Presbyterian), Brooklyn].—"I enter my earnest protest against the reactionary 'plank' on the most controverted question of the hour. Instead of taking off the burdens from many necessaries of life, it would give us free pipes and free whiskey! It would bring in a carnival of Beelzebub and Bacchus all over the land."

A. F. SCHAUFFLER, [Superintendent of New York City Missions].—"'Whom the gods would destroy they first make mad.' The Republican party seems about to prove the truth of this proverb. For while they are in sore need of votes, they take such a stand on the whiskey question that they drive away many who otherwise would vote their ticket."

GEORGE J. MINGINS, [Presbyterian. Pastor of the Union Tabernacle. New York city.]—"Ordinarily I would vote the Republican ticket, but this year I cannot conscientiously do so. It seems to me the Republicans have made a grievous error, and grievously will they answer for it. The Republican platform, as put forth at Chicago, is the result of queer politics and defective statesmanship. The idea of advocating free whiskey is preposterous."

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Manager Decker, formerly connected with the Casino Skating Rink in this city, spent Sunday with friends here.

Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Hummer and son have returned from a most enjoyable two weeks' stay at Lake Hopatcong and vicinity.

Miss Lucia Wood, Miss Florence Titsworth and Miss Mamie French, are rusticating in the country as the guest of Miss Kate Potter.

Commissioner Serrell of the Health Board, is so far recovered from his long continued and dangerous sickness, as to be able to ride out again.

The Misses Addie and Kate Weaver of North Plainfield, returned yesterday after an absence of several weeks with friends at Easton and elsewhere.

Mr. Jacob Harned died at his home in Philadelphia, a few days ago, and was buried today. The deceased was a brother of Mrs. Isaac Laing of this city.

Mrs. F. W. Runyon of East Fifth street and her sister, left today for Brookville, Ind., where they will remain until late in the Summer, or, possibly, early in the Fall.

Samuel Ball and Thomas Ransom, residents of Scotch Plains, were installed as members of Winfield Scott Post, No. 73, G. A. R., at the last encampment of the Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Bert Ketcham are staying at the residence of Mr. Ketcham's mother on Fifth street, while the latter and her daughters are enjoying the Summer elsewhere.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer E. Runyon go today to the White Mountains where Mrs. Runyon will probably remain some weeks. Mr. Runyon will return after a few days visit with his mother who is located there for the season.

A collection for the Plainfield Relief Association was taken in the Crescent Avenue church, last Sunday morning. Had it been a week earlier, the cause would have been the greater benefitted. Col. Elliott Shepard put a $100 bill in the plate, the Sunday previous.

The issue of the Meriden, Conn., *Daily Republican* of last Wednesday, contains a column and a-half descriptive and commendatory of the first trip of the Daft electric cars through the streets of that city. The trial is endorsed as a perfect success, and the satisfaction of the passengers and the approval of the spectators, was entire and emphatic.

The sermon preached at Westfield, June 10, by the Rev. Cornelius H. Patton, on "A citizen of no mean city," has been published in pamphlet form. Its aim was the uplifting of educational interests in that town, and the request for its publication, signed by the representative men of the town, shows that the discourse will not be without the effect desired.

For Love, He Lost the Race.

The ocean race—291 miles to Plainfield—between J. Hervey Doane's "Cherokee," and F. R. Stevens' "Mercury," was won on Saturday last, by the former. The time made cannot be known until word is received from Capt. Doane as to the time the birds were released from the Steamer Cherokee.

As was stated, the race was a close one, and the defeat of Stevens' bird was entirely the result of "Mercury's" taste for the girls of his race. The birds seemingly mated in their basket going out, and, in consequence, upon arriving at Plainfield, "Mercury" passed his own home without entering and followed "Cherokee" to her loft. Thus the latter got in at 10:40, and the former did not go home until morning.

Trotting on Saturday.

The usual Saturday afternoon trial contests of speed on the track of the Gentleman's Driving Park Association, was largely attended on Saturday, and the programme included some exciting and well contested races. The judges for the day were Messrs. W. F. Williams and J. W. Johnson, whose decisions are always accurate and give universal satisfaction.

The programme included five numbers, the first being two single mile heats to sulky, between Mr. Nate Robbins' horse "Doctor," and Mr. John Hayes' "Andy." Although evenly matched, "Doctor" won the two heats in 2:51 and 2:53½.

Mr. Edward Waring's "Ledger Boy" and Mr. J. W. Johnson's "Lady Thistle" trotted two one-mile heats, with "Lady Thistle" in the rear. Time—2:48 and 2:56½.

Following was a pacing contest, one-half mile heats, between Mr. John Stelle's "Tramp" and Mr. Shepherd's brown horse. The latter horse took the first heat in 1:16, and "Tramp" won the second heat in 1:13. The deciding heat was omitted.

The concluding race for the day was between John Osborn's "Dry Dock" and Mr. Zimmerman's "Dan." Only one heat was trotted, "Dry Dock" winning in 2:49½.

Mr. A. C. Vail then drove his handsome team, "Betsy Bobbitt" and "Farrindale," two one-mile trial heats in 2:56½ and 2:41½. This concluded the day's sport.

The friendly trial contests are attracting many persons to the race course on Saturday afternoons, and to make the trotting more interesting the deciding heat in each contest should be trotted. The way some of the races are ended does not show which is the better horse, especially when there are but two entries and each horse wins a heat.

A Letter From Joseph O'Neill.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—Some time since a person signing himself "Robinson Crusoe," sent four dollars in money to the editor of another evening paper which was intended for the O'Neill family. The money was not sent to the house, which is the only one at the corner of West Second street and Elmwood place; neither did any one inquire for the place. The money was subsequently received, however, but not until I was obliged to send for it. The *Evening* —— stated that a boy was sent to the house with the money, but the place was closed and there were no signs of life about it. This is not true, as there were four or five ladies sitting on the stoop at the time when it was alleged that the money was sent. The false statement published in the other paper places me in a wrong light before the public.

The family is very grateful for the pecuniary assistance rendered them, and while I may never fully recover from my present sickness, I hope to at least be able to get up from a sick bed.

Yours Respectfully,
JOSEPH O'NEILL.

New Jersey Weather Report.

The correspondents and observers of the New Jersey State Weather Service have made the following report for the week ending July 14.

During the past seven days the temperature has been about the reasonable average in all the counties of the State except Union, Essex, Middlesex, Hunterdon and Somerset, where it was below. In these counties, the cool, damp nights have somewhat retarded the growth of potatoes, corn and vegetables.

The rain fall during the past seven days has been slightly above the average in all the counties except Morris and Essex, where the ground is too dry for the transplanting of vegetables.

New Law Regarding Justices.

The new law passed by the last Legislature went into effect on the 4th inst. It provides that "No justice of the peace shall ask, demand or receive any fee or compensation from any complainant in a criminal case." Instead of increasing the business of the justices, however, they seem to be doing less than before. Hereafter all fees for services of this kind will be paid by the county, and complainants can get out as many warrants as they please—and the justices will issue—without any cost to the party making the complaint.

Masons to Have a Clam Bake.

Azure Lodge, F. and A. M., of Roselle, will give a grand clam bake on Saturday next, and have invited many of the prominent Masons in the State, among the number being Gov. Green, Hon. John Kean and Grand Master Robert M. Moore of this city; Hon. John Ulrich, Plainfield; Anthony Shoder, Woodbridge: Wm. A. Freeman, D. D. G. M., Plainfield; Rev. Henry Vehslage, P. G. M. Grand Chaplain, Irvington, N. J.—*Elizabeth Journal.*

County Board of Assessors.

The Union County Board of Assessors met yesterday at the Court House, Elizabeth, and fixed the tax rate for the county. After a conference with Comptroller Carlton and the Tax Commissioners for Elizabeth, the city's tax rate was fixed at 2,98, an increase of .30 over last year's rate. This advance is due to the increased amount necessary to pay interest on the debt settlement.

Hamburg Figs for the Liver.

Habitual torpidity of the liver is a functional derangement and should not be so long neglected as to generate actual disease. HAMBURG FIGS should be taken, and the deranged organ restored to health. 25 cents. Dose, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

RANDALL'S IRON WILL.

He Is Determined to Vote Against the Mills Bill.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Mrs. Randall and Mrs. Lancaster are very anxious to get Mr Randall out of the city, but he seems determined not to leave until he can have an opportunity to record his vote against the Mills bill.

The physicians counsel his going and his wife and daughter are deeply anxious, but the iron will of the sick man seems to make him feel a desire to cast his vote in person. A pair would answer the same purpose, but he has not been in the habit of recording himself on important questions in that way.

The vote on the Mills bill is not likely to be reached before next week. During all this time, therefore, in addition to his prostrate condition, Mr. Randall will be nervously meditating upon this question and with it will come up a thousand cognate matters, all of which will only serve to aggravate the disease by disturbing his nervous forces. If he continues to hold his own the effort to have him consent to his removal to Berwyn this week will be renewed.

Notwithstanding his week state Mr. Randall is really looking to sufficient convalescence to be able to go to the House to vote. From present indications, if he undertakes such an effort it may cost him his life.

If he could be convinced of his inability to get to the capitol within the next two weeks he would doubtless be more ready to give consent to the abandonment of any more legislative duty during the present session.

HOSTILE INDIANS.

Fears of Serious Trouble in the Far Northwest.

ST. PAUL, Minn., July 17.—A despatch to the Pioneer-Press from Victoria, B. C., says there is great excitement over reports from Skeena River.

Officers of the steamer Caribou Fly, which arrived Sunday morning, say that when the steamer left Skeena River it was reported there that Mr. Clifford, in charge of the Hudson's Bay Company at Hazleton, and one of special constables sent from here, had been murdered by Indians. The Indians are thoroughly excited, and threaten to exterminate all whites in that part of the country.

H. B. Royer of the Provincial leaves tomorrow for the scene of the trouble with a force of special policemen.

The Caroline arrived last night and will probably convey the force and C Battery to the mouth of the Skeena River. It will be impossible for her to ascend the Skeena, owing to low water and the rapids.

The only way the troops can go up is in canoes, and it is estimated this will occupy about three weeks, as it is a distance of ninety miles to the scene of the trouble, with a great many portages which make packing slow.

The Indians who are causing the trouble are the worst on the coast, are large, powerful fellows, and nearly all well armed.

SENATOR QUAY.

The Republican Chairman Preparing for the Campaign.

NEW YORK, July 17.—Senator Matthew Stanley Quay assumed his functions yesterday as chairman of the Executive Committee of the Republican National Committee. He looked ruddy and bronzed after his short vacation at the seaside. He settled down to work at the Fifth Avenue Hotel in the early forenoon, and had a busy time in conference with his fellow workers, in receiving visitors and disposing of correspondence. To a reporter Senator Quay said:

"From this day forward I shall give all the time I can to campaign work. Measures will come before the Senate which will require my presence in Washington, and I will probably go on there before the end of the week.

"From the brief conferences I have had with my friends on the Executive committee I can say that the work is progressing in a thorough manner and to my entire satisfaction. My duties in Washington will not interfere with my duties here.

"At our session this morning the only thing of consequence that occurred was the appointment of General Dudley as treasurer of the Executive Committee. He had previously been treasurer of the National Committee only.

HORRIBLE MURDER.

A Drunken Crowd Slay a man Before His Family.

BENNINGTON, Vt., July 17.—John Gunshanan was killed in front of his house yesterday in sight of his wife and nine children. A party of four, John Keenan, G. Gunshanan, James Condon and George Gavin, had been on a carousal all night and came to Gunshanan's house for more liquor. He said he had none, and they then began to stone the house.

Gunshanan rushed out and grabbed his nephew, when Keenan struck him with an iron bound crutch, killing him instantly. All four were arrested. The coroner's jury found that Keenan was responsible.

Concluded Their Investigations.

NEW YORK, July 17.—The Assembly Special Committee on Indian Affairs have practically concluded the investigations they were appointed to make.

Baseball Games Played Monday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	0	0	2	0	0	2	0	0	0	—4
New York	6	3	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	—12

AT DETROIT.

Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	*	—3
Boston	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—2

AT PITTSBURG.

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	1	—1
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

AT INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	—2
Washington	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 16, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	42	22	Brooklyn	47	22
Detroit	40	23	St. Louis	41	22
New York	38	26	Athletic	40	26
Boston	35	31	Cincinnati	38	26
Philadelphia	31	31	Baltimore	30	35
Indianapolis	23	36	Louisville	24	43
Pittsburg	23	39	Kansas City	20	42
Washington	21	43	Cleveland	20	44

A Bill Against Duelling.

PARIS, July 16.—Bishop Freppel introduced a bill in the Chamber of Deputies to-day abolishing duelling, and demanded urgency for the measure.

In the course of his remarks, in introducing the bill, Bishoh Freppel referred particularly to the recent encounter between M. Floquet and General Boulanger. The demand for urgency was rejected by the chamber.

General Sheridan's Condition.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 17.—General Sheridan is slowly improving. The action of the heart and respiration are better in every respect. His digestion is as good as can be expected. He is still very weak, being unable to lift his head from the pillow without assistance, but his physicians are greatly encouraged.

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Rice and Florentine straw hats are very pretty for little girls and most becoming to a fair face surrounded with thick golden curls. But they have one fault, and that is they are no protection to the face, and therefore more ornamental than useful hats. They are very simply trimmed, have a pink silk lining, pink ribbon strings and a half wreath of moss roses under the brim.

The new stuffs for Summer wear are noticeble for the way in in which the stripes are shaded from the most delicate down to the deepest colours, as for instance dark blue melting into pearl grey. These stripes are obtainable in all colors and a variety of materials. Stripes shaded from garnet red to pale pink look extremely well on a blue ground. The stuffs do not want any other trimming; they serve as skirt and shawl drapery whilst plain material is used for the remaider of the toilette.

Paris Fashions.

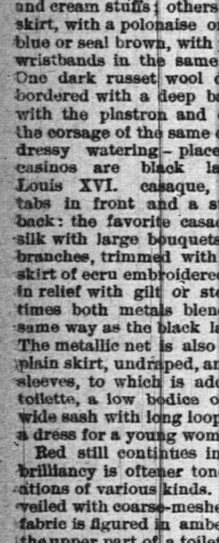
Travelling toilettes of very simple and pretty styles are made of limousine, which is a stripped woolen in fine or broad stripes, of other woolens significantly called "railway," and of the various invisible checks and plaids. The favorite style is that of a skirt pleated irregularly, partly in wide and partly in narrow pleats, with a tight-fitting corsage. Sometimes the skirt has a braided border or bands of galloon, which extend up one side and form a kind of panel; a plain redingote is worn with such a skirt, open on the side of the panel; the sleeves are either plain coat shape, or they are gathered slightly to a wristband at the bottom; the upper part of the redingote has some kind of revers—Directoire, which are broad and open widely, or small, slender revers, both opening over a vest of pique or silk. These toilettes are also worn for mornings at the beach, on the way to and from the bath. The useful long cloak, which is made of all materials and suited to all occasions, invariably accompanies this toilette.

There are fewer entirely white and cream toilettes this summer than were worn last year; by way of compensation there is scarcely a single summer dress in which white or cream does not appear to some extent, whether merely as a draped plastron, perhaps caught up on one hip, or as a whole skirt, and entire upper part of a dress, or only a bodice. Many of the sea-side toilettes are in the russet red tints, more or less light, associated with white and cream stuffs; others have an ecru wool skirt, with a polonaise or redingote of navy blue or seal brown, with plastron, revers, and wristbands in the same color as the skirt. One dark russet wool dress has the skirt bordered with a deep band of cream wool, with the plastron and other accessories of the corsage of the same cream wool. Among dressy watering-place toilettes for the casinos are black lace skirts, with a Louis XVI. casaque, which has long tabs in front and a straight skirt at the back: the favorite casaque is of changeable silk with large bouquets, or of foulard with branches, trimmed with knots of ribbon. A skirt of ecru embroidered net, re-embroidered in relief with gilt or steel threads, or sometimes both metals blended, is used in the same way as the black lace skirt mentioned. The metallic net is also used to make a full plain skirt, undraped, and a high pumpe and sleeves, to which is added, to complete the toilette, a low bodice of colored silk and a wide sash with long loops and ends. This is a dress for a young woman.

Red still continues in high favor, but its brilliancy is oftener toned down by combinations of various kinds. Thus a red skirt is veiled with coarse-meshed ecru net; or a red fabric is figured in amber shades, and forms the upper part of a toilette over a lace skirt in black, white, or ecru; or perhaps the skirt is made of Florentine red silk, with a figured design in old-rose shot with gold, and trimmed with ivory lace. In short, red has taken a very strong hold of popular favor, and there is an obvious determination to keep it, and consequently an effort to find new means of avoiding the crude and loud effects of the bald color, which Parisiennes never could bring themselves to accept without subduing and veiling it. With almost all elaborate toilettes like those mentioned the neck is cut down and wide lace is turned back around it. Parasols are large, many entirely of lace, others trimmed with a profusion of lace. The favorite parasol is of ecru pongee. Unpretentious handles have merefy a crook at the end. Handles of gray carnelian are considered particularly elegant.

Parisian Hats and Stuffs.

Now there are already so many variations and styles of waistcoats, it is no easy matter to bring out entire novelties in this respect, and we must for the present content ourselves with slight alterations. Among those may be included very becoming chemisettes made almost like gentlemen's shirt fronts: they have fancy buttons and are covered near the waist with bands of stuff going across them. Etamine dresses are made with plain silk waistcoat fronts and ribbed silk revers. The dress in our illustration is further completed by a straw hat a l'empire trimmed with feathers and a ribbon bow, with ends falling a long way down at the back.



The races in the Industrial Palace in Paris offer a certain area for the tentative appearance of newly introduced Spring fashions. The great simplicity of style and the diminishing size of the tounoure are striking features. A beige colored woollen polonaise of Directoire Period style was a complete success. The back and side pieces reached to the ground, whilst the front ceased at the waist, and without fitting tightly opened over a waistcoat of embroidered white silk or cashmere. The square flaps of the waistcoat were ornamented with small pockets and came a little over the polonaise. The skirt can be made either of faille, or of the same material as the polonaise but the front breadth remains uncovered. The robe of the Empire Period has a broad sash and crossed fichu fronts, a long, so called "Maria Theresa," or "bonne femme," mantle is worn with it. This mantle is made of spotted tulle or light shot silk and is closely gathered from the neck to the shoulders. A black lace rusching goes round the top.

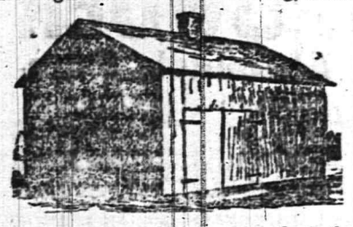
THE consumption of China tea, in England, dropped 30,000,000 pounds last year. British-grown tea is taking its place.

AGRICULTURAL STUDY.

A HOSPITAL FOR A FARM WHERE HOG BREEDING IS A FEATURE.

Elevation and Plan for Such a Structure in a Simple Manner of Construction—An Article on Sows Eating Their Young Pigs and How to Avoid it.

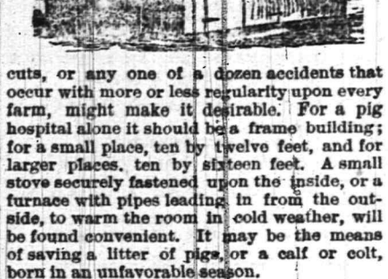
EVERY farm that is devoted to hog-breeding to any considerable extent should have a pen especially constructed and set apart for a hospital. It should be built with a view to warmth, light and air. The lack of such a place has caused the death of hundreds of promising litters of pigs, unfortunately born when the thermometer was at zero or below; it has been the means of spreading contagious or infectious diseases upon many a farm, and its lack will never be fully appreciated until one has enjoyed its benefits. With little more expense it could be made to accommodate larger animals. A broken leg, severe



cuts, or any one of a dozen accidents that occur with more or less regularity upon every farm, might make it desirable. For a pig hospital alone it should be a frame building; for a small place, ten by twelve feet, and for larger places, ten by sixteen feet. A small stove securely fastened upon the inside, or a furnace with pipes leading in from the outside, to warm the room in cold weather, will be found convenient. It may be the means of saving a litter of pigs, or a calf or colt, born in an unfavorable season.

The danger on most farms, if such a structure as we have outlined should be erected, would be in filling it up with odds and ends. Being dry, and just then occupied, the buggy harness would be apt to find a lodgment, or a few sacks of seed wheat, or the barrel of salt, the new plow, etc., until when actually needed there would not be room to turn around in it. But such a place to be of service should be kept for that purpose alone, and used when occasion requires, unless specially arranged for other uses.

Figure 1 gives a perspective view and figure 2 the combined hospital for sick animals and a wagon house, with bench for such mechanical work as can conveniently be performed on the farm. The dimensions of the building are sixteen by twenty feet, with twelve-foot posts. It is built in very plain style, with light frame covered by vertical boards and battened, and shingle roof. The large doors, each four feet wide, may be hung on strap hinges, or slide on an over-head track. The lower story, figure 2, has a wagon floor twelve feet wide, at one end of which is a work-bench provided with necessary tools. A pen eight feet square has a feeding trough and opens into a sleeping pen which extends under the stairs. A stove stands at the place indicated. The upper floor is used for storing feed, tools and other articles. The principal advantages of combining the hospital pen with wagon house and repair shop, are that the stove serves a double purpose, and in case of an an animal requiring watchful attention, time could be saved by continuing mechanical work while watching. A small cupboard should be provided in one corner for the stor-



age of a few medicines, a bandage or two, some stout cords, a bottle of liniment, box of salt, and such other articles as will suggest themselves to every breeder. A bottle of carbolic acid solution and a box of sulphur should always be at hand, and whoever has has charge of the herd should be instructed in the use of both, and see that both are used, at least once a week from fall to spring, and as occasion seems to demand from spring to fall, in the beds where the animals sleep. A stout pulley securely fastened overhead will often be of service. Upon on one side of a box-like structure large enough only for a hog to stand upright, one side hung on hinges, so an animal may be crowded into this space if desirable to drench it. Also a stout board should be permanently set in place, one say four and a half feet long, sixteen inches wide, one end fastened to the floor and the other to the wall, at an angle of forty-five degrees, with two rings on each side, one at top and one at the bottom. This will be found useful in spaying sows, operating upon ruptures, etc. The cords attached to the rings can be provided with buckles and straps, to quickly secure the legs. A permanent muzzle to slip over the nose should also be at hand. Ordinarily upon the farm, if a pig has to be caught for any purpose, the whole family has to be called out to keep the rest of the herd away, and many times an operation has to be too hastily performed. A slide door near the floor should be arranged, so that if desirable the animal could be let out into a sunny lot.

Many breeders now, if a new boar or sow is bought for breeding purposes, no matter how healthy it is supposed to be, put it in quarantine for three weeks before it is allowed to mix with the home animals. If one of the home animals seems ailing with something which is not clearly developed, quarantine it in hospital until it develops.

Sows Eating their Pigs.

This is one of the most annoying mishaps that the breeder has to contend with. Gilts are very prone to devour their young, and the habit is most usually contracted from neglect to promptly remove any dead pigs that may have been still-born or overlaid. A very valuable sow of the writer's ate her first litter of seven pigs, and her second of eleven pigs, picking them up as greedily as a wild wolf would have done, unmindful of their piercing squeals, and with a crunch or two putting them out of sight. We came very near doing a foolish thing, namely, knocking her in the head on the spot, and fully resolved she would never have the chance to do the same thing again. But as the months rolled around, we found her with pig again, and in talking with some of the neighbors in regard to it, an old breeder told us that "he had heard that to give a sow a pound or two of old bacon about farrowing time would keep her from it." It seemed plausible, knowing that a morbid appetite was a common sequence of pregnancy in the whole animal kingdom. We did not spare the bacon. The day before the sow farrowed we fed her some two pounds of bacon, and as soon as the pigs were born we fed her several pounds more, probably three or four, at different times through the day, and again the next day. She had littered eleven pigs again; the next time she had thirteen, and the last time fifteen. The precaution of feeding more or less bacon or fat meat was taken each time, and she never offered to molest her pigs.

NEW YORK MATTERS.

GOTHAM THE GREATEST SUMMER RESORT IN THE WORLD.

The World and His Wife May Be Found at the Metropolis—Music in the Parks and on the Beaches—Speculations of the Politicians—Early Closing and the Increase of Excursions.

NEW YORK, July 16.—New York a summer resort! Of course it is. Oven-like heat and ear splitting noises bring no thought of rest, amusement and comfort you say; yet all these things may be had here and people come here to find them by the thousand, even in the dog days.

Indeed no community in the world can offer finer or more varied attractions to the summer visitor than New York and its suburbs.

Some people take an entirely different view about New York as a summer resort, and in fact, even the papers here do not seem to realize that Gotham is the greatest of all summer sojourning places. But a little thought proves it to be such. Some New York folks talk the other way because the story is an old one that has not been investigated for years, so in droves they flit from the city every summer. But each season shortens these flights and the younger generation of the Metropolis have practically become stay-at-home people, for they find all the essentials for comfort and pleasure at the very gates of Gotham. The exceptions are those who find change and a location that will force them for a time to keep out of business.

That thrifty spirit which prompts the world and the world's wife to kill two birds with one stone has something to do with the popularity of New York as a summer resort of course. The business man can utilize his time both for pleasure and profit when he comes here and his wife can gratify feminine caprice by paying two prices for goods in our stores at intervals between surf-bathing exploits and meals at a beach resort, visit to some historic suburb or stroll in beautiful parks, with the music of a great band stirring fashionable promenaders from midsummer lethargy to appreciation of a thousand objects of beauty and interest.

Thousands of visitors stay for weeks, alternating between city hotels and those of the beaches and mountains, seeing the sights of this city and the world when the weather is cool and enjoying the attractions of suburban resorts when it is too hot for comfort here.

All the great resorts are at our doors, within easy reach, and all cater to Gotham. Magnificent steamers and ferries fly to and fro, railroad trains carry us on the wings of the wind to balmy heights and breezy depths and every amusement by man begat for fellows beguilment awaits us on old ocean, on the mountains, rivers, islands, coasts and farms of all the great states tributory to the metropolis, each hill, valley, lake and bay is studded with hotels and pavilions for summer trade and for that matter one could put in a summer of delightful excursions only, either by rail or water.

Then it must be said one can put in a very comfortable summer here in another way. The parks and squares of New York and Brooklyn are delightful and the Harlem waterfront is lined with cool pavilions and gardens. Parts of Hoboken are like Fairyland and almost every little suburb has all the advantages of city life yet with the charm of change to a city visitor. Time and money will open many phases of Gotham as a summer resort.

And people flock here from all over the world every day. The publishers of the Trow directory estimate that the floating population of New York is now nearly half a million a great increase over former estimates.

"SAY, what abridgement have you for this evening?
What mask? What music? How shall we beguile
The lazy time, if not with some delight."

Cool breezes from the beaches, the shades of the villages and mountains and the deep green of the fields and parks make one think of music. There is a great deal of it here, another proof of New York's just claims as a summer resort.

Each zephyr is laden with sweet sounds from the beaches and Coney Island alone gives employment to nearly 300 musicians, including Seidel and his orchestra, Gilmore's band and Levy the cornettist. As for steam organ, calliope and "grinder" they are everywhere. From the barges and excursion steamers on the rivers, sounds toot of horn and twang of fiddle and the parks and squares are crowded with gay promenaders Saturday and Sunday afternoons when the bands play.

These entertainments, which it was thought at one time would only attract the poor, have drawn more varied audiences. Clerks, students, mechanics, business men and many people of fashion cannot resist the attractions of the free concerts in the parks.

All the bands hired by New York an i Brooklyn Park Commissioners are good and it is not surprising that they attract attentive audiences sometimes numbering 10,000 people or more Their programmes are usually of a popular nature but not trivial. Here is the last Prospect park programme, which will give musical folks an idea of the average performances of the park bands with thirty to forty men;—

Introduction, "Hail Columbia."
1. Overture, . "Semiramide," . Rossini
2. Invocation to Battle, . "Rienzi," . Wagner
3. Invitation a la Valse, . . . Weber
4. Piccolo Solo, . "Air Varie," . Pellacani
5. Selection, . "Le Roy Carotte," . Offenbach
6. Overture, . "Nero," (New) . G.E.Conterno
7. Gavotte, . . "Stephanie," . . Czibulka
8. Cornet Solo, . . "The Star," . . Jaeger
9. Reminiscences of Meyerbeer, . . Godfrey
10. Finale, "Marcia Reale D'Italia," Formigha

THERE seems to be a larger number of social excursions and pic-nics this summer than I ever heard of in any other year. The clerks in the big business establishment, or the workmen in the big factory, or the employees of a company, or the members of a club, or a bund, or a trade union, or a militia company, or any other kind of organization, get them up, and have very fine times at them.

There are hundreds of such excursions every week never spoken of in the papers, and most of them are held in the shady nooks and pleasure grounds that abound near New York. They promote good will, joviality, geniality, brotherhood, flirtation, wooing, wedlock and business.

Those who the other day had the pleasure of looking at the 700 poor Hebrew children upon the barge in which they enjoyed their excursion were struck by their appearance and manners. The race to which they belong was apparent at a glance.

Their features and figures were of unusual excellence. Their eyes were soft and lambent. Their complexion was of darker hue than that of the Gentile boys and girls of New York. They were nearly all the offspring of Polish and Russian Israelites. The attribute of self-possession seemed to be native in them. Their behavior and disposition were gentle. They were bright, without being pumptious. They were joyful, without being riotous. At the two meals which they got aboard the barge, they were hungry, but not greedy. It was a rare pleasure to see these Hebrew youngsters, who are proud of being the posterity of Abraham.

An important factor in the excursions of the season and also in bringing the metropolis into prominence as a place for pleasure in the dog-days, is the fact that the early closing of retail stores on the chief trading avenues of the city is more general than it was in past years.

Many of the boot and shoe shops close at 7 o'clock, and the grocers and dry goods stores at 8 or 9. It seems that people have easily fallen into the habit of making their purchases at an earlier hour of the evening than they were formerly in the custom of doing. As a matter of course, the hours of closing on Saturday night are later than on the other nights of the week.

By inquiries made in many parts of the city from Second and Third avenues to Sixth and Eighth, and from the Battery to Harlem, I learn that the employers are quite as well pleased as their salesmen are with the growth of the practice of early closing. The business in which the longest hours are now kept is that of the beer and liquor shops, most of which keep open till midnight or up to the hour tolerated by law. The barkeepers have tried several times to secure shorter hours of labor, but their efforts have not met with success.

Here is one of the queer things of New York life that came to my attention the other day.

It is one of the peculiarities of the so-called aristocratic grades of the tailor's business here that it is independent of advertising. Indeed, the fact that a tailor had begun to advertise would get him the cut direct from his fashionable customers. By the latter I mean the "swell" members of society who loll at the clubs, parade "the avenue" and disport themselves generally as nincompoops.

In the alleged minds of such men it is very bad form to have a tailor in common with anybody else. Hence it is that the tailor is not only debarred from advertising, but he derives no advantage from successfully addressing any individual of this class. It is difficult to find two men of the same "set" who patronize the same tailor, unless (which must be necessarily rare among such creatures) there happens to subsist between them fraternity enough to conquer this feeling of exclusiveness.

For another thing, the trade cannot depend upon the friendship of the more sensible class of customers to do more advertising for it. The tailor who has fitted Brown to perfection may make an utter failure with the latter's friend Jones. Whereupon Brown resolves never to recommend his tailor to anybody again. And he keeps the resolution. A fashionable tailor has, therefore, to build up a business by the slow process of individual successes with chance patrons.

THE lethargy of summer is too much for the politicians and although the leaders are flitting hither and thither preparing for the coming campaign, the first guns are yet to be fired.

But there has been some comment and pleasureable anticipation over brilliant moves that will no doubt be made later on, for it seems to be generally believed that two of the strongest political leaders of the country have been pitted one against the other in the selection of William L. Scott for Chairman of the Democratic National Committee and Matthew S. Quay for Chairman of the Republican National Committee, the arrangement completed last week.

That both are Pennsylvanians adds zest to the great contest that the friends of each and both foresee. The political methods of the two chairmen are alike their friends say and both are keen, able, methodical men. The politicians around the up-town hotels discuss the probabilities as to the superiority of management between the Pennsylvanians with great gusto.

MANY of the rich men of this town cultivate special fads that make their life worth living. Several of them entertain philanthropic fads that take shape in sundry institutions. Courtlandt Palmer's fad is the Nineteenth Century Club. Elliot F. Shepard's fad is his afternoon paper. Cyrus W. Field changes his fad from time to time. Luther R. Marsh's fad is spiritualism. The Vanderbilt's enjoy a number of fads, including the $10,000 cook. Wm. W. Astor's fad is politics, and so is Levi P. Morton's. The late Mr. Bergh's fad was his Animal Society. Jay Gould has no fad but gold-hunting. Dr. Depew's fad is glittering oratory. The late Mr. Lenox's fad was worm-eaten books. Mayor Hewitt's fad is the American flag. Russell Sage has the same fad that Dives had. Peter Cooper's fad was his Institute. If a rich man has a good fad he is all the better for it, and it helps him to get rid of his fortune.

THE construction of another wonder of the world of bridge kind at New York is only a question of time, and as before it will be a work of interest to the whole world. I learn that the report of the Board of Engineers appointed to investigate the advisability of authorizing the construction of a bridge across the Hudson river between New York and New Jersey has been received at the War Department and will be forwarded to the Commerce Committees of the House and Senate soon.

The report suggests two or three comparatively unimportant changes in the wording of the bill, increases the proposed height of the bridge and recommends the passage by Congress of the bill. The findings of the Board are approved by the Chief of Engineers. The report states that the Board held a public meeting upon the matter, the proceedings of of which will be forwarded as soon as the stenographic notes can be transcribed. It then suggests a change in the section fixing the height of the bridge so that it shall read as follows:

"Provided that said bridge shall be constructed with a single span over the entire river between the existing pier lines in either State, and at an elevation over the river of at least 145 feet in the clear above the level of mean high water at the towers of the bridge and 155 feet above the same level at the center of the main span, and these heights shall be exclusive of the defections of the superstructure from loads or temperature effects, and that no pier or piers or other obstructions to navigation either of a temporary or permanent character shall be placed or built in the river between said pier lines under this act."

Both the plans and the proposed location of the bridge must be approved by the Secretary of War. The report further suggests that instead of the words used in the bill with regard to the time of final completion of the bridge the following be substituted:

"The plans satisfactory to the Secretary of War for said bridge shall be submitted to him within one year after the passage of this act, and the construction of said bridge shall be commenced within one year after the approval of the plans by the Secretary of War. The structure shall be completed within ten years from the date of said approval, otherwise the provisions of this act shall be null and void."

The report then concludes in these words:

"The Board is of the opinion that if these changes be incorporated in the bill they will sufficiently guarantee the interests of the United States and the navigation of the Hudson River."

In the letter which accompanies the report from Major Post, Acting Chief of Engineers, he states that he concurs in the views of the Board, and that their is no objection to the passage of the bill as amended.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.55, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12 00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

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Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.92, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.35, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

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5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.15 p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

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6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

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For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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From Third and Berks streets, 8.30*, 8.55, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.25, 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.25, 5.55, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.15, p. m.

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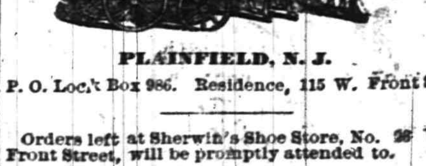

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A REIGN OF TERROR

Another Plot of Anarchists To Sack Chicago.

THIRSTING FOR VENGEANCE.

Followers of Spies and Parsons Seek to Avenge the Fate of Their Leaders. The Police and Judges to be Victims and Public Buildings to be Razed to the Ground.

CHICAGO. July 18.—Inspector Bonfield probably saved the lives of Judges Garay and Grinnell and himself and unearthed another anarchist dynamite conspiracy this morning. The result was the arrest of three men and the finding of a large quantity of the explosive.

At the time of the anarchist troubles it was freely asserted that the friends of the men who were hanged and sent to prison for participation in the Haymarket tragedy would revenge themselves upon the officials who were instrumental in securing the conviction of Parson, Spies and companions.

Dynamite was to be used for this purpose, and it was after those threats had been made that the residences of Judge Gray, State's Attorney Grinnell and one or two others were guarded day and night by policemen. After a while the excitement, in some measure, subsided, but the police kept as good a lookout as ever.

It was not long before Inspector Bonfield became satisfied that another plot was in active progress. For weeks the suspected parties have been watched and tracked day and night, and about 2 o'clock this morning the inspector and three central detectives surrounded a small frame house at Ashland avenue and Thirty-third street. At 3 o'clock a man came down the steps, and, being recognized, was placed under arrest.

The officers then searched the house, finding only a woman as occupant, but from a closet and chest took twelve sticks of dynamite, several revolvers and a knife. Securing reenforcements the detectives went to 3016 Quinn street, where two men were caught after a desperate struggle. Here also a quantity of dynamite was found, and with the prisoners taken to the station.

The names of the trio arrested are carefully concealed by the police, but the men are known to be among the number prominent in the Haymarket affair. The inspector acknowledged all the facts in connection with the case, but refused to give the names of the accused.

He said the plot included twenty determined murderers and they were at a certain hour after midnight to be at the house of Grinnell, Gary, Bonfield, Captain Schaak, Frank Walker, General Stiles and others prominent in the prosecution. Dynamite was to be placed beneath the houses of these, and the powerful explosive was to be touched off simultaneously and a wholesale reign of terror inaugurated.

The Board of Trade was to be blown to the sky at the same time.

Further arrests will probably be made, and perhaps bring to light an even greater anticipated bloody horror. The inspector added that when the time came to publish the facts in full there would be another wholesale hanging.

Late last night Inspector Bonfield very reluctantly gave the names and addresses of the men arrested, as follows: John Hronek, 2952 Farrell street; Frank Chapek, 45 West Twentieth street, and Frank Chilbowa, Lion place. They are all Bohemians.

Continued questioning throughout the day has brought the men, who are uneducated and apparently easily influenced, to the verge of a confession.

The plot was first brought to the attention of the police through a voluntary informer, a companion of those arrested and others in the conspiracy.

His name could not be ascertained, but it was learned that he had been arrested in connection with the Haymarket massacre, and, becoming fearful of probable danger to himself in the event of the conspiracy failing, determined to turn informer for his own benefit.

The men have acknowledged the existence of a plot the outcome of which was to be the assassination of Gary, Grinnell, Bonfield and Schaack, and the destruction of the board of Trade and other large buildings. Details were not obtained from them, but Bonfield feels confident of learning the entire story from them to-day.

Several suspects are under surveillance, but no more arrests will be made until Saturday, after which those now in custody will be given an opportunity to tell all they know.

THEY WILL FIGHT.

Gigantic Eviction to Begin on the Vandeleur Estate.

DUBLIN, July 18.—Everybody is expecting a grand row in Ireland to-day. An enormous eviction is to be begun on the Vanduleur estates at Kilrush, County Clare. The plan includes the eviction of 114 families. Captain Croker and the Sheriff of Clare will proceed to the estates with a force of 500 soldiers and police.

Every able-bodied member of the 114 families is prepared to resist to the last, and a hard, if not sanguinary, fight seems to be certain. The arrears of rent owed by the tenants amount to £80,000.

The Vandaleur troubles began back in 1874, when the late Col. Vandaleur was defeated in his contest for Parliament. He never forgave his tenants for not returning him, and in a spirit of revenge raised his rents to the highest legal point.

Randall Gaining Strength.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—Mr. Randall's condition is fairly satisfactory. There were indications of a recurrence of some of the unfavorable symptoms yesterday, but they were promptly overcome and he continues to rest quietly and gather strength.

The White Pasha.

PARIS, July 18.—The explorer Burtin is of the opinion that the White Pasha, who is at Bahr-El-Gazel, is not Stanley, but Emin Bey, who, he thinks, is striking northward. He does not believe his force is strong enough to attack Khartoum.

Protest Against a Seizure.

CONSTANTINOPLE, July 18.—A protest has been made by the Railway Junction Company against the seizure by Bulgaria of the Bellova-Rakavel Railway. The intervention of the French Embassy has also been asked.

A HORROW OF THE SEA.

The Steamer Fulda Sinks a Large Fishing Schooner.

A NUMBER OF LIVES LOST.

Passengers on the Fulda See the Doomed Men Rush up From the Sailing Vessel's Cabin, and Hear Their Cry "Ave Maria!" in their despair as the Steamer Cuts Through Their Craft.

NEW YORK, July 18.—The Steamship Fulda arrived here yesterday bearing with her the tale of another horror of the sea.

Saturday morning, about 9.30 o'clock, when the steamer was off the Banks of Newfoundland, a fog set in and shut out all but a narrow circle of sea about the vessel. The steamer was running under reduced pressure and the fog signals were being sounded momentarily.

Faint rays of the morning sun stole through the dark and thick banks of clouds, while the loud peals of the steamer's fog-bell were carried beyond the mist. Capt. Bingk was particularly cautious and rigidly told his lookouts to keep a sharp watch. Suddenly one of his men cried out:

"Ship ahead!"

The warning came too late. The air was suddenly filled with frantic shouts, which caused all the passengers of the Fulda to leave the breakfast table and rush excitedly to the deck.

An appalling sight met their gaze. Directly in front of the steamer was a fishing schooner lying at anchor, calmly awaiting the fatal blow. The engines of the steamer were reversed, but the time was too short to check the momentum.

An almost imperceptible shock soon followed and the sharp bow of the Fulda went right through the frail fishing schooner, severing her in two pieces, which scraped for a few minutes along the iron hull and were then left far astern. The work of destruction occupied only a few seconds.

The scene that followed beggars description. Tha hardy fishermen, who wore red shirts and red caps, loudly shouted the "Ave Maria," while some of them frantically endeavored to climb up the steamer's side, but slipped back into the water before assistance could be given them.

While the steamer swept through the schooner twenty or thirty of the fishermen could be seen rushing from the cabin to the deck of the sinking schooner. They sprang into the rigging, vainly endeavoring to escape almost an inevitable doom. Before the agonizing eyes of the Fulda's passengers, amid the plaintive cadences of the poor fishermen's "Ave Maria," the little schooner now cut in two, with its heroic crew clinging to the rigging, suddenly disappeared.

The cruel and death-dealing mist cast an impenetrable covering over the wreck of the unfortunate fisherman, and it cannot be said whether the whole band perished. The passengers on the Fulda who witnessed all this say that to their dying days they will never forget the awful picture of death which was shown to them for those few minutes and was then shut out forever by the curtain of fog.

As soon as the Fulda could be brought to a standstill, Capt. Bingk immediately turned around, and for over an hour searched for the wreck and its victims. The fog, still dense and thick, refused to disclose them, and reluctantly the officers resumed their voyage.

The officers said the wrecked fishing smack was large two-masted schooner of the regulation style of the Bank schooner. As far as could be observed she carried sixteen dories, which were hoisted on her decks when she was struck. Her sails were furled, and only a lookout and several other men were on deck.

The fate of the men is unknown. It may be that they were rescued by some other fishing schooner, for Captain Bingk says, judging from the peals of fog-horns which he heard when searching for the men, he concluded that he was in the midst of an immense fleet of fishing smacks.

The disaster occasioned universal sorrow aboard the vessel, but the officers say that they are not responsible, as every precaution had been taken.

The Mills Bill.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—The members of the House who are out of the city have been asked to return at once and be ready to vote on the tariff bill.

Speaker Carlisle expresses the opinion that a vote could be taken on Thursday, but the general impression is that there will be no vote on the bill until Saturday.

The majority will make the proposition for a vote on the latter date, and the Republicans will probably agree to it. It is possible to reach a vote earlier than Saturday, but it is thought advisable to wait until that time so as give the absentees an opportunity to reach the city.

The Democrats expect to pass the bill in the House by a majority of ten or fifteen.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

FOREST fires are causing great damage to the vicinity of Carthage, N. Y.

WILLIAM COLEMAN of Fairfield, Conn., committed suicide Tuesday by shooting.

THE Canadian Government has issued strict orders for the suppression of polygamy in the province.

MICHAEL GORMAN fell from a building in Providence, R. I., which he was painting, and he was instantly killed.

LANDGRAFF of St. Louis who was to be hanged for the murder of his sweetheart, has been adjudged insane by Dr. Priest.

THOMAS COGGSWELL of Gilmantown, N. H., announces that he will not decline a nomination for Governor if tendered him.

PATRICK E. MORRISSEY has pleaded guilty of manslaughter in killing Sylvanus Morgan at North Adams May 2d.

CONRAD JACKSON was hanged at Waco, Tex., Tuesday, for the murder of John Talley, a painter, committed a year ago.

REV. DR. D. H. RIDDLE, a prominent Presbyterian divine, formerly of Pittsburg, died at Falls Church, Va., Monday night.

NELSON HOUGHTON of Tilbury Centre, Ont., was shot and killed by burglars Monday night. They stole $500 from his house.

JOHN J. HAND, who up to two years ago was one of the proprietors of the Galveston (Tex.) News, died at Galveston on Monday night.

A BATTERY with eighty men and twelve special constables has gone to Victoria to suppress the Indian uprising.

EXTRA.

SECOND EDITION!

Brutally Murdered.

THE VICTIM'S NAME.

What Post Mortem Examination of the Westfield Remains, Reveals.

County Physician Westcott held a post-mortem examination over the remains at Casey's Morgue, late this afternoon, but the result of the examination was not announced at this writing. The doctor stated, however, that it was purely a case of murder, in a most brutal form.

THE PRESS can furnish its readers with additional information, which now bids fair to unravel the mystery. The murdered man's name is "F. M. Gates." This name with the words "January 1878," were found written in a book of Bible verses, found in the dead man's clothing. The book was evidently presented to him by some Sunday school, but of where is not known.

Any person who can furnish any information whatever concerning the man should communicate the facts at once to Chief Keron of Elizabeth, or to John M. C. Marsh at Westfield. The inquest will be held at the Town Rooms, Westfield, Monday afternoon next, at four o'clock.

TO-DAY THEY DIE.

Henry Ebert and George Kearney to Hang.

NEW YORK, July 18.—Henry Ebert, the wife murderer, will pay the penalty of his crime on the gallows in Hudson County to-day. The Court of Pardons, which met at Trenton yesterday decided not to interfere in any way with the execution.

Ebert fully expected that his brother Fred and his counsel, Mr. Daly, who had gone to Trenton to plead his case before the Court of Pardons, would be successful and that he would be saved from the gallows. All day yesterday he waited patiently and hopefully for a reprieve.

During the day he talked cheerfully to the jailer, his keepers and his spiritual adviser, Rev. Mr. Maury, who were the only ones admitted. He talked of his childhood days, smoked occasionally and looked out of his cell window at the street.

When he was told late yesterday that a reprieve had been denied he broke down for an instant, but recovered his composure immediately. The watch was doubled last night and Mr. Maury was alone with the condemned. The minister thinks Ebert will confess that he killed his wife before he dies.

The gallows was erected yesterday under the supervision of James Van Hise, of Newark, whose son Walter will superintend the hanging of Ebert.

George Richard Kearney, the condemned murderer, will also be hanged at Freehold, N. J., to-day. He stoutly maintains his innocence of the crime for which he will hang and was quite cheerful all day yesterday.

He declares that he has nothing to add to the confession made several months ago regarding the assault upon Angelena Herbert, of Eatontown, for which Mingo Jack was lynched two years ago.

Kearney's wife visited him yesterday morning and completely broke down. The unfortunate man had all he could do to control himself, and spoke words of comfort to the heart-broken woman.

The Labor Committee.

WASHINGTON, July 17.—Mr. Ford's select House Committee on the Importation of Contract and Pauper Labor, held its first session yesterday. The proceedings were confined to a discussion of the plan to be followed in making the inquiry, and the result was a decision to leave here for New York some day next week and begin with an investigation of the state of affairs at Castle Garden. Further than this the programme was not clearly outlined, but it is probable that Boston will be the next city visited.

The opinion was expressed that two weeks will suffice to cover these points, and a recess will then be taken until fall. Upon resuming the committee will probably proceed to San Francisco to inquire into the Chinese labor question.

Manderville's Death.

DUBLIN, July 18.—The investigation into the death of Mr. Mandeville, who is said to have died from the results of his treatment in Tullemore Jail, was begun to-day.

His widow testified that he had complained of a sore throat while in jail and was unable to swallow. The prison doctor failed to relieve him and had given a certificate that he was in fit condition to receive punishment.

Biography of William.

BERLIN, July 18.—The biogrphy of the late Emperor William will be compiled by Baron Roggenbach.

It is expected that Empress Victoria, Queen Victorio, the Eemperor of Austria and Russia, King of Italy, Duke of Saxe-Coburg and Gotha, and a number of scientists, artists and army officers will contribute.

Fremont on the Retired List.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—In the Senate yesterday Gen. John C. Fremont was placed on the retired list as Major-General of the army after objections by Messrs. Reagan and Cockrell. The vote was: Yeas, 29; nays, 21

Debate on Irish Estimates.

LONDON, July 18.—The Parnellites will raise prolonged debates on the Irish estimates in Parliament. The Tories are in favor of dropping the Commission bill if Mr. Smith's conditions are not accepted.

OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Two carriages came in collision on East Front street, on Monday, which resulted in wrecking a wheel on one of the vehicles.

—We have not heard of anyone complaining about the weather lately. The evenings are delightfully cool, and about the proper thing for sleeping.

—The choir of the Crescent Avenue church in a parlor car, will accompany the excursion of the Warren and Hope Missions, on Friday, to Ocean Grove.

—A scandal is said to be brewing in the Third Ward, in which a single-man, an unfaithful wife and a shot gun will probably be followed by proceedings for divorce.

—The Y. M. C. A., Crescents of this city will play the Y. M. C. A's of New Brunswick, on the East Front street grounds, Saturday afternoon. Game called at 3:30.

—Officer Lynch was called to a house on East Fifth street, late on Monday evening, and when he arrived there he found a man acting wildly with delirium tremens.

—The young man Khume, who was discharged from the Scottt Press Works, as told in THE PRESS yesterday, denies that he is firmly bound to his landlord by an over-grown board bill. The police got on track of him this morning, but he escaped.

—A number of horseback riders went galloping through Seventh street, on Sunday afternoon, at great speed. Officer Grant's attention was directed to the riders, but he was unable to ascertain their names. Fast driving or riding through the streets of the city is punishable by a fine or imprisonment.

—Three excursions passed through Plainfield today, one of which was running in two sections. One was from Philadelphia to Ocean Grove; one from Philadelphia to Jersey City; and one from Jersey City to Mauch Chunk. Forty-four Plainfielders bought tickets at this station and accompanied the last mentioned excursion.

North Plainfield Democratic Meeting.

The following invitation was recently sent out to a number of the Democrats in North Plainfield, which will explain itself:

North Plainfield, N. J., July 13, 1888.

DEAR SIR:—A meeting will be held on Tuesday evening, July 17, at eight o'clock, at 109 Jackson avenue. You are requested to be present and assist in perfecting arrangements to further the election of *Cleveland* and *Thurman*.

John H. Jackson, E. C. Morse,
John Becker, Jr., John Vetterlein,
John Bodine, W. H. Pangborn,
Andrew E. Kenney, Lewis R. Blackford,
C. J. Feytel, F. M. Slater,
Ira F. Riker.

Pursuant to the above call there was a fair gathering at the residence of C. J. Feytel, on Jackson avenue, last evening. Mr. John Bodine was elected chairman and Mr. Fred Slater secretary.

A new club was organized and temporary officers were elected. The new club will be known as the "Cleveland and Thurman Club" of North Plainfield. Resolutions were adopted endorsing the nomination of Cleveland and Thurman; also endorsing President Cleveland's letter. A committee of two was appointed to procure a banner and also to make arrangements for securing rooms, etc. The committee was also instructed to look for a suitable spot and ascertain the probable cost of erecting a wigwam for political purposes. Adjournment was made for one week, at the same time and place, when permanent officers will be elected.

Meeting of the City Republican Executive Committee.

The City Republican Executive Committee held a meeting in the Republican Association rooms last evening, and elected Messrs. D. W. Littell from the First ward and Geo. D. Patton from the Second ward as members of the Committee, in place of the late Geo. M. Stiles and Councilman J. B. Dumont, the latter resigned.

A committee of four, Messrs. F. A. Dunham, J. B. Coward, D. W. Littell and C. M. Goddard were appointed to negotiate for the purchase of a banner, after which the meeting adjourned for one week.

Seaside Assembly.

The Summer School of Pedagogy opened its annual session in Educational Hall, Asbury Park, on Monday, and the school will continue for three weeks. The departments of manual training, natural sciences, mathematics, geography, vocal music, botany, language, phonics, elocution, oratory, penmanship, history, etc., will be in charge of celebrated educators from every section of the United States. Plainfield people sanction this movement and the session will doubtless be well patronized.

THE INQUEST IN THE WESTFIELD MYSTERY.

A Coroner's Jury that Will View the Remains this Afternoon.

By order of Coroner David Miller, M. D., of Elizabeth, a jury of Westfield townsmen was subpœnaed this morning to sit upon the case of the unknown man found dead in the woods at Westfield, Sunday, with a crushed skull.

The jury consists of Wm. S. Welch, Jos. Moffett, John J. Wahl, Matthew Beiler, John D. Jacques, Edgar R. Pearsall, Hugo Kurzhals, C. P. Wilcox and George B. Lines. This list may be changed or increased—but nine is the least in number that can serve.

Accompanying Coroner Miller and County Physician Westcott, the jury will come to Plainfield this afternoon and view such remains as are left. A certificate can then be issued for burial. Afterwards the inquest will probably be adjourned until to-morrow morning.

The tracing by THE PRESS of the day on which the railroad ticket found on the body was sold, has directed the attention of Westfield residents to certain circumstances surrounding such date, and developments in the case if not an immediate solution of the mystery, may be expected, when the inquest reopens, as a result of the clews presented in these columns.

We might give today the name of one who undoubtedly knows something of the time, occasion and manner of the unknown man's death, but the ends of justice could thus be defeated. Our readers may be assured, however, that each step towards the solution of the mystery, that may be made public without damage to the case, will be given in THE PRESS.

A PLAINFIELD DELEGATE'S REPORT.

The National Convention at Chicago of the Young People's Associations of Christian Endeavor.

Plainfield was represented at the National Convention of the Young People's Associations of Christian Endeavor, held at Chicago, during the first week of July, by Mr. H. E. Gayle, a delegate from the Y. P. A., of Trinity Reformed church.

At the meeting of the latter society held on Monday evening, Mr. Gayle was present and read a most interesting report of the Convention proceedings, including statistics of the growth of Y. P. A.'s all over the country.

Delegations assembled from almost every State, Missouri alone sending about 300. The building in which the convention was held, was capable of seating about 6,000, yet at some of the sessions it was filled to overflowing.

Reports showed that there were now 4,879 Associations of Christian Endeavor formed by the young people of the churches, with a total membership of 310,000. New York has about 600 of these associations and Pennsylvania 1,000. New Jersey has increased her number in one year from 80 to 178 and has a total membership of 13,000.

Through the influence of the Societies, it was stated, 22,000 of association members and their friends, have been brought into church membership.

Mr. Gayle also read President Clark's address to the Convention, including the following which he recommended should be adopted:

ADDITION TO THE MODEL CONSTITUTION:

Since it would in the end defeat the very object of our organization if the older active members who have been trained in the society for usefulness in the church should remain content with fulfilling their pledge to the society only, therefore it is expected that these older members, when it shall become impossible for them to attend the weekly prayer meetings, shall be transferred to the honorary membership of the society, if previously faithful to their vows as active members. This transfer, however, shall be made with the understanding that the prayer-meeting pledge of each honorary member shall be binding upon him for faithful attendance and participation in the usual church prayer-meeting instead of the society meeting. It shall be left to the lookout committee, in conjunction with the pastor, to see that this transfer of membership is made as occasion requires. Special pains shall also be taken to see that a share of the duties and responsibilities, both of the prayer meeting and of the general work of the society, shall be done by the younger members.

Runaway on South Avenue.

An exciting runaway occurred on South avenue near Beckman street, about 11 o'clock yesterday morning. The runaway team consisted of two handsome and evenly matched bay horses, and a rockaway, in which were seated some ladies. The name of the owner could not be ascertained. The horses dashed madly along South avenue, and at the intersection of Beckman street one of them fell to the ground, and was there held fast until assistance arrived. The ladies were thrown out but not seriously injured, and were able to proceed on their journey when the harness was adjusted and some slight repairs made to the vehicle.

A New Grocery Firm.

The grocery business heretofore conducted by Mr. H. T. Smith at the corner of Broadway and Fifth street, has passed into the hands of Messrs. Estelle & Taylor, well-known and experienced men from Newark, where they have carried on a successful business for the past five years. The new firm took possession on Monday, and will conduct a first-class business in every particular. By courteous treatment and fair dealing these gentlemen hope for liberal patronage. One of the members of the firm will permanently locate here within a few months, so as to personally superintend the business.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

City Judge George P. Suydam has been in Albany for a day or two past attending to business engagements.

Mrs. W. E. Lowe, of Park avenue, is at Hesperus House, Magnolia, N. H., until the first of September.

Mr. Henry Craft left today for a two weeks' trouting along the brooks of Sullivan county, New York.

Mrs. Francis C. Harder will remain two weeks' longer at "The Waldemawr," Wolf Run P. O., Lycoming Co., Penn.

Freeholder A. Vanderbeek and wife, started last evening for Lake Hopatcong, where they will remain for a few days.

Dr. D. Godfrey Atwood is at Asbury Park, attending the meeting of the State Dental Society which is in session there.

Mr. Alfred W. Sutphen, of Brooklyn, returned home today, after a two weeks' visit with relatives in this city, Somerville and vicinity.

Mr. John Cameron, wife and daughter start for Long Branch today, where they will be registered for the season at "Hotel Abbotsford."

Earnest, infant son of Mr. and Mrs. Ferdinand Fish, died yesterday after a sickness that had been continued during the entire five months of his life.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Brown of the Borough start this afternoon for the Adirondacks for a sojourn on the beautiful banks of the Saranac Lake, N. Y. State.

Miss Kate F. Kimball left yesterday for Framingham, Mass., where she will be absent for a few days, returning again before her departure to the Summer Assembly at Chautauqua that begins about the first of August.

A young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Otto Ebel of Duer street, North Plainfield, died on Sunday. The funeral took place from the house, yesterday, at five P. M. Rev. Dr. Yerkes officiated. Interment was made in Evergreen Cemetery.

Frazee Lee, whose brother, Daniel, was buried last week, is lying at the point of death at his house near Two Bridges. Dr. Long, the attending physician, reports his recovery as impossible and states that his death is only a matter of a few days.

Mr. A. C. Vail of Eight street and Madison avenue, has recently added to his stables, valuable saddle horses for himself and his daughter, Miss Carie Vail. One of the animals has eight different gaits under the saddle, besides driving well in harness.

John L., the infant son of Mr. Samuel M., and Ella Brewster, died on Saturday of cholera infantum. Rev. Mr. Richards conducted the funeral from the house, corner of Park place and Putnam street, yesterday morning at 8:30 o'clock. Interment was made at Greenwood.

Another advantage possessed by good Seventh Day Baptists, is that they may a fishing go on Sunday and be not drowned. Messrs. T. S. Randolph, F. A. Dunham, Charles Randolph and Frank Rogers went to Princess' Bay, last Sunday, and had a total catch of forty large weak fish.

Mr. A. M. Vanderbeek, of the sporting firm of A. M. V. & Co., Mr. Joseph Sattels, the expert piano tuner, and Mr. W. Cadmus, of base-ball fame, started this morning for Perth Amboy to hunt the weak fish. Will they get any? We await the news by wire, and the fish by freight.

Mr. F. E. Miller, of The Netherwood, gave the children a picnic in the grounds of his hotel, this morning, and sent them all afterwards for a ride in the stage. The little ones collected seven dollars among their friends, spent three for their own refreshment and will send the balance to the Fresh Air Fund.

Messrs. C. G. Cistere, John Rickert and C. H. Burton, representing the Satin Gloss Soap Company of New York are in the city, advertising the firm's goods. The colored groom, Burton, looks as neat as a tin soldier in his bright uniform, and handles the reins over three handsome horses with the skill of a jockey.

Much anxiety has been felt by the many friends of Miss Bulkley in this city, because no report of the arrival at Glasgow of the "Furnesia" on which she sailed, has been received. The steamer left New York June 30, and upon enquiring at the New York office of the line today, we learn of its arrival safely at its destination, July 10.

One of Westfield's Philanthropists.

The "University Mirror," of Lewisburg, Pa,, is the college monthly published by the students of Bucknell University. In its issue of this month is given an account of the conferring, by its faculty and board of trustees, of the degree of LL. D., upon Chauncey B. Ripley, Esq.

A brief biographical sketch of Mr. Ripley closes as follows:

October 4, 1865, he married Cornelia Ross, daughter of Hon. Gideon Ross of Westfield, Union County, New Jersey. His wife, Cornelia, died March 14, 1883. While attending to the duties of an active practice in his profession, Mr. Ripley has found time to develop and improve real estate in Westfield, New Jersey, where he resides, to the greatest satisfaction of himself and the admiration of many city friends who visit him at his country home. Mr. Ripley is one of the largest real estate owners in Westfield and has opened and graded more than ten miles of roads, planting shade trees, building houses and otherwise beautifying his grounds during the twenty years or more he has been in the active practice of law.

Plainfield Tax Rate.

Following are the tax valuations in this city as decided upon by the County Board of Assessors on Monday:

Plainfield—real estate, $4,680,000; personal, $1,025,650; liabilities, $138,750; total, $5,666,900; polls, 2,025.

The proportion of the county tax for the city was estimated at $28,664.65, and the State school tax at $17,315.52.

WE HAPPEN TO HAVE

LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

WE ARE RUNYON & CO., AND OUR BUSINESS IS FURNITURE.

NEW STYLISH GOODS!

YES; that's just what they are, by prudent buying and marking our goods at Low prices, we have closed out the Summer stock so close that we have but little old goods to run off. But we can offer our patrons extra inducements in new Fresh Goods just bought at greatly reduced prices, on account of the lateness of the season. For instance, we have just opened a

BRAND-NEW lot of handsome new styles, first quality of Satteens, at 20c., the 25c grade; elegant 36in. Batiste, at 12½c; pretty Punjab Percales, 36in. wide, at 15c; Simpson's 3-4 Batiste, at 7c. New Windsor Foulards, 36in. wide, at 9c; light Merimack Prints, at 6c; Wool Challies, 16c. Full line White Goods at Low Prices. White, All-Wool Jerseys, Silk Braided, at $2 50, worth $3 00.

PARASOLS at Reduced Prices. A new lot of very handsome Hamburg Flouncings, at $1 00, worth $1 25; at $1 35, worth $1 50; at $1 50, worth $1 75; at $2 50, worth $3 00. A full line of White and Colored

ALBATROS, at 49c to 55c; White and Colored Surah Silks, and Morie Silks, Sash and Fancy Ribbons, "Foster" and "Harris" Kid Gloves, Fabric Gloves, Mits. Thompson's and "C. P." Corsets, etc.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE.*

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. EDSALL'S.

5-18-tf

ARRIVAL & DEPARTURE OF MAILS.

NEW YORK MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 and 10.00 a. m.; 2.00 and 5.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—7.30, 8.50, 11.45 a. m.; 2.30, 5.30 p. m

SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window. Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 12, 1888.

Anderson, F. W.
Anderson, Mrs. Mary
Adair, Wm.
Angie, D. A. (2)
Apgar, Miss Emma
Brokaw, E. B.
Brown, Emma S.
Bunn, Mrs. Nellie
Bostwick, Miss Martha
Bailey, Miss M.
Bull, Mrs. Benj.
Baum, J. H.
Burns, Mary
Benton, Mrs. Lewis (2)
Boyle Katie L.
Chamberlain, William
Clark, Mrs. Katie
Delano, Mrs. H. C.
Douglas, Frank E.
Delainy, Mary
Dobbs, Mrs. Barbara
Davis, Mr. J. H.
Dater, Mr. & Mrs. Hiram R.
Ferguson, Dr.
Fleurie, Edward
Flippin, Linward
Fleming, Andrew S.
Fruen, Mrs. H.
Foster, H.
Graves, Miss Ella
Hoyt, Mrs. E. F.
Havilund, Mr. & Mrs. Geo. D.
Kubowik, Albert
Lebault, Dolph
Langford, Mrs. Crissie
Bauchli, Mlle. M.
Lazier, A. F.
Leonard, Mrs. Henry
Marsh, Chas. A.
Manning, Miss Lizzie A.
McLaughlin, Miss Katie
McGrath, Miss Mary
Morisy, Miss Mary
McCauly, Mary
Moore, Mrs. Alla
Murray, Mrs. Annie
Moore, Miss Annie A.
Norris, Fred
Nolan, J. H.
Platt, Charles
Proctor, Mrs. Francis B.
Pound, Mrs. Jennie
Randolph, Edward
Reynolds, Mrs. Lizzie
Ralph, John
Sephas, Miss Eliza Jane
Saltus, F. H.
Sulivan, Miss Kate
Stevens, Maggie
Sharott, Mrs. Maggie
Stockwell, Wm.
Scribner, Isaac W.
Slaight, Henry S.
Stephenson, J. H.
Toms, Miss Annie E.
Whiteuff, Charles
Wooden, Miss Eliza A.
Williams, Miss May
Williams, Miss Amelia
Wurzenrieth, John

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

FISH—At Plainfield, N. J., July 17, Ernest F., infant son of Ferdinand and Mary L. Fish. Interment private.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

FOUND—A pocketbook on afternoon train between Plainfield and Evona, Saturday, 14th instant, containing small sum of money. Owner may have by identifying. Address, W. H., 92 William Street, New York City.

A GENTLEMAN and wife want board in private family. Address, T. B., Post office.

BARGAIN—$45.—A British Challenge Bicycle—56in. Strong, staunch Wheel; in good condition. Address, N. Macy, 39 Nassau St., N. Y.

FOUND—On Thursday of last week, a Masonic Watch Charm, which owner can have by proving property and paying for this advertisement. Apply at PRESS office. 7-17-2

TO LET—Part of a house at Netherwood; four rooms. Enquire at Netherwood store. 7-17-2

WANTED—5 or 6 nice rooms; central location; rent low. Address, "Rooms," PRESS office. 7-16-tf

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7-tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street, N. Y. city. my20tf

Jersey Milk is the People's Choice.

Put up in Bottles.

Address a postal card to

D. L. DARBY, Box 1,082, Plainfield. 5-18-y

--No. 8--

PARK AVENUE.

Fancy Goods

Worsteds,

Notions,

STAMPING!

EXCURSION

OF THE

Warren Mission & Hope Chapel

SUNDAY SCHOOLS

TO

Asbury Park & Ocean Grove,

FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1888.

TICKETS, - - - $1 25

CHILDREN, (5 to 12,) - - 90c

Train leaves Plainfield 8:05, Grant avenue, 8 o'clock. 7-14-5

LAING & NELSON

EXCURSION

TO

LONG BRANCH and OCEAN GROVE,

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-td

STILL OPEN!

Great Fire Insurance Sale!

$40,000

Worth of Men's, Boys' and Children's

CLOTHING!

Saved from the late Broadway, New York, fire, must be closed out in

15 DAYS,

By order of the Insurance Companies. Great Fire Insurance Sale, beginning

Saturday July 14,

1888, at 7 A. M., and to continue for 15 days, at

LAING'S HALL,

FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The appraisers for the Insurance Companies, after carefully examining the stock of Clothing considered that the same was not so badly damaged as claimed by the assured Clothing Manufacturers, and failing to agree as to the actual loss, were forced to take the stock, turn it into money, and the goods must be sold at once, in order to make a final settlement. All goods are appraised at forty cents on the dollar of manufacturer's cost; and this is all we want for them. The great Fire Insurance Sale will enable people in Plainfield and vicinity to secure their Clothing for almost nothing.

We Will Tell You Merely a Few BARGAINS:

Men's Business Suits, all to match, for.... $3.15
This suit costs to manufacture, $13.65, and if it does not suit you in every respect, or if you don't think it worth $13.65, bring it back any time inside of four days, and we will pay you $3.15.
Elegant Cheviot Suits, worth $15 00, must go for.... 4.15
Extra Fine Quality Men's Suits, tailor made 5.90
This is an elegant Suit and worth $17 00.
G. A. R.—Warranted all wool and fast color, Blue Flannel Suits, sold everywhere for $15 00, at.... 7.05
1,000 different kinds Diagonal, Worsted and Corkscrew Suits, which cost to manufacture about $20 00, we will sell for.... 8.99
Good Working Pants, worth $2 50, marked 74
We offer an elegant pair Men's Cassimere Pants, at.... 1.00
that cannot be bought elsewhere for less than $4 00.
Boys' Suits, suitable for the season, worth $6 00, at.... 1.75
Boys' Pants, worth $1 00, for.... 25
600 Dozen Suspenders, per pair,.... 10

Don't fail to call and examine this stock at retail; it costs nothing to call and judge for yourself, and you will find everything just as cheap as mentioned in this circular. A chance to get such bargains will never occur again.

We reserve the right to limit purchasers as to quantity, to prevent dealers taking advantage of this sale.

Doors open from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M., during this sale. Come at all hazards—it will pay you.

LOOK FOR THE BIG SIGN,

GREAT FIRE INSURANCE SALE.

Laing's Hall, Front St., Plainfield, N. J. 7-17-

Boarding and Furnished Rooms,

SYCAMORE STREET, opposite Bicycle Club House, and in front of Central Railroad station.

Mrs. Mary Yaeger. 6-16-y

PECK'S CORNER.

LACES. LACES.

LACES.

AT PECK'S!

LACES.

LACES. LACES.

SHOT DOWN!

We will sell for a

SHORT TIME,

Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45,

Chilled " " " " " $1.70.

Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,

Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.

A Nice Rod for the BOYS. 18cts.

Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

Ask to see the Springfield Roadster—the SAFETY WHEEL.

A. M. VANDERBEEK & CO.,

At 33 PARK AVE.,

(Successors to A. Vanderbeek.)

PLAINFIELD, N. J.

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Fly Screens, Ice Cream Freezers, Summer Blankets, Refrigerators, etc., at

J. P. LAIRE & CO'S.,

Corner Front Street and Park Avenue.

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P. H. BENNETT,

(Successor to B. H. Bachman)

DEALER IN

BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,

MEATS OF ALL KINDS,

Fruits and Vegetables in their Season

42 PARK AVENUE,

PLAINFIELD, N. J.

Goods Delivered to any part of the city. 'Tis

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(Successor to Wm. H. Shotwell.

FINE GROCERIES,

Fruits and Vegetables

IN THEIR SEASON.

North Plainfield, - New Jersey.

CORNER DUER & EMILY STREETS.

1-13-tf

Howell & Hardy,

Fancy and Staple Groceries,

CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.

Creamery and Dairy Butter

FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,

North Avenue, Opposite Depot,

PLAINFIELD, N. J.

TELEPHONE CALL, 30. 11-28-tf

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PHILADELPHIA LAWN MOWERS

HARDWARE,

PLUMBING,

TINNING.

Have your FURNACES cleaned NOW and save money, time and inconvenience.

A. M. GRIFFEN,

13 East Front Street.

TELEPHONE CALL 6.

PETER W. McDONOUGH,

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NO. 66 PARK AVE., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES. 5-1-tf

Cesspools, Closets, Wells, &c.,

Thoroughly cleaned out and repaired. Also, new ones built. Ten years experience. Ashes and garbage removed. Charges low; satisfaction guaranteed. JOHN BARRY.

Residence—Corner Madison avenue and Willow street, North Plainfield, N. J. Orders by mail, P. O. Box 1,482, will receive prompt attention. 5-4-1

POINTS FOR VOTERS.

From the Utterances of President Grant, President Arthur, James G. Blaine and the Republican Platforms.

We favor the entire repeal of internal taxes [whiskey and tobacco], rather than the surrender of any part of our protective system.—*Republican platform of* 1888.

Revenue, *except so much as may be derived from a tax upon tobacco and liquors*, should be raised by duties upon importations.—*Republican platform of* 1872.

To cheapen the price of whisky is to increase its consumption enormously. *There would be no sense in urging the reform wrought by high license in many States if the National Government neutralizes the good effect by making whisky within reach of every one at twenty cents a gallon—Blaine's Paris interview.*

We condemn the position of the Democratic party to place wool on the free list. *Republican platform of* 1888.

I recommend an enlargement of the free list, so as to include within it the numerous articles which yield in considerable revenue, a simplification of the complex and inconsistent schedule of duties upon certain manufactures, particularly those of cotton, iron and steel, and a substantial reduction of the duties upon those articles, and upon sugar, molasses, silk, *wool and woollen goods.—President Arthur's last message.*

I would mention (for the free list and for lower duties) those articles which enter into manufactures of all sorts. *All duty paid upon such articles goes directly to the cost of the article when manufactured here, and must be paid for by the consumer.* These duties not only come from the consumers at home, but act as a protection to foreign manufacturers in our own and distant markets.—*President Grant's seventh annual message.*

MEETING OF THE "TIPPECANOE CLUB."

Perfecting an Organization—Officers Elected and Committees Appointed.

A large and enthusiastic audience assembled at "Gep's" headquarters on East Front street, last evening, at the second regular meeting of the recently organized "Tippecanoe Club." The object of the meeting was to form a permanent organization.

The meeting was called to order by Hon. John Ulrich, who was chosen President at the first meeting of the Club. Judge Ulrich thanked the members for the honor thus conferred upon him, and wound up with a ringing speech in advocacy of Republican principles. Mr. W. R. Codington was elected Secretary *pro tem.*

The following persons were appointed by the chair, as a Committee on Permanent Officers: Chas. Hand, Wm. Claassen, and Morgan Turton. The Committee reported as follows:

President—Hon. John Ulrich.

Vice Presidents—Messrs. Geo. P. Suydam, Manning Vermeule, B. F. Coriell, C. H. Rugg.

Secretary—N. W. Conway.

Treasurer—J. W. Murray, Jr.

Sergeant-at-Arms—Thomas C. Price.

Committees were appointed by the chair as follows, there being two members from each ward:

Executive—First ward, Morgan Turton, Wm. Claassen; Second ward, V.W. Nash, Joseph Racey; Third ward, Marvin M. Dunham, Amos Moffett; Fourth ward, W. J. Ford, B. F. Higgins.

Committee on Constitution and By-Laws—W. R. Codington, B. T. Barnes, J. E. Flannery.

Committee on Campaign Literature—Gershom Frazee, Thomas C. Price, Aug. M. Frazee.

Committee on Uniforms, whose duty it is to take into consideration the advisability of providing the Club with uniforms—John Chandler, F. Dunn, and William Ayers.

Committee on Rooms—Charles Hand, F. R. Stevens, E. J. Cooley.

Committee on Speakers—E. W. Titsworth, Hugo Weigmann and Marvin M. Dunham.

A motion was made and carried that the meeting adjourn until Tuesday evening next, at the same time and place. After three rousing cheers were given for the Republican candidates, the meeting was declared adjourned.

The Case Adjourned.

A horse belonging to Michael Weber of this city, was badly injured by coming in contact with a barbed wire fence in front of property owned by Mr. Warren Ackerman, on the road leading from Scotch Plains to Washingtonville, some time since, by which Mr. Weber instituted proceedings to recover $200 damages. The case came up before Justice Nodyne this morning, and was adjourned over until Saturday, the 28th inst., at 10 A. M. Mr. W. A. Coddington represents the plaintiff and Nelson Runyon the defendant.

500 Miles to Home.

Homing pigeons belonging to Messrs. Hervey Doane, George Sanders, Charles Doane and Sydney Dorman, were shipped by express to Charlotte, N. C., Tuesday. They will arrive at their destination about Friday, and will be received by the U. S. Signal Officer at that city. He will release the birds on the first clear day and telegraph to Plainfield when they start.

THE RETURN MATCH.

The Middlesex and Mercer Gun Clubs Again Contest for Supremacy—The Middlesex Boys Invincible and the Mercer Boys Courteous and Entertaining.

Tuesday, the 17th, was the day set apart for a return pigeon shooting match between the Middlesex Gun Club of Dunellen, N. J., and the Mercer Gun Club of Trenton, N. J. The Middlesex team left Plainfield on the 9:45 A. M. train for Trenton, were detained three quarters of an hour at Bound Brook and half an hour at Pennington on account of a smash-up near Trenton Junction, and arrived at Yardley about 12 M. Here they found the Trenton Club snugly ensconced in an apple orchard awaiting the arrival of their competitors, who were received with open arms upon their arrival.

Neat badges were pinned upon the manly breasts of the visiting team and friends by Manager Ed. Updegrove, and refreshments both liquid and substantial were served by attentive waiters under the shade of the grand old apple trees, that the writer trusts will not have to be cut down to satisfy the ambition of the Prohibition politician or "any other man."

After a sweepstakes at four birds each, in which there was 18 participants, the honors falling principally upon the Middlesex Club, the event of the day was commenced—a return match between teams of ten men from both clubs, ten birds to each man, *from five ground traps*, 30 yards rise, Middlesex Gun Club rules to govern. By universal consent, genial and trusty Al Heritage of the Jersey City Heights Gun Club was selected as referee, with Messrs. Warren Squires from the Middlesex and Charles Allen from the Mercer Club as Judges. The Captains of the teams were Messrs. E. Mountford for the Mercer's and Forrest for the Middlesex. The Mercer's were the first to the score. The shooting was excellent, although the traps were not stationed favorably for novices. We suspect the veteran Miles Johnson had the laying out of those traps. However, the boys get there all the same, and the result of the match was another victory for the Middlesex boys by a score of 73 to 64.

After the match came sweepstake shooting with twenty entries, which was prolonged until darkness put an end to the shooting. Later the visitors were conveyed by teams to Trenton where, after a wash and dusting at Ed. Updegrove's establishment, they were conducted to the well-known restaurant of Mr. Isaac A. Shreve, on North Green street, where a most bountiful repast was served, which did credit to the reputation of Mr. Shreve as a *caterer*, and which the boys did credit to. Speeches and songs were intersections between courses and after mutual congratulations all around, the visiting team were escorted in coaches to the 1:25 morning train and shipped to their various destinations. All agree that the Trenton boys are hard ones to beat in either shooting or feasting. May they come together again one of these days. Below is the score of the shoot in full:

MIDDLESEX GUN CLUB.

1st Squad.

Forrest	1	1	0	2	2	2	1	1	0	2—8
D. Terry	1	1	0	2	0	1	2	0	1	2—7
Tee Kay	0	0	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	0—4
G. Gaddis	1	1	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0—5
J. D. Voorhees	1	1	1	2	1	0	0	1	0	1—7—31

2d Squad.

C. Smith	1	1	2	1	0	0	0	1	2	1— 7
Williams	1	2	1	1	2	1	2	1	1	1—10
S. G. Smith	1	1	2	1	2	2	2	1	0	— 9
Quinlan	1	1	2	2	1	0	1	2	0	0— 7
Siegler	0	2	1	1	1	1	2	1	1	2— 9—42
Total killed										73

MERCER GUN CLUB.

1st Squad.

Mountford	1	0	1	1	1	0	0	2	0	2—6
Huston	1	1	2	2	0	2	0	1	1	0—7
D. Williams	1	2	2	1	1	1	1	1	0	1—9
M. Fox	1	0	2	1	0	0	1	1	0	0—5
Shreeves	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0—4—31

2d Squad.

Kuser	2	1	0	1	0	2	1	0	1	0—6
Miles Johnson	1	1	1	1	0	1	1	1	1	1—9
Ed Updegrove	2	1	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	0—7
Gaiser	1	0	1	0	2	0	1	2	0	0—5
Zwerlein	0	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	2	1—6—33
Total killed										64

IS HE HARRISON'S BURCHARD?

Bishop Vincent Says that He Is "An Anti-Romanist, and Therefore a Republican."

A despatch from Ellenville, N. Y., says that much comment in political and religious circles has been caused there by the publication in the last number of the Ellenville *Journal* (Rep.) of a letter written by Bishop Vincent to a lady in that town, defining his position in the pending canvass.

The Bishop recently lectured in Ellenville, and through his reference to prohibition and the Republican nominees left his hearers somewhat muddled as to his political predilections. One of them, the wife of a local Republican politician, thereupon addressed a letter to the great Chautauquan, asking him to define his position. In reply, the following was received, which was published in the *Journal* as stated:

TENT COTTAGE,
CHAUTAUQUA, July 5, 1888.

DEAR MRS. BILLINGS: I did not go to Ellenville to talk politics; therefore the uncertainty about my position, among those who heard me. I am not a "Third Party man." Being a true Prohibitionist and ANTI-ROMANIST, I am a Republican.

Truly yours, etc.,
JOHN H. VINCENT.

The publication is regarded by most Republicans in Ellenville as a great mistake, as it has had the effect to awaken a religious discussion that promises to prove very detrimental to the Republican campaign of winning Irish votes.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

THE PRISONS.

A Bill to be Considered by the Legislators To-day.

ALBANY, July 18.—The joint Republican caucus, announced after the morning session yesterday, was called to order promptly at 4 o'clock in the Court of Appeals room with a full attendance from both Houses. Senator Fassett was made chairman.

As soon as he rapped to order General Husted moved that a committee of nine Assemblymen and five Senators be appointed to meet at 8 o'clock and hear what was said on all sides on the prison appropriation matter which was agreed to.

After Mr. Yates had explained the provisions of his bill, Mr. Raines moved that the whole matter be left to the committee proposed by Mr. Husted, which was carried, and the chairman appointed the following:

Senators Sloan, Hendricks, Russell, Arnold, and Kellogg, Assemblymen Husted, Saxton, Hamilton, Ainsworth, Cole, Mace, Aspinwall Acker and Yates. It was after six o'clock when the caucus closed.

The general tenor of the addresses showed that the tendency was strongly in favor of a small appropriation and the substitution of hand work for machinery.

The caucus committee did not finish its labor until nearly 11 o'clock. Notices had been sent out inviting all persons interested in the prison labor problem to appear and address the committee.

The first gentleman heard was W. M. Dodge, a shoe manufacturer of this city, who employs about fifty hands. He advocated the adoption of the Yates bill.

He closed by informing the committee that over $300,000 was still on hand in the prison labor fund and that prison made shoes were put on the market for eighty cents, which could not be made for less than $1 by outside manufacturers.

T. J. Dowling, president of the State Trades Assembly, followed. He also spoke in favor of the Yates bill.

John Morrison of the New York Central Labor Union also advocated the adoption of the Yates bill.

The committee will formulate a bill to present to the caucus to-day. Its main feature will be the abolition of machinery in prison work. The appropriation will hardly exceed $250,000 and may be less.

HARRISON WELL.

He Makes a Trip to His Office and says So, Himself.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 18.—General Harrison appeared at his office yesterday and was apparently in his usual health.

He said the newspaper report of his recent indisposition were very much exaggerated. "I am myself again," he said, "and have not been so sick as to give my friends any uneasiness.

Dr. Jameson, General Harrison's physician, said of his patient. "I have discharged him from treatment altogether. An acute indigestion, accompanied by stomach pains was the beginning of his trouble. He was uncomfortable for a day or two at times. The pains have been periodic, but had there not been such a great demand upon the General I should have given him no treatment whatever.

"I advised him to remain as quiet as possible, for fear the crush of visitors and the noise and confusion of public receptions would bring on exhaustion and might lead to prostration and sickness. The trouble is yielded to the treatment and he is a well man."

Gen. Sheridan's Condition.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 18.—General Sheridan exhibited no perceptible change to-day. His failure to rally more rapidly causes considerable apprehension among his friends.

Colonel Sheridan says that with the exception of a slight gastric disturbance the general is doing well. The air here is so pure the oxygen treatment has been abandoned. The official bulletin is considered vague and misleading by medical men.

Three New England physicians who were discussing the case today agree that the General's case is much more serious than has been admitted. They assert that he is suffering from cirrhosis, valvular trouble, or Bright's disease.

Wreck on the Erie.

PORT JERVIS, N. Y., July 18.—At Sparrowbush, three miles from this village, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning a freight train heavily loaded was bowling along at a fair rate of speed, when a journal on a coal-car broke, throwing thirty cars off the track.

Fourteen cars filled with merchandise were thrown down the bank and entirely demolished. The rest are badly broken and both tracks are blocked. Loss, $30,000.

Baseball Games Played Tuesday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	2—4
New York	0	0	1	0	0	0	3	3	0	0—7

AT DETROIT.

Detroit	2	3	0	1	0	0	0	1	x	—7
Boston	0	0	0	1	1	0	3	0	1	—5

AT PITTSBURG.

Philadelphia	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	x	—2
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CLEVELAND.

Brooklyn	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Cleveland	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—2

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1
Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Athletics	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	1	1—6
Baltimore	0	0	2	0	0	1	0	2	0	0—5

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	3	0	1	2	1	2	0	0	1	1—10
Kansas City	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	—3

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 17, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	42	23	Brooklyn	46	23
Detroit	41	23	St. Louis	41	22
New York	39	26	Athletic	39	26
Boston	35	32	Cincinnati	41	26
Philadelphia	32	31	Baltimore	31	37
Indianapolis	24	39	Louisville	24	42
Pittsburg	22	38	Kansas City	20	43
Washington	21	43	Cleveland	21	44

Mr. Fuller's Case.

WASHINGTON, July 18.—The nomination of Melville W. Fuller to be Chief-Justice of the United States was not considered in the Senate yesterday, partly because of a desire to dispose of the Eight-Hour Back-Pay Compensation bill and partly because all the leading Senators were not present.

It has been agreed to go into executive session on the nomination early to-day.

THE captains of the French schooners Flanders, Virginia and Amazon have been fined $200 each and their vessels confiscated at St. John, N. B., for violating the fishing laws.

GEORGE H. JOHNSON of Minneapolis, who disappeared recently, returned when he heard he was charged with being an absconder. He says his doctors ordered him to take pedestrian exercise.

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Don't you boss him, don't you cross him
When the flowers are in bloom;
If you meet him try to greet him
With respect and lots of room.

Don't attend him, don't offend him
On the fragrant, flow'ry clumps;
I tell you why, he'll dot your eye
And give your ear the mumps.

One allusion in conclusion
To the weapon you should fear;
Only one, a needle gun,
Which fetches up the rear.

If you enrage him and engage him
In a battle with his foes,
Friends will wonder why in thunder
You wear that poultice on your nose.

In conclusion, in confusion,
Just break the ranks and run
From this yoeman, dauntless Roman,
With his hypodermic gun.

Tried it on His Wife.

Mr. Jones thought it would be a good idea to try the effect of some of his poetry on Mrs. Jones before offering it to the newspapers.

Discounting the Future.

Master Tommy had been naughty, and his mother, who believed in moral suasion, said to him:

If you are naughty you will vex mamma; then she will fall ill and will die, and you will be taken to the cemetery.

Master Tommy at once became serious and after being immersed in reflection a few seconds a smile of joyful anticipation beamed on his angelic countenance. Throwing his arms around his mother's neck, he exclaimed:

Oh, mamma! can't I sit alongside the coachman?—[Judge.

Not Pleasant Anticipation.

Newly-arrived minister—My son, can you direct me to the house of Brother Hollister?

Boy—Yes, sir, he's my father. Be you the new preacher?

Minister (pleasantly)—Yes, my son. Your father, I presume, is expecting me.

Boy—I guess so. I heard him tell maw this morning to kill two chickens for dinner. He said he was still keepin' the church hotel, and 'spected he'd always have to.—[Chicago Tribune.

A Weeping Mother.

Young man (to editor)—Here is a little poem of a pathetic nature, sir. I showed it to my mother and she actually cried over it.

Editor (after reading the poem)—You say your mother cried?

Young Man—Yes, sir.

Editor—Well, you go home and promise your mother never to write any more poetry, and I think the old lady will dry her eyes.—[Harper's Bazar.

Overworked Mr. So-and-So.

Citizen—(who wants to see government official)—Is Mr. So-and-So in?

Clerk—You are too early, sir. Mr. So-and-So is not down town yet. Come back in half an hour.

Citizen (at the expiration of the half hour)—Can I see Mr. So-and-So?

Clerk—You are too late, sir; Mr. So-and-So has gone for the day.—[Harper's Bazar.

A Victim of Fashion.

Early caller—Peter, is your master down yet?

"No, suh; he ain't down."

"Came home home in his usual condition, I suppose?"

"Yes, suh; but when he tuk off his shoes lass night he leaned up again de curt'n whar de do' used to be, an' he done feel bad dis mawnin."

Too Many Summers.

Miss Clara—Are you going to Saratoga this summer, Ethel, dear?

Miss Ethel—No; I think not; I am rather tired of Saratoga.

Miss Clara—Yes, I can imagine you would naturally tire of the place, dear, you have spent so many seasons there, you know.—[Harper's Bazar.

A Weak Effect.

She (gazing at the elephant)—What majesty, George! Such majestic dignity and conscious power!

He—Ye-es; but don't you think, dear, that the one small peanut he has just put into his huge body with such a childish relish somewhat weakens the general effect.—[Harper's Bazar.

Boys Together.

Wife (retrospectively)—I can remember so well, John, how fond you and my first husband were of each other. You were boys together, and your friendship lasted to the end.

Husband (sadly)—Ah, yes, poor fellow! His death has been a sad blow to me.—[Harper's Bazar.

A Big Lift.

Deacon (to country minister)—I s'pose, parson, that the advance in your salary from five hundred to six hundred dollars will be a big help to you?

Minister—Yes, indeed; the additional one hundred dollars will enable me to hire a man to collect the five hundred dollars.—[Harper's Bazar.

Woman Against Woman.

Mrs. Morris Parke—Mr. Rives is out of a great deal of night, isn,t he? My husband always spends his evenings at home!

Mrs. Riverside Rives—How kind of him! But, then, you know, Riverside and I have such perfect confidence in each other. [Puck.

In His Own Coin.

Well, Janet, asked a facetious husband, whose wife had just discharged the hired girl, are you going to bravely breast the waves of the domestic sea of troubles?

No, she answered demurely; I'm only going to stem the currants.

The Latest "Nickel" Machine.

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Bobby (holding up his joined hands, cup-wise)—Drop a nickel in the hole, papa, and you'll see me go.

Not Much Breakage.

I suppose Miss Astergoold's rejection of young Snipkins nearly broke his heart?

No, it didn't break his heart, but it busted his scheme to go abroad on her money.—[Harper's Bazaar.

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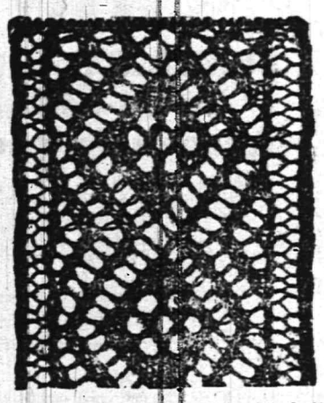
The cut underneath shows the pattern of a very pretty insertion for trimming bed linen.

The directions for knitting are as follows: Abbreviations: K. Knit Plain, P. Purl, S. Slip, M. Make (put the cotton over the needle and knit off in next row as a stitch,) T. Take in. TB. Take in at the back. This insertion is worked with fine knitting cotton, yet crochet cotton or thread may be used.



On a foundation of 30 stitches is knitted backwards and forwards the short way as follows: 1. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., TB., M. 2 four times, T. and TB., M. 2, T., K. 2. M. 1, T., K. 1—2. Row: S. 1, K. 3, M. 1, T., then knit plain as far as the 3 last stitches, only out of the second made stitch 1 P. must always be knitted, M. 1, T., K. 1.—3. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, Knit 3, together, M. 2 twice, T. and TB., M. 2, T., M. 2 twice, T. and TB., M. 2, T., K. 1, M. 1, T., K. 1—4. Row: Like the 2nd.—5. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., M., T., TB., M. 2, T., TB., M. 2, T., K. 1, T., M. 2 twice, T. and TB., M. 1, K. 2, M. 1 T., K. 1.—6. Row: Like 2nd Row.—7. Row S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., K. 1, T., M. 2, T., TB., M. 2, T., K. 3, T., M. 2, T. TB., M. 2, T., K. 3, M. 1, T., K. 1.—8. Row: Like the 2nd.—9. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 2, M. 1, T. twice, TB. and M. 2, T., K. 5, T., M. 2, T., TB., M. 2, T., K. 2, M. 1, T., K. 1.—10. Row: Like the 2nd.—11. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, Knit 3 together. M. 2, T. TB., M. 2, T. K. 7, T., M. 2, T., TB., M. 2, T., K. 1, M. 1, T., K. 1.—12. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., K. 1, P. 1, K. 3, P. 1, K. 1, T., M. 2, knit three together, M. 2, T., K. 2, P. 1, K. 3, P. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., K. 1.—13. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., TB, M. 2, T., K. 3., P. 1, K. 2, P. 1, K. 2, T., M. 2, T., TB., M. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., K. 1.—14 Row: Like the 2nd.—15 Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, T., K. 1, T., M. 2, T. TB., M. 2, knit three together, M. 3, knit 3 together, M. 2, T., K. 1, T., M. 2, T., K. 3, M. 1, T., K. 1.—16. Row: Like the 2nd.—17. Row: Like the 13th, only instead of the knitted and purled stitches, knit 9.—18. Row Like the 12th, yet always making 1 Purl out of the 2nd twist, of the two made stitches.—19. Row: Like the 11th except the purled and knitted stitches.—20. Row: Like the 2nd.—21. Row: Like the 9th.—22. Row: Like the 2nd.—23. Row: Like the 7th.—24. Row: Like the 2nd.—25. Row: Like the 5th.—26. Row: like the 2nd.—27. Row: S. 1, K. 2, M. 1, K. 3 together, M. 2 twice, T. and TB., M. 2, Knit three together M. 2 twice, T. and TB., M. 2, T., K. 1, M. 1, T., K. 1.—28. Row: Like the 2nd.—29. Row S. 1, K, 2, M. 1, T. four times, TB., and M. 2, T. K. 3 together, M. 2, twice, T. and TB., M. 2, T., K., 2, M. 1, T., K. 1.—30. Row: Like the 2nd.

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Novel Window Screens.

If you want a novel as well as an attractive screen for your windows, instead of the cross-barred or wire netting that is commonly used for this purpose, try these transparancies.

Tack to frames fitted to the windows a piece of organdy, being careful to have it perfectly even and taut. Take some large-flowered chintz of rather a thin quality. Cut the flowers from the chintz and arrange the design according to your taste. Have a paste ready and put the flowers, one by one, on the foundation of organdy. Place a bit of thick paper behind the flowers when you have them in position and be careful to press them so that the muslin will not be drawn.

When this is quite dry, put a thin coat of white varnish over all to keep the decoration in place and render the whole more transparent.

How to Make Chocolate.

Like coffee and tea, this most delicious beverage, which is so easily made, generally degenerates into an uninviting compound under the hands of the ordinary cook. Put into a saucepan two squares of chocolate, two tablespoonfuls of sugar and two of water; melt slowly over the fire, and when melted add one pint of hot water, boil five minutes and add a pint of hot milk. It is improved for some tastes by the addition of a little vanilla just before removing from the fire, and by placing a spoonful of whipped cream on top of the cup. Prepared thus it makes a delicious beverage.

SUMMER DRINKS.

CHERRY WATER.—Pulp 1 lb. Kentish cherries in a mortar, bruising the kernels as well as the fruit; turn the mass into a basin, add one pint of syrup, the juice of three lemons, and sufficient water to make it to your taste; pass through a sieve, and it will then be fit for use. This will be found a very refreshing summer beverage.

RHUBARB TISANE.—Boil six or eight sticks of rhubarb for ten minutes in a quart of water; strain the liquor into a jug in which has been placed the thin rind of a lemon and 4 oz. sugar. Let it stand until cold, when it is ready for use, and is a very wholesome drink.

GINGER BEER.—1 oz. cream of tartar, 1 oz. ginger bruised, 1 lb. loaf sugar, 1 lemon, 1 gallon of boiling water. Cut the lemon in slices, put the ingredients all together in a pan, and pour over them the boiling water. Let the ginger beer stand until cold; bottle it, leaving the sediment at the bottom; tie down the corks, and set the bottles in the sun. In hot weather it will be ready to drink in two or four days.

CIDER CUP.—Take 6 oz. loaf sugar, extract the essences from the rind of a lemon by rubbing the lumps on it; put into a jug with the strained juice of a lemon and a half; when the sugar is dissolved, pour to it a bottle of cider; add some grated nutmeg, cover closely, and set on ice for half an hour.

GINGER LEMONADE.—Boil 3 lb. lump sugar in two and a half gallons of water for twenty minutes. Clear it with the whites of 2 eggs, bruise 2 oz. common ginger, boil with the liquor, and then pour in upon the parings of 3 lemons. When quite cold put into a cask with half tablespoonful of yeast, the lemons sliced, and 1-8 oz. isinglass; bung up the cask the next day, and it will be ready in a fortnight.

WASHINGTON NOTES.

OFFICIALS AND FASHIONABLES OFF FOR THE SUMMER.

Return of Mrs. Folsom to the President's Country Seat—Mrs. Cleveland's Warfare on the Bustle—Commander Folger and the Ordnance Foundry—News Topics.

WASHINGTON, July 16.—This is a dull city in summer, even with Congress in session, for the fashinable folks have long ago hied away to country seats or resorts. The return of Mrs. Folsom from her foreign trip to the President's country home, Oak View, is now one of the few ripples on the social waters of the Capital. Her friends flocked to see her on her return, and she will be busy during her stay returning these visits. She comes into the city every day or two with the President or her daughter.

The President's mother-in-law is quite young-looking, and appears even more so since her trip abroad and her freedom from the duties of fashionable life. But for the slight silver in her hair and the fact that she has a daughter 25 years of age, she would pass for less than 40. The expression of Mrs. Cleveland's countenance, of which so many speak, and think her chief attraction, is the reflection of that of her mother, and between them there is a remarkable resemblance.

Mrs. Folsom found many changes at the country place upon her return, and a lively lot of pets, to say nothing of the new carriage house, strawberry bed and potato patch to which the Chief Executive always points with pride. Her eyes were opened more than ever, however, when she witnessed the skillful manner in which her daughter handled the ribbons over the sorrels. This was an accomplishment which Mrs. Cleveland had acquired during her absence, and nothing gives her more pleasure than to be seated by her beautiful daughter for a drive over the rural roads.

Some persons got the idea that Oak View belonged to Mrs. Folsom, because she made her home there before the President went into it permanently. This is a mistake. The property is the President's and was purchased before his marriage. It was first bought in the name of A. A. Wilson, Marshall of the District, but it was soon afterward transferred to the President, who wanted his approaching nuptials kept from newspaper notoriety. It was a good investment, to say nothing of the pleasure it affords the family and friends, and to-day the President could nearly double his money. Lands have increased enormously in value all about it, and have been laid off in building sites for miles in different directions.

Before the President bought his estate most of the Rock Creek region was a wild solitude and sales were rare and prices ranged from $100 to $300 an acre. Now the same lands sell from $1,000 to $2,500 an acre. Only a few weeks ago sixteen acres a mile farther out than the President's sold for $2,500 an acre. Splendid new roads have been built all through the territory and when the cable cars get to running they will bring the residents into the capital in a few minutes. It is now a drive of half an hour.

Oak View is by far the pick and choice of all that plateau. It commands enchanting views of the capital, the Potomac River, the superb side of the "Soldiers' Home" and all the beautiful wooded hills and green pastures for miles. The President paid $26,000 for Oak View, which contains twenty-eight acres. He has expended perhaps $10,000 on the old stone house and the grounds. A real estate dealer told me to-day that the place would readily sell for $60,000.

I learn that it is now definitely settled that Commander William M. Folger is to succeed Commander McCormick in charge of the Washington ordnance foundry. The necessary orders have been issued detaching him from the command of the Quinnebaug, and his presence here is expected in the autumn.

In order that he may add to his already large fund of information on gun construction, Secretary Whitney has directed that he make a tour of all the large ordnance works in Europe before coming to Washington. He will visit Krupp's Cruesot's Whitmoth's and many other foreign works and is expected to pick up such information as can be obtained legitimately and which may be considered useful to him in his new position.

By the time he arrives here Secretary Whitney hopes to be able to select the civilian expert for whom he has advertised so extensively, and with these two new heads at the yard he expects to see the navy equipped with some efficient guns, and at a more rapid rate than during the past few years. The general impression is that he has selected the right man to carry out these wishes.

Commander Folger is an indefatigable worker and stands second to none as an ordinance expert. He had much to do with designing the steel guns lately turned out by the navy, all of which, as far as tried, have given most excellent results. For several years he was in charge of the priming grounds at Anapolis, where he conducted many useful experiments. He also had a long tour of duty in the Ordnance Bureau.

It is not more than a year since he was detached from there and ordered to command the Quinnebaug.

Mrs. Whitney is permanently installed at the summer villa at Lenox, and will not return to Washington until late in the Autumn.

Postmaster-General Dickerson has taken a house on Long Island, and his wife is already there for the summer.

Mrs. Vilas is still at the seashore, where she will remain until the Secretary is ready to go to Wisconsin, which cannot be until Congress adjourns.

Secretary and Mrs. Endicott are in town. Their daughter is in Massachusett. Their son, William C., sailed from New York for England a few days ago, some say to look after certain matters with Mr. Joseph Chamberlain.

Mrs. Fairchild remains with her husband, and they will not get away until after the adjournment.

Attorney-General Garland will go to his country retreat, "Hominy Hill," in Arkansas, later. He has bought a $15,000 house here, which is a palace, according to his ideas. Should he retire from the Cabinet next March, as he says he will, this will be his future home, and he will practice his profession. He has a beautiful daughter, who will make her debut next Winter. He has a young son who composes music and plays well on the piano.

MRS. CLEVELAND'S abandonment of the bustle continues to be a midsummer subject of discussion in the capital, second only to the tariff.

It is true that she has discarded the fashionable appendage, She turned her back on it some time last Spring, but it was done so quietly that it was only recently that it was made a national topic and a campaign issue. When it was first published to the world the dealers here thought they were ruined, and cried aloud for protection to an infant industry. They declared that the stock they had on hand would be destroyed and could not be sold for old rags and wipe.

All this hue and cry worked upon the sympathy of Mrs. Folsom, it is said, and she went down to a shop on Pennsylvania avenue and bought a small, modest-looking species, in order to give the market a boost and allow the dealers to work of their stocks and get out even. Mrs. Cleveland is incorrigible and thinks the bustle, like the Chinese, must "go."

Among the visitors at the ladies' reception room of the house of Representatives may be seen almost daily the widows of General Paul and General Kilpatrick. They have bills before Congress to Pension them, but notwithstanding the distinguished services of their husbands, they have been working hard all session and may not be successful.

General Paul was blinded by a bullet and for twenty-three years his wife gave him devoted attention and she certainly deserves a good allowance at the hands of the Government.

Mrs. Kilpatrick is a beautiful, youngish Chilian lady of the pure Spanish type and speaks English just well enough to be understood and to be very interesting. Her hair is luxuriant and black until it has a purple tint. Her figure is exquisite and a bijou of a foot is encased in a high arched No. 1. She has a timid, shrinking manner in approaching the sturdy Solons, but they will all surrender in the long run.

UNDER instructions from the Secretary of the Interior, Commissioner Stockslager has directed the Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad Company to show cause within thirty days why proceedings should not be taken to secure the restoration to the public domains of 72,054 acres of lands situated within the indemnity limits of the Willis Valley Railroad in Alabama.

By the act of June 3, 1856, Congress made a grant of land to the Willis Valley Railroad and another to the Northeast and Southwestern Alabama Railroad. These companies were subsequently consolidated under the name of the Alabama and Chattanooga Railroad Company.

It is claimed by the General Land Office that the 72,054 acres were erroneously certified to the Willis Valley Railroad to make up a deficiency along the line of the Northeast and Southwestern Alabama Railroad, and that the two grants should not be treated as heretofore, as one continuous grant, but as separate and distinct grants, and that the surplus indemnity land of one road should not be taken to make up for a deficiency in the other.

ARCHIBALD FORBES, the English war correspondent and lecturer, who married the daughter of Gen. Meigs, he who was the architect of the Pension Office building in this city, has returned to London after spending the winter here.

Mr. Forbes was completely broken in health when he came here in the autumn, and has been so much benifited by this climate and his voyage and all, that all solicitude about his condition is superfluous and unnecessary. He is now quite restored.

Mr. Forbes told a New York friend that as soon as ever he arranged his affairs in London and Scotland he would return to Washington, buy property and make this his permanent home.

When Mr. Forbes and Oscar Wilde were lecturing in this country in 1881 and 1882, under the management of Col. W. F. Morse, the two Britons quarrelled, and they have never became friends since. Mr. Forbes, when asked of the matter, replied: "No, we have not made up. We meet in London society frequently. He takes my wife down to dinner and I take his wife down to dinner, but Wilde and I never speak on the stairs." MURRAY.

AT CANADA'S CAPITAL.

High Dominion Officials as a Woman Sees Them.

OTTAWA, July 14.—Would you like to hear something about the officials of this great country so near to yet far from the United States? Yes. Now for a brief glance at the personnel of the House then.

The Premier, Sir John A. Macdonald, leader of the Government, is naturally the most prominent figure. Homely, to the verge of ugliness and anything but a brilliant speaker, he is possessed of simply marvelous executive ability and that subtle, indefinable quality known for want of better name than magnetism. In speech he is epigramatic and facetious, fastening down, as it were, each argument with a joke. Americans have termed him the P. T. Barnum of politics, and Englishmen, the pioneer of the idea of imperial unity. At 73 years this tall, slender, erect old man, scrupulously dressed, keen and bright-eyed, continues to lead his party with an astuteness which his opponents do not hesitate to term Machiavelian.

Next to Sir John sits the present Finance Minister and recent Fish Commissioner to Washington, Sir Charles Tupper, of an old Hesse Cassel family who settled in Virginia before the Revolution. A ratlier short, stout man, with dark, deep-set eyes and a square jaw. A ready and fluent speaker, oil to his friends and vinegar to his enemies, his presence is greatly felt in the House. His son and namesake is also winning a reputation as a parliamentary orator, though somewhat hot-headed, as youth is apt to be.

On the seat to the left of the Premier reposes the comfortable figure of Sir Hector Langevin, Minister of Public Works, a little roly-poly Frenchman, with a few dark hairs flaring back over an expanse of baldness, like the nebulae of a comet. Wholly undisturbed by the clamor of his own party behind him, or the opposition in front, the pink of parliamentary politeness, he is very ready to pour forth the oil of courtesy upon the troubled waters of debate. He is grandson of the Commodore of the British fleet on Lake Ontario during the American Revolutionary War.

The dapper young Frenchman beside him, tugging impatiently at his drooping black mustache, is the Minister of Militia, Sir J. A. Caron. "The glass of fashion and the mold of form," he possesses many statesmanlike attributes and is a fluent English speaker.

Behind him rises the nervous, refined face of Hon. Adolphe Chapleau, scion of an ancient French family. His long black hair, drawn downward from the right temple toward the left eyebrow, his black eyes flashing under heavy brows, his thin-lipped, expressive mouth and high patrician nose, would of themselves single him out for observation, even were it not for the fact that he is one of the most brilliant orators in the Commons. His characteristic hauteur renders him somewhat unpopular.

We must note the Minister of Marine and Fisheries, Hon. George Foster, a spare, lean man, a forcible speaker and ardent temperance advocate, a descendant of a U. E. loyalist; a student of Heidelberg, Hon. John Henry Pope, Minister of Railways and Canals, a tall, thin, shrewd-faced man; Hon. M. Bowell, Minister of Customs, small, lively, white-haired; Hon. John Carling, Minister of Agriculture, the handsomest man in the Cabinet, with a serenely benign face and immaculate life; Hon. John Costigan, Minister of Inland Revenue, and Hon. Archibald McLelan, Postmaster-General, both gray-haired, unpretentious gentlemen. EVA.

The Answers Bothered Him.

Friend—How did you pass your Civil Service examination?

Applicant—To tell the truth, didn't get a very good mark. I don't know, but I expect I've slipped up.

The questions bothered you, didn't they?

Not a bit. It was the answers that worried me.—[Texas Siftings.

Robert to the Fore.

"Does your son get on fast in his studies, Mrs. Brown?" asked the minister at dinner.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sundays—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.00, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.30, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.35, 7.15, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23, p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.22, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 2.05, 3.35, 4.40, 5.00, 6.05, 6.35, 7.05, 8.35, 9.54, 10.10, 11.35, p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.25, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.16, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.18, 11.30, 11.46 a. m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.58, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.12, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.40, 6.47, 8.13, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

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Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.35, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

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5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 p. m. for Easton.

8.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.36 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 9.05, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

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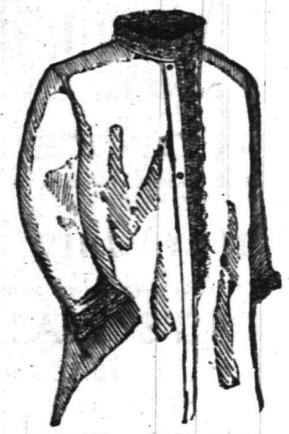

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POLITICIANS STIRRING.

What Is Going On at National Headquarters.

REPUBLICANS FIND ROOMS.

Carpenters at Work Fitting the Place Up for Occupancy—Senator Quay Out For Washington—Democrats Taking a Rest—Callers of the Day—Anti-Cleveland Irishmen.

NEW YORK, July 19.—At the Democratic National Headquarters last night everything was as quiet as possible. Few of the big men were around, as they were all taking a rest after the excitement of the past few days. Among the visitors who dropped in and out during the day were Chairman Calvin S. Brice, Street Commissioner James S. Coleman, Committeeman Arthur Sewall, of Maine and S. B. Shearin, secretary of the National Executive Committee.

The establishment of headquarters has given a boom to the work in the Assembly districts. Last night the Fourteenth had a banner-raising at Second avenue and Fourteenth street, at which red lights, bandannas and tariff reform speeches were plentiful, while a brass band puffed forth waves of ante-triumphal harmony.

The Republicans have at last found a suitable place for headquarters.

After a hunt ever since yesterday, in which every unoccupied house on Fifth avenue, from Fourteenth to Thirtieth street and from Madison to Sixth avenue, was examined, they picked out 91 Fifth avenue.

It is an old-fashioned three-story brick house, with a high stoop and a mansard roof. It covers a large area of ground and contains more than forty rooms. It has an entrance on Seventeenth street and another on Fifth avenue. At 4 o'clock yesterday afternoon an army of carpenters, plasterers and plumbers made a descent on the place, and it is more than probable that it will be formally open for business on Saturday. The house is only three doors away from Levi P. Morton's residence.

Senator Quay left town in the evening to go on a fishing trip, ostensibly, but the fact leaked out that he goes to Washington to confer with the legislators, who are thick as flies down that way now. Colonel Dudley, of Indiana, accompanied him, and more will be heard from the pair as they progress.

The Anti-Free Trade Irishmen have established headquarters at No. 52 Union Square. They are some of the men who followed Blaine's lead in 1884 under the name of the Irish Independents.

The Anti-Cleveland Union, composed of Irishmen, are ensconced in their headquarters at No. 174 Fifth avenue, near Twenty-second street.

AMOS CROSS DEAD.

The Greatest Favorite the Louisville Base Ball Club Ever Had.

LOUISVILLE, July 18.—A telegram was received from Cleveland last night announcing the death at that place of Amos Cross, the old catcher of the Louisville Club.

Cross was, during the season of 1885, one of the finest catchers in the country. He was especially noted for his throwing to second, sending the ball down like a rifle shot, and few runners were able to steal the base on him. He was the best catcher and the greatest favorite as a player that Louisville ever had in that position. He was a brother of Lave Cross, the best catcher the Louisvilles now have.

His death resulted from consumption, caused by an accident received on the ball field in 1886. Lave Cross left here in time to be at the deathbed.

EX-SENATOR MILLER.

He Makes a Speech at a Picnic and Is Cheered.

ONEIDA, N. Y., July 19.—Warner Miller addressed a picnic of the Merchants and Mechanics' Association of Central New York at Sylvan Beach this afternoon. Despite a rain a large assemblage listened with interest to the ex-Senator, who spoke from the spacious veranda of one of the hotels.

Though a non-partisan gathering three cheers were given at the close for the "next Governor of New York." The gun detachment of the Oneida Republican Battery accompanied Mr. Miller, and upon arriving at the beach fired a Governor's salute of twenty-one guns.

QUEEN NATALIE.

She Cannot Reside in Any Country Under the Alliance.

VIENNA, July 19.—Queen Natalie was compelled to leave Vienna hastily, having received orders to leave Austrian territory. It is doubtful if she will be allowed to reside in Italy or in any territory under the triple alliance. All of the central powers are banded against her.

The Russian Embassador was the only foreign representative who called on Queen Natalie yesterday prior to her departure for Paris. The Queen travels under the name of the Countess Jakona.

Tennessee Republicans.

NASHVILLE, Tenn., July 19.—The Republican State Convention, which met yesterday, nominated Samuel Hawkins, a strong prohibitionist, for Governor on the second ballot.

The platform indorses the Chicago platform and nominees of the party, favors the Blair bill, declares for a law exempting $1,000 worth of property from taxation, opposes the present State assessment law and taxation of wheel agencies, denounces the convict lease system, endorses the Tennessee Industrial School, and calls on all people favoring the protection of American industries to support the Republican national ticket.

Absconder Run Down.

PHILADELPHIA, July 19.—The police have arrested Henry R. Simmons on a warrant charging him with embezzling a large sum of money from Thomas Hoops, a butcher of 222 West Twenty-third street, New York City.

Simmons was employed as a bookkeeper by Hoopes and disappeared suddenly a few weeks ago. He was a defaulter for a large amount. Inspector Byrnes traced him to this city.

WASHINGTON.

Prospects for the Passage of the Mills Bill on Saturday.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—There are said to be seventy Democrats absent from the city. They are, of course, all paired, but the managers of the Tariff Bill intend to take no risks as to slips in the pairs. For that reason the notice has been given that the vote will not be taken until Saturday at 12.30 o'clock.

According to the latest count there will be six Democratic votes against the bill, viz.: Randall, if he can be paired, and Snowden of Pennsylvania, Merriman and Greenman of New York, and Wilkins and Foran of Ohio.

The House Committee on Commerce yesterday heard argument by A. Randolph Tucker, counsel for Geore Rice, in favor of the enactment of a law amendatory of the Inter-State Commerce Act, intended to prevent discrimination by railroad companies in favor of the owners of tank-cars and against individual shippers who do not own such cars.

The following named acts have become laws without the President's approval: The act for the construction of a bridge across the Missouri River near Parkville, Mo., and the acts granting pensions to Elisha Wilkins, Caroline Ruppert, Frank Ouranik, James Turner, Milton Merwin, Judith A. Kinsey, Wm. E. Robb, Perry D. Martin and Andrew T. McReynolds.

A gentleman who has made a canvass of the Senate says that there will be certainly seven and probably twelve Republican votes for the confirmation of Melville W. Fuller as Chief Justice.

The bill relative to the Federal control of the telegraph, reported favorable by Senator Cullom from the Interstate Commerce Committee is the original Spooner bill, with some modifications. The modifications consist in the main of the amendment to the Inter-State Commerce law which was passed by the Senate last week.

The bill excepts newpapers from its restrictive provisions, and permits telegraph companies to make special rates with them, irrespective of the "long or short haul." In other respects the bill places the telegraph companies, as to inter-State business, under the same general control as the railroads are now under the Inter-State Commerce Act, and, in many cases, the language of that act, are made applicable to telegraph companies. The report is unanimous.

It is said that the sub-Committee of the House Committee, which has been investigating the subject of adulterations in lard is about ready to report to the Committee a very stingent bill, which will propose that the lard manufacturers is placed under a sort of police espionage, and that special agents or inspectors be stationed at each manufactory. Should such a report be made, there is not much doubt that it would be favorably reported to the House.

FIRE IN CHICAGO.

$200,000 Worth of Property Destroyed and One Life Lost.

CHICAGO, July 19.—At 10.50 yesterday morning fire was discovered on the upper floor of the five-story building 153 Wabash avenue, occupied by Julius Baur. In spite of the efforts of the firemen the fire spread to 160 to 162, occupied by the Chicago Carpet Company, and bids fair to destroy the building.

The fire started by an explosion of benzine in 156, and is still raging. James Mahony, janitor of the building, is supposed to have been burned to death.

The fire in the Chicago Carpet Company's building was gotten under control about 1 o'clock. Their loss will not be more than $20,000, mostly damaged by water, and fully insured. The total loss will be about $200,000, and it is covered by insurance.

The Morris Plains Asylum.

MORRISTOWN, July 19.—The investigation of the Morris Plains Asylum was resumed yesterday. Thirty or forty of the attendants testified to the general character of the food. It was good throughout. The Rev. Dr. Buckley, editor of the Christian Advocate, was called and examined with regard to the circular issued by the State Charities Association, and written by him. Dr. Buckley gave the ground on which the circular was based, which was correspondence and questions addressed to witness, and statements made by Miss Rowe.

The Poughkeepsie Bridge.

NEW YORK, July 19.—A morning newspaper contained a statement that the New York Central Railroad had made a contract by which it acquired right of way for its tracks over the Poughkeepsie Bridge across the Hudson, which, it is said, will be ready for use by next November.

In reply to questions by a reporter Charles C. Clark, first vice-president of the New York Central, said that he knew nothing of such an arrangement. It was not likely that a contract of that kind would be made without his knowledge.

So far as he knew, no negotiations had been pending between the bridge company and the railroad, and the latter had been making no effort to secure the use of the bridge.

National Teachers' Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 19.—There was no proceedings of the Teachers' Convention yesterday.

The time was devoted to making the rounds of various headquarters and visiting friends.

Every train brought hundreds of new arrivals. On overland trains of the Union Pacific there were thousands of people, and trains from the South brought several hundred more.

The Convention opened with a grand welcome concert at the Mechanics' Pavilion.

A Cloud-burst in Indiana.

VINCENNES, Ind., July 19.—A waterspout or cloud-burst last evening near Purcell station on the banks of the River Duchee, covered the railroad tracks and surrounding country with two feet of water.

A passenger train was derailed and delayed several hours. In this city an exceedingly heavy rain fell at the same time, more water coming down in twenty minutes than ever before known. Considerable damage was done in basements.

Fanny Davenport Divorced.

NEW YORK, July 19.—Fanny L. G. Davenport-Price, the actress, has been granted an absolute divorce by Judge Barrett of the Supreme Court, from her husband, Edwin H. Price. The decree was filed on June 8.

THE Salvation Army at Quebec was attacked by a mob Monday evening at St. Foye parish. Stones were hurled and pistols drawn. Many persons were wounded.

CHICAGO DYNAMITERS.

Developments in the Plot of Anarchists.

EXAMINATIONS POSTPONED.

What the Police Think of the Matter. An Alleged Job—Mrs. Parson's Opinion—Sensational Testimony in the "Q" Conspiracy Cases—Bowles on the Stand.

CHICAGO, July 19.—Hronek, Chapek and Chebowa, the three Anarchists arrested for conspiring to murder Judge Gary, State Attorney Grinnell and others who were active in securing the conviction of Spies and his comrades two years ago, were arraigned at the Armory Police Court yesterday.

Examination was postponed until Monday next, when the Grand Jury will probably indict them under the Dynamite act.

No more arrests were made to-day, and there were no developments in the case. Inspector Bonfield says that the plot was a sort of sporadic outbreak, and that it was simply an ill-matured plan by a few persons, and so far from contemplating a "Reign of Terror," bloodshed and arson by the wholesale, meant merely mischief, if possible, to three people, Judge Gary, Judge Grinnell and himself.

Socialists and Anarchists here are of the opinion that the "dynamite sensation" is in the main a police job. They emphatically deny that any wholesale conspiracy for vengeance has ever existed, and say that the affair is on a par with what they term the other wretched conspiracy was engineered by the Pinkerton detective Wilson, who had gained entrance in the ranks of the Burlington and Quincy strikers.

Mrs. Albert Parsons is vicious as ever in talking of the affair. "If Grinnell and Gary are not killed very soon," she said to-day, "I will kill them myself, and you can rest assured that I will not make a botch of it."

Pointing to her ten-year-old son she continued:

"What do you suppose I am raising him for? I shall teach him that his father was murdered, and by whom, and those red-handed butchers had better look out."

The "Q" Dynamite Conspiracy.

CHICAGO, July 19.—The story of the discovery of a new dynamite plot to murder Judge Gary and others who assisted in the prosecution of the Anarchists two years ago increased the interest in the proceedings against the Burlington Railroad conspirators yesterday.

Captain John C. McGinn, of the Pinkerton Agency, the first witness, told how the dynamite was discovered. A sensation was created when Lawyar Donahoe asked the witness if he knew Wilson.

McGinn visibly trembled, and a delay of nearly five minutes followed before he answered the question. He finally acknowledged that Wilson, one of the conspirators so-called, was in the employ of the Pinkerton Agency.

"Are there any other of the defendants in your employ?" asked Mr. Donahoe.

"No," said the witness.

At this point District Attorney Ewing capped the climax of astonishment by stating that Wilson waived examination, and that the charge against him was dismissed.

Bowles, the "squealer," was called to the stand in the afternoon. He began his testimony by stating that he had talked with the defendant Bauereisen in regard to dynamite, and that the latter had given him the money to purchase the explosive.

Godiny, another of the defendants, was present at the time. Witness then related how he went to Chicago, and, failing to purchase dynamite there, went to Noblesville, Ind., where he secured some, which he brought to Chicago and showed to Chairman Hoge.

He also met Bauereisen at Chicago and instructed him to go anywhere West. Witness then went to Galeburg, where he met Clark, in company with whom he hired a buggy and went out to place the dynamite on the railroad track. When they arrived at the place selected, witness's heart failed him and he returned without having used the dynamite.

Bauereisen again furnished him money to buy more dynamite, which he procured at Noblesville and brought to Chicago, where he showed it as before to Hoge. Witness went on to describe how he bought a third lot of dynamite with money furnished by Bauereisen and how he placed it on the railroad track a short distance from Aurora, where it was exploded.

Bauereisen then gave him money to buy more dynamite, but while witness was at Castleton, Ind., for that purpose he received a letter from Bauereisen directing him to stop the dynamite work, as suspicion had been aroused.

The cross-examination failed to shake Bowles's testimony. The prosecution rested and an adjournment was taken.

To Visit Rhode Island.

JAMESTOWN, July 19.—Rev. Charles Wood, son-in-law of Wistar Morris, the wealthy Philadelphian, said that President and Mrs. Cleveland were expected here to-day, but their visit has been postponed. They will be here later in the season.

Mr. Randall's Condition.

WASHINGTON, July 19.—Mr. Randall passed a comfortable and restful night, and is stated to be much better this morning. It is hoped that he will be well enough to be removed to Chestnut Hill about the end of the week.

Nominated for Congress.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 19.—The Eighth District Democrats, in Convention at Brazil yesterday, on the one hundred and thirty-ninth ballot nominated Elijah V. Brookstine for congress.

Expressmen's Association.

CLEVELAND, July 19.—The Expressmen's National Mutual Benefit Association, composed of employees of the various express companies, is in session here.

There are 125 delegates present, representing sixty-eight divisions. The officers elected were: D. W. Dwight of Boston, president; S. DeWitt of Elmira, secretary and treasurer. Since its organization, in 1868, the association has paid $12,375.01 in benefits.

The Fleet Signaled.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 19.—The German fleet, bearing the Emperor William, was signaled off Dagerot at 6.30 this morning. No other communication has been had with the fleet since leaving Kiel.

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OUR PRINCIPLES.

It is not proposed to entirely relieve the country of this taxation. It must be extensively continued as the source of the Government's income; and in a readjustment of our tariff the interest of American labor engaged in manufacture should be carefully considered, as well as the preservation of our manufacturers. It may be called protection, or by any other name, but *relief from the hardships and dangers of our present tariff laws should be devised with especial precaution against imperiling the existence of our manufacturing interests.*—PRESIDENT CLEVELAND'S MESSAGE.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The usual weekly meeting of the Reform Club, will take place this evening.

—The Bound Brook post-office will be made a money-order office on October 1.

—Some absent friend of THE PRESS sends to the office a copy of "The New Herald," European Edition, dated from Paris, June 30.

—"Gep" Frazee has fitted up a hall at his headquarters on East Front street, where political meetings will be held during the campaign.

—A handsome Alderney heifer consigned to Mr. M. H. Brandon of Plainfield avenue, was received from Toledo, Ohio, by express, yesterday.

—There was a continual howling of dogs at the dog pound last night. Executioner Lynch will probably ship another consignment into the hereafter, today.

—An efficient committee are arranging the details of a picnic and dance to be given in St. Mary's Hall, within a few weeks. Particulars and date will be given later.

—The delightful weather of the past few days, was suddenly interrupted this morning by a rain storm. The rain is needed, however, and there is less grumbling than usual.

—The Court of Errors and Appeals at Trenton on Tuesday decided to read opinions on Tuesday, July 31. The Local Option law will probably be the most important thing passed upon.

—It is probable that the Republicans will erect a wigwam in this city, to be used during the fall campaign. One location spoken of is the vacant lot on East Front street, adjoining the Stiles estate.

—A Newark journal says: "Three Chinamen, one of whom is a citizen and two have declared their intention to become such, at Plainfield, are prevented from coming into the country on the Canadian border."

—The newly-elected officers of Unity Lodge, No. 102, K. of P. were duly installed into their respective offices last evening, by D. D. G. C. Horace J. Martin assisted by the working team. To-morrow evening the officers of Perseverance Lodge will be installed.

—The other paper in its account of the Tippecanoe Club meeting, last evening, included the names of Messrs. W. A. Coddington and H. A. Barnes, the latter a resident of Arlington, N. J., in its list of the committee on by-laws and constitution. Where ignorance, etc.

—Four years ago the coming Fall a barbecue and ox-roast was held in the wigwam on Somerset street. The ox was furnished by Mr. Adam Fritz, and was in honor of President Cleveland's election. It is stated that Mr. Fritz will provide another ox after the returns are all in next November.

—The nine that will play the Crescents in this city, next Saturday afternoon, are the Y. M. C. A's of New Brunswick who the Plainfield team defeated on the Park avenue grounds, Sept. 10, of last year, by a score of 11 to 4. The New Brunswicks, however, were credited with the only earned run of the game.

—The Warren Mission and Hope chapel Sunday schools will excurt to Ocean Grove and Asbury Park to-morrow. The local weather prophets predict clear and cool weather, which are the two essential points sought by excursionists. Boating, bathing and fishing, will be followed by appetites of immense proportions. The excursionists will arrive home by candle light.

WHERE DID HE COME FROM?

Additional Information Concerning the Dead Man Found in the Woods Near Westfield on Sunday.

THE PRESS was the only newspaper on the earth that published yesterday the name of the murdered man whose decomposed remains were found in the woods near Westfield on Sunday afternoon. That's the kind of a "telegraphic franchise" we control. Even Morgue Keeper Casey who has charge of the body, did not know the man's name until told by a PRESS reporter, and even the jurymen themselves were ignorant of the fact that the name "F. M. Gates," and the words "May 8, 1878," were deciphered from a book of Bible verses found in the dead man's clothing.

While the other newspaper men were puzzling their brains trying to present a readable article on the individual cost of feeding the prisoners in the Union County Jail or clipping from another journal a large portion of an article on the "ways that are dark" of the borough Democrats, a PRESS representative quietly stole a march on them and piloted County Physician Westcott, Chief Keron, Detective John M. C. Marsh and the following jurymen to Casey's barn on New street, where the post mortem examination was made by County Physician Westcott; Messrs. Wm. S. Welch, Jos. Moffett, John J. Wahl, Mathew Beiler, John D. Jacques, Henry Dougherty, John Archibald, Geo. B. Lines, Cyrus P. Wilcox and Edgar R. Pearsall. Even the brilliant editor of the Westfield *Standard*, who was present as a juryman, first read the news in THE PRESS' extra edition.

The post mortem examination clearly established the fact that the man had been brutally murdered, but by whom is not known. The skull was crushed in just back of the left ear. The odor that arose from the decomposed remains as Undertaker Casey uncovered them, was sickening, and some of the jurymen were obliged to leave the barn. The jurors each answered to his name, after which all viewed what remained of the once human being, together with the clothing and other effects found with the body. Several teeth and some small bones picked up yesterday morning near where the body was found, were also brought up by Officer Marsh and exhibited to the jury.

Coroner Miller was present and obtained a list of witnesses whom the State will subpœna for the inquest on Monday afternoon next.

This morning County Physician Westcott and Dr. Wilson of Elizabeth, the latter an expert, came to this city and took measurement of the more important parts of the body, and also singled out every piece of bone which belonged to the skull, about twenty-five or thirty in number. The entire under jaw was found, with several teeth firmly embedded in it. The various parts the doctor washed off and they will be fitted together so that some definite conclusion can be gotten at as to the nature of the fatal blow.

There is no doubt in the minds of the doctors that the man was murdered, and it appears plain from the many fragments of the skull that a club or some similar instrument of death was used to accomplish the work. The theory of suicide is ridiculed by those best posted in the matter.

The name "Gates" is familiar to many persons in this city. Some years ago a family by that name lived in this city, and one of the sons, Leonard, now about 19 years of age, worked for Mr. Jacob Blimm, who was at that time proprietor of the Mt. Bethel Hotel. Another brother, George, worked for Mrs. Obitz of North Plainfield. The family finally removed to Summit, where the father and three sons are now employed by DeForrest, the well known florist. Whether or not there is any relationship existing between this family and the murdered man is not known, but the matter would bear investigation.

Undertaker Casey will be authorized to bury the body as soon as the doctors finish their examination this afternoon.

Excursion to Chautauqua.

The "Brooklyn Chautauqua Assembly" has made arrangements for a grand excursion of the members of the Assembly to Chautauqua, and take pleasure in inviting any of their friends to join them in this most interesting excursion. Arrangements have been made for a special train over the "Erie" Railroad, to leave New York, (foot of Chambers street, and West 23d street, North River,) Monday, Aug. 6, at 8:10 o'clock A. M., and Jersey City at 8:30 A. M., direct for Chautauqua Lake; arriving at about 8 P. M.

The party will travel in a special train of new first-class coaches, and no effort will be spared to add to the comfort of the members, and make the excursion a complete success.

Owing to the special rates which the Committee have succeeded in obtaining from the "Erie" Railroad, the whole excursion will be made at the remarkably low rate of $10, which will include a first-class ticket in both directions (good for thirty days), and meals on the outward journey. The return may be made at convenience of each passenger at any time within limit.

A Pleasing Laxative.

Whoever has taken HAMBURG FIGS will never take any other kind of laxative medicine. They are pleasant to the taste, and a few doses cures the most obstinate case of torpidity of the liver. 25 cents. Dose, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

The County Board of Assessors.

As THE PRESS stated yesterday, the County Board of Assessors met at Elizabeth on Monday to pass upon the valuations of real and personal estate, and to fix the quota and tax rates for each of the cities and townships. The entire day was occupied in making estimates and preparing the tables.

The proportion for State school tax is much higher than last year by reason of the new law which gives $5 as the appropriation for each person of school age, instead of $4. The State school tax last year was .28. This year it will be .34.

The county tax rate last year was .60, while this year it will be only .54.

In addition to the valuation given yesterday, those for Fanwood were proportioned as follows: Real estate, $491,250; personal, $178,350; liabilities, $17,800; total, $651,800; polls, $306.

The porportion of the county tax for each city and township was estimated as follows:

Clark, $1,139.24; Cranford, $2,188.04; Elizabeth, $66,384.93; Fanwood, $3,356.20; Linden, $6,596.02; New Providence, $1,220,34; Plainfield, $28,664.65; Rahway, $13,152.58; Springfield, $1,436.86; Summit, $4,660.32; Union, $6,932.26; Westfield, $4,318.56.

The porportion of the State school tax for each city and township was estimated as follows:

Clark, $688.17; Cranford, $1,321.09; Elizabeth, $40,100.47; Fanwood, $2,027.34; Linden, $3,984; New Providence, $737.15; Plainfield, $17,315.52; Rahway, $7,914.74; Springfield, $867.98; Summit, $2,814.89; Union, $4,187,50; Westfield, 2,608.67.

The total amount of the levy for State school tax in the county last year was $63,988.09. This year the county's proportion is $84,568.33.

Cellar Thieves.

THE PRESS has frequently called attention to the petty depredations committed by tramps in the Second Ward. Fifth street and South avenue seem to be the main thoroughfares for tramps coming into town, and the houses along the route are frequently "sounded."

On Tuesday night a wholesale raid was made on the row of houses on Richmond street, when the cellars of three families named Betsall, Dennis and Schull, were entered. The mauraders helped themselves to the provisions, and carried away what they could not devour. Yesterday morning there were three hungry families in the neighborhood.

The robbers gained an entrance by forcing open the cellar windows. Three rough looking men were seen prowling around on Richmond street, about one o'clock yesterday morning, and they were seen again about nine o'clock last evening.

Fortunately for themselves, the men did not attempt to enter Special Officer Hope's cellar, or they would doubtless have been well received. Officer Hope is on the alert for tramps and he signifies his intention to gather in all whom he comes in contact with.

Stick to the Text.

Being independent and giving fairly both sides of the issue, THE PRESS is not bound to support any principle that is not right and for the greatest good to the greatest number.

At the same time, though, we can appreciate how painful it must be for the Republican organs to be held to their platform, and are not surprised that the New York *Tribune* squirms and says that the freeing of whiskey is "not an immediate policy, to which the party is definitely committed, but a step which the Republicans would rather take than give up the protective system."

But you must stick to the text, Mr. Reid. The platform says: "We favor the entire repeal of the internal taxes rather than the surrender of *any part* of our protective system." This means free whiskey and the maintenance forever of a 47 per cent. war tariff. It can't be dodged nor wriggled away from.

Comforts and Conveniences for the Excursionists.

The Committee in charge of the Warren Mission and Hope Chapel excursion, which occurs to-morrow, will have a responsible person in charge of the baggage car to care for all packages delivered there. After reaching Asbury Park an express wagon will deliver the packages to the Ross pavilion, and return the same to the cars at night, free of expense to the individual. A room also at the pavilion has been provided for the use of the excursionists during the day to store all packages. The tide-table indicates good bathing from 9 until 5, and those wishing suits and rooms can procure them at the Ross pavilion at the old rates.

The Old Hose Carriage Gone.

The old hose carriage which did service for Gazelle Engine Company for many years, has been sold to Liberty Hose Company of Hackensack, and Chief Doane yesterday shipped the carriage to the D. A. Woodhouse Manufacturing Company in New York, where it will be thoroughly overhauled and repainted before taken to Hackensack. The purchase price was $20.

The carriage was purchased from Harmony Hose Company of Trenton, about sixteen years ago.

They'll Exercise Their Goat.

Members of the O. A. F., are urgently requested to be present at to-night's regular meeting. Initiation of new members will probably take place.

SPECIAL "CUT" PRICES!

COMMENCING SATURDAY, JULY 21st, and will continue for a *few days only. Bargains* in nice *new* goods that can be relied on as the best quality and latest styles.

PURE Silk Mits, our 50ct grade for 39cts; our 60ct grade for 50cts; our 75ct grade for 60cts; our $1 grade for 80cts. Ladies' Linen Chemisetts at 20cts regular price is 25 to 30cts. Our 8ct folding Jap. fans for 4cts. Colored border, hem-stitched handkerchiefs for 5cts; Linen, do., for 9cts., regular price is 12 to 15cts. Ladies' Bal. Hose, regular made, for 15cts., regular price 20cts. The "Brewster" and "Silk Fitting" Corsets for 75cts., regular price is $1. India Linen, 15cts., regular price 20cts.

BICYCLE and Tennis Shirts reduced. Our $1.25 style for $1; our $1.75 style for $1.50; our $2 plain and French-striped for $1.75; our $1.75 in plaid and striped for $1.50; our $2 white emb. front for $1.50; Boys', do., in white and colored for $1.15, regular price is $1.35.

SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7cts; Colored window screens 9cts, regular price 12cts; Linen Crash 5cts; Unbleached table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

WE have left a few Cotton-striped Skirts, will close out cheap. Our 50ct style for 39cts; our 75ct style for 60cts; our $1 style for 75cts. Our 65ct Boys' Percale Waists for 55c. Our 85c do. for 75c. Besides numerous other bargains not mentioned here.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE.*

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. **EDSALL'S.**
5-18-tf

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LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

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CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10. A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 9 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending JULY 19, 1888.

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Adams, Miss Minnie	Martin, Miss Alice
Ahlsborg, Miss Thea	Morse, Dr Bettinide
Armstrong, W	Moon, Mrs Sarah H (2)
Bergen, Mr John	Miller, S R
Brown, Fred	Miller, W G
Behm, Miss Fannie	Noonan, Miss L
Burrows, Mrs W	Pierson, Mrs Jane
Clarkson, Mrs M R	Parentean, Dorminean
Capistran, Mons Pierre	Poirrier, Naccise
Dentz, John	Pullin, R W
Davis, Chas	Quick, Hannah M
Dater, Mrs H R	Runion, Mrs Josephine
Eder, Mr Joseph M	Reid, Mrs
Ellis, Mrs J T	Young, Miss Sallie
Ferguson, Miss E L	Schaffer, Mr Henry
Freeman, Mrs C	Smalley, J M
Frammer, Mrs Patrick	Southerland, J W
Foster, Mrs Scott	Smith, Jas G
Heding, Miss Ida	Smith, Mrs L
Hobowsk, Miss Albird	Sewane, M
Heaidon, Annie	Stone, Mrs Harry
Haesen, Miss Annie C	Simpson, Pat
Harris, Miss Matilda	Sutton, Willard
Hamilton, Mr	Wood, J A
Johnston, J F	Wilson, Dr J E
Johnson, Miss Lucy E	Witecuff, Mrs Charley
Kell r, Jacob	West, Mrs A H
Linsley, N E	Wersen, L E
Lytle, John	Willett, Lewis

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under his heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

$225.00—$10 Cash and $5 a month—will buy a lot on Webster Place, near Putnam avenue. Apply to V. W. Nash, 53 Park avenue. 7-19-tf

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHOBB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

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Put up in Bottles.

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From the *Purest Fruit Juices* we are dispensing delicious COLD SODA.

Our New Fountain is one of the latest designs, with a double set of Ice Coolers and Glass tanks. Running Water for washing Soda Glasses.

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SUNDAY SCHOOLS

TO

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FRIDAY, JULY 20, 1888.

TICKETS, - - - $1 25

CHILDREN, (5 to 12,) - - 90c

Train leaves Plainfield 8:05, Grant avenue, 8 o'clock. 7-14-5

LAING & NELSON

EXCURSION

TO

LONG BRANCH and OCEAN GROVE,

WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-td

STILL OPEN!

Great Fire Insurance Sale!

$40,000

Worth of Men's, Boys' and Children's

CLOTHING!

Saved from the late Broadway, New York, fire, must be closed out in

15 DAYS,

By order of the Insurance Companies. Great Fire Insurance Sale, beginning

Saturday July 14,

1888, at 7 A. M., and to continue for 15 days, at

LAING'S HALL,

FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The appraisers for the Insurance Companies, after carefully examining the stock of Clothing considered that the same was not so badly damaged as claimed by the assured Clothing Manufacturers, and failing to agree as to the actual loss, were forced to take the stock, turn it into money, and the goods must be sold at once, in order to make a final settlement. All goods are appraised at forty cents on the dollar of manufacturer's cost; and this is all we want for them. The great Fire Insurance Sale will enable people in Plainfield and vicinity to secure their Clothing for almost nothing.

We Will Tell You Merely a Few BARGAINS:

Men's Business Suits, all to match, for.... This suit costs to manufacture, $13.65, and if it does not suit you in every respect, or if you don't think it worth $13.65, bring it back any time inside of four days, and we will pay you $3.15.	$3.15
Elegant Cheviot Suits, worth $15 00, must go for.....	4.15
Extra Fine Quality Men's Suits, tailor made This is an elegant Suit and worth $17 00.	5.90
G. A. R.—Warranted all wool and fast color, Blue Flannel Suits, sold everywhere for $15 00, at.....	7.05
1,000 different kinds Diagonal, Worsted and Corkscrew Suits, which cost to manufacture about $20 00, we will sell for.....	8.99
Good Working Pants, worth $2 50, marked	74
We offer an elegant pair Men's Cassimere Pants, at..... that cannot be bought elsewhere for less than $4 00.	1.00
Boys' Suits, suitable for the season, worth $6 00, at.....	1.75
Boys' Pants, worth $1 00, for.....	25
600 Dozen Suspenders, per pair,.....	10

Don't fail to call and examine this stock at retail: it costs nothing to call and judge for yourself, and you will find everything just as cheap as mentioned in this circular. A chance to get such bargains will never occur again.

We reserve the right to limit purchasers as to quantity, to prevent dealers taking advantage of this sale.

Doors open from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M., during this sale. Come at all hazards—it will pay you.

LOOK FOR THE BIG SIGN,

GREAT FIRE INSURANCE SALE.

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7-17-

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LACES. LACES. LACES.

AT PECK'S!

LACES. LACES.

SHOT DOWN!

We will sell for a

SHORT TIME,

Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " $1.70.

Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,

Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.

A Nice Rod for the BOYS. 18cts.

Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

Ask to see the Springfield Roadster—the *SAFETY WHEEL.*

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BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,

MEATS OF ALL KINDS,

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Fancy and Staple Groceries,

CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.

Creamery and Dairy Butter

FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,

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HARDWARE,

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Residence—Corner Madison avenue and Walnut street, North Plainfield, N. J. Orders by mail, P. O. Box 1,482, will receive prompt attention 9-6-1

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Hon. Job Male, Mayor, is confined to his home by illness.

Mr. J. Ran Dunn, of West Fourth street, is regaining lost health at Atlantic City.

Mrs. Guy W. Payne, of Brooklyn, N. Y., is visiting Mrs. A. E. Bushnell, of East Second street.

Mr. P. P. VanArsdale and family of East Front street, are rusticating in the "city of Pluckamin," Somerset County.

Master John C. Sutphen of West Second street, started for New Germantown today, to spend the Summer with his aunt.

Mrs. Chappell of Manning avenue, is being favored with a week's visit from her aunt, Miss Abbie L. Clark of Warwick, N. Y.

Miss Gracie Howard of First place and Ninth street, left the city, yesterday, to spend the Summer at the seashore and in the mountains.

Miss Ida H. Sofield, of Central avenue, who has been visiting her grand-parents at Perth Amboy, N. J., for the past two months, returned today.

Master Frank Howland is the latest addition to Mr. S. C. Peck's corps of courteous clerks. The young man entered upon his duties a few days ago.

Messrs Andy Vanderbeek, Joe Sattells and Billy Cadmus the weak-fishermen who went to Amboy, yesterday, say they caught "fifteen." But did they?

Mr. F. R. Stevens goes to Sewaren, today, for a short vacation. He will not bother the fish during his presence, but take a thorough rest from all active work.

Mrs. Beidelman, daughter of Mr. Jas. E. White, and Miss Mabel Woodruff, left Plainfield today for Asbury Park, where they will spend three weeks at the Sea Shell Cottage.

Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Stover of Park place, will spend the coming ten days at Saratoga, then after a two weeks' sojourn at Riverside, the remainder of the season will be spent at Lake George.

Rev. Father Smyth celebrated high mass at St. Mary's church on Tuesday morning for the repose of the soul of the late Mrs. John L. Duckworth who died on Sunday. The remains were taken to Elizabeth for burial.

Freeholder and Mrs. A. Vanderbeek returned from Hopatcong Lake last evening. The visit was unavoidably shortened on account of an accident which happened to Mrs. Vanderbeek, who severely sprained an ankle while descending a hill at the lake.

Fire Commissioner William H. Brower, sailed from Queenstown on his return from Europe on the 11th instant. The vessel is expected to arrive in port at New York, today. Mrs. Brower returned to the city on Monday, after a three weeks' absence at Asbury Park.

Mr. Edward L. VanVoorhis, of Atlanta, Ga., is visiting the family of his uncle, Mr. Peter E. See, of North Plainfield. Mr. VanVoorhis is assistant Superintendent of the Union Cotton Compressed and Warehouse Company, with press located at Atlanta. He has traveled extensively and is good authority in his particular line of business.

What a Cyclorama Brought About.

There was witnessed a pathetic incident and joyous reconciliation the other day, at the Cyclorama of the Battle of Gettysburg, Fourth avenue and 19th street, New York.

A group stood discussing audibly some personal recollections of the scene, when presently there was a lull in the conversation, a little bustle in the crowd, then an exclamation, and two furrowed, tear-stained faces were pressed together after twenty-five years of separation. They were sisters who married brothers, becoming estranged because of a difference of opinion regarding the Rebellion. Now they met, and reconciliation came with tears. Was there an unseen hand which led them to this spot after this long separation? Incidents of the kind related are not uncommon at this pictured battle ground, which is sought out by so many people. The scene teaches many lessons, chiefly of patriotism, peace and reconciliation.

Court Notes.

The Court of Special Sessions met at Elizabeth, yesterday morning, with Judges McCormick, Hyer and Harper on the bench. The session was short, owing to the fact that there was little business to be transacted. After the court had listened to several arguments the prosecutor presented James Anderson, charged with stealing a watch. The prisoner plead non vult and was remanded until next Wednesday, the court stating that it wished to investigate the charge thoroughly.

Court adjourned until Wednesday morning next.

—The eclipse of the moon at midnight, Sunday, will be total. Those who stay up late enough can have a fine dark view.

—The excursion in aid of the Hillside Soldiers' Monument Fund from this city to Lake Hopatcong on Friday, Aug. 17, promises to be an enjoyable affair.

—The residence of Mrs. Etta Chase, on East Front street, is being wired and hung with fixtures for 35 incandescent lamps. The wiring is all concealed in an artistic manner by Carney Bros.,' skillful workmen.

—James Scott, (colored), 32 years, was brought before Judge Suydam this morning, charged by Officer McCue with disorderly conduct on North avenue, last evening. He pleaded guilty and was fined $10.

Further Particulars of the Westfield Mystery.

Step by step THE PRESS has brought the identity of the murdered man found in the Westfield woods, towards solution until in yesterday's extra edition issued at five o'clock, was published the diagnosis of the County Physician that the man had been brutally murdered, and the name in the book found on the remains, "F. M. Gates, May 8, 1878."

At the same time as the publication in yesterday's posthumous *News*, that "Chief Keron had declined to issue a precept to Coroner Miller for an inquest," THE PRESS published the names of the Coroners jury that had been subpœnaed, and also the fact that they were then present in Plainfield holding an inquest under the very nose of our post mortem contemporary.

Chief Keron visited the spot where the remains were found, and made a thorough search yesterday. He found, besides one or two little things that may prove big clews, a number of teeth that had been broken from the lower jaw of the dead man. The Chief thinks these are evidence that whoever committed the deed mutilated the face after death so as it might be beyond recognition if found before decay. A depression in the ground where the head lay, may have been caused by the weight of the skull in the damp earth, or by the head being pounded or stamped upon.

The false plate to fit the upper jaw, has no mark upon it except a scratch made, probably, by the maker's file. An expert dentist who examined it, says it is a cheap plate but whoever made it could identify it. The plate held one false tooth, the first to the left of the mouth, and there was also a place where the third tooth to the left had been riveted. This last is missing, but the two are all the false teeth that were in the deceased's mouth.

One of the handkerchiefs found on th body is a red cotton one with white flowers scattered over it, and a red border. At some time it has been torn in two directly through the centre, but carefully and neatly sewed together—both edges being turned in and felled on both sides with fine stitches.

The contents of the leather purse were carefully counted today, and consisted of eleven cents. These with three cents discovered by Undertaker Casey in the coat pocket, and one cent picked up by Officers Keron and Marsh where the body was found, make the exact total of the money discovered to be fifteen cents all in one-cent pieces.

No watch was found, although everybody carries a watch nowadays. The name and date on the fly-leaf of the book of Bible verses, is written in ink. A memorandum in pencil on the back of the pamphlet found, was "Egg plants, 3x2." This is supposed to refer to the customary way of setting out these plants—rows 3 feet apart and plants 2 feet distant from one another.

"UNMITIGATED FALSEHOOD."

Another Of the Abused Defends Himself.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In Wednesday's edition of "The News," an article appears which I would consider below my notice—and would treat it with contempt which it fully deserves—were it not full of unmitigated falsehoods. I am perfectly willing to stand any amount of abuse and criticism from my political opponents, but I would ask them to stick to the truth.

I take these means to brand the statement that I am a Free Trader, or that I made any remarks that could be construed as meaning Free Trade—as an untruth.

I am in favor of Tariff Reform, and the opposition know full well that the term Free Trade is a campaign phrase used for deception and to mislead voters. It is an old campaign cry with them, and they will find that it is of no avail this fall.

In conclusion let me remind the editor of the obscure sheet that I was not born South, but that New Jersey is my native State.

The Borough Barners will continue to meet at my house, until our arrangements are completed.

C. J. FEYTEL.

By Parlor Car to Ocean Grove.

With the Hope chapel and Warren Mission excursion train to Asbury Park, which will leave at 8:05 A. M., to-morrow, there will be a parlor car, in which many of the seats are already engaged. The extra charge is 40 cents each way—80 cents for the round trip. Those who desire to secure reserved seats, both ways, with the conveniences of a parlor car at this slight additional cost, may do so on the morning of starting.

Many of the Crescent Avenue church have signified their intention to take this excursion for a day at the seashore.

—The Volunteer base ball club of North Plainfield went to Bound Brook yesterday, and defeated the Bound Brook Club, on its own grounds by a score of 16 to 1. The latter club was whitewashed in this city a few weeks ago.

—Westfield station is at last having its dare boards covered with a coat of paint. The color is a rich brown, mixed thick. An old resident who had just settled in town when the station building was painted before, says the color then was a gray.

—As an item of interest it is stated that in 1880 there were only 5,000 Jews in Jerusalem. Now there are said to be 30,000. The recent persecutions in Russia are said to have caused the greater part of this increase, and many are said to have come from Germany.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

PECULIAR AFFAIR.

A Man Wildly Jealous of His Wife's Divorced Husband.

NEW YORK, July 19.—C. E. Anderson, a travelling jewely salesman of Philadelphia, applied at Jefferson Market Police Court yesterday for a warrant for the arrest of William Cleveland Cox, a lawyer, residing at 11 East Seventeenth street. Cox is the son of James K. Cox, of Auburn, N. Y., who is a cousin of President Cleveland.

At the examination before Justice Ford in the afternoon Anderson swore that Cox had threatened to kill him and scatter his brains on Broadway.

Mrs. Gracie Cox, the wife of the lawyer, corroborated Anderson's testimony. She is the divorced wife of Anderson. He was married to her four years ago in Philadelphia. Last December they agreed to be divorced, as they could not get along well together.

Previous to her marriage she was a chorus singer, and traveled with the McCaull Opera Company under the name of Alice Gleason. After her divorce from Anderson she came to this city and met Cox at a prayer meeting. Their marriage occurred on February 10 last.

Recently Cox began to distrust his wife, and caused considerable trouble. About a week ago Mrs. Cox packed up her trunks and left her husband's home, taking up her abode at the Hotel Everett.

Cox called upon her and begged her to live with him again, and all would be forgiven. The following day he told her he would kill Anderson, who had in the meantime visited Mrs. Cox and of whom he was jealous.

Justice Ford discharged Cox because he had not threatened Anderson personally.

EXAGGERATED.

Officials Deny the Statements of Fulda Passengers.

NEW YORK, July 19.—The officials of the North German Lloyds Steamship Company deny the report published yesterday of a fatal collision between their steamship Fulda and a fishing schooner off the banks of Newfoundland, whereby twenty lives were said to have been lost.

Mr. Gustave Schwabe said to-day: "I attribute the report as published to the heated imagination of some of the passengers. The Fulda encountered dense fogs off the Banks of Newfoundland, and last Saturday morning one of the lookouts sighted a fishing schooner ahead. The long whistles were blown, and the helm was put to starboard.

"The steamship was running under half speed at the time, but she answered her helm well, and avoided running down the schooner. The bowsprit of the schooner struck the forward part of the steamship, and it with the jib and foretopmast were carried away.

A large number of the Fulda's passengers were on deck at the time and witnessed the accident, and many of them believed that the schooner had been sunk. But the experienced seaman on watch said that her hull was not injured and that she floated freely on the water. Capt. Ringk stopped the engines, and for an hour made search in the neighborhood of the accident for the disabled vessel. The fog was so dense, however, that the schooner was not discovered.

"It is the firm belief of the Captain and the men of the Fulda that the schooner and crew are safe."

MOORE AND MRS. NORTON.

Both are Missing from Their Hotel in Topeka.

TOPEKA, Kan., July 18.—The whereabouts of Moore had not been discovered late last evening. Mrs. Norton has also left the hotel and cannot be found.

The general impression is that they are together somewhere in the vicinity, and their lawyers say they will be on hand to meet the charge against them on Monday morning next.

Moore's lawyers say that Moore is willing to return to St. Louis, and Gov. Johnson, Moore's attorney in St. Louis, has advised him to return and stand trial. Gov. Johnson does not think that the charge of larceny which stands against Moore can be maintained.

The Fisheries Treaty.

LONDON, July 19.—In the House of Commons to-day the government was asked what prospect there was of a ratification of the fisheries treaty between the United States and Great Britain.

Sir James Ferguson replied that the government was unable to express any opinion with reference to the progress of the treaty while the measure was before the Legislature of another country.

May be Expelled.

PLAINVILLE, Conn., July 19.—Daniel Fox, the local agent for Adams Express Company and a member of the Congregational Church, is the subject of much comment, he having been discovered in questionable relations with a colored woman, Mrs. Henry Jay. Fox has a wife and two grown daughters. The church has taken steps to expel him.

Baseball Games Played Wednesday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT DETROIT,

Detroit	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	*—5
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Athletics	1	1	2	3	0	2	0	1	1-10
Baltimore	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	2—5

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0—7
Brooklyn	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—2

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	2	0	0	1	0	0	0	1	0—4
Louisville	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0—1

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 17, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost
Chicago	42	24	Brooklyn	46	24
Detroit	42	23	St. Louis	41	22
New York	39	26	Athletic	40	26
Boston	35	32	Cincinnati	42	26
Philadelphia	32	31	Baltimore	31	38
Indianapolis	24	39	Louisville	24	43
Pittsburg	22	38	Kansas City	20	43
Washington	21	43	Cleveland	22	44

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

THE Cincinnati Baking Compan's works were burned Wednesday. Loss $30,000.

CHAMBERS' flouring mill at Latrobe, Pa., was burned Tuesday, with its contents. Loss $75,000.

ROBERT C. FANNING has been elected State Worthy Foreman of the Massachusetts Knights of Labor.

THE corn peanut, tobacco and cotton crops about Petersburg, Va., will not yield as well as has been anticipated.

H. P. STANNARD, general agent of the Chicag and Northwestern Railroad, died at San Francisco Tuesday night.

THE Democrats of the Eighth Indiana District have nominated Elijah Y. Brookstine for Congress on the 139th ballot.

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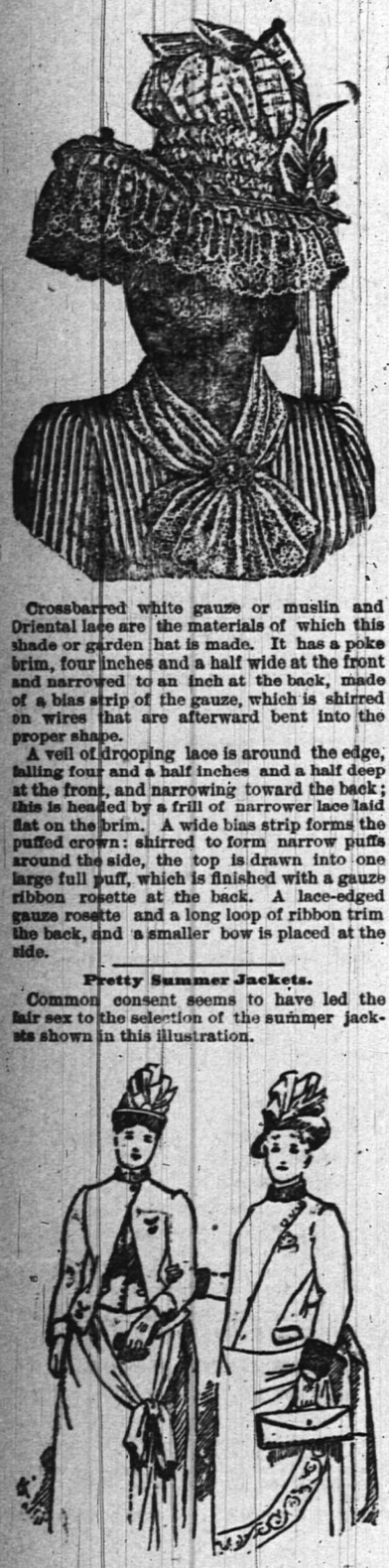

Crossbarred white gauze or muslin and Oriental lace are the materials of which this shade or garden hat is made. It has a poke brim, four inches and a half wide at the front and narrowed to an inch at the back, made of a bias strip of the gauze, which is shirred on wires that are afterward bent into the proper shape.

A veil of drooping lace is around the edge, falling four and a half inches and a half deep at the front, and narrowing toward the back; this is headed by a frill of narrower lace laid flat on the brim. A wide bias strip forms the puffed crown: shirred to form narrow puffs around the side, the top is drawn into one large full puff, which is finished with a gauze ribbon rosette at the back. A lace-edged gauze rosette and a long loop of ribbon trim the back, and a smaller bow is placed at the side.

Pretty Summer Jackets.

Common consent seems to have led the fair sex to the selection of the summer jackets shown in this illustration.

LIGHT SUMMER JACKETS.

These jackets are a welcome completion of travelling dresses and also much worn for the morning walk in bathing places. They can be partially or completely closed, and made of any fine woollen material with a silk or velvet waistcoat or trimming, either dark or light according to the wearer's choice.

JEWELRY WORTH WEARING.

LITTLE sailor knots of variegated gold, stuck close to the ears, are a jaunty design in earings.

LADIES' pocket books are occasionally seen with massive gold clasps bearing raised monograms.

SOME of the new safety clasp pins for shoes, lately introduced, are ornamented with etched figures.

ONE of the most popular chain pendants is a Gaul gold ball studded with carbuncle garments.

THE frosted silver ball queen chain pendant, set with very small diamonds, has recently come to stay.

A SPRAY of forget-me-nots, with white onyx with a brilliant sparkling in each flower, is just the thing in brooches.

THE fair sex have scored another victory, and now stick into each of their ears a miniature flag of colored enamel.

FINE woven gold necklaces have been introduced, from which are suspended at intervals, six gems of different colors.

ROPE chains with small pulleys at each end worked by a pencil charm, are an innovation which will not fail to please.

SMALL amber pocket combs, just out, are encased in oxidized silver cases, ornamented with applied enamel flowers.

AN Egyptian head of moonstone set in gold, the sides of the head dress being richly jewelled, makes an attractive brooch.

AMONG the latest importations in mourning brooches is a pure black onyx horse's head, with a superb diamond representing the eye.

LORGNETTES in solid Roman and dull gold frames and holders make expensive adjuncts to the jewel case of the lady of fashion.

A TUFT of grasses in varicolored gold, springing from an irregular dull gold coil, set with rubies, is a costly design in scarf pins.

A MEDIAEVAL shield of polished silver resting across a lance, the handle of which serves as the pin, is a tasteful pattern in scarf pins.

A PAIR of branching antlers, in oxidized and bright silver, having a small rose diamond set at the tip of each spur, is a unique pattern for a brooch.

A SILVER crescent in mottle oxidized silver finish, and having a spray of forget-me-nots in enamel sunk into the surface, is a tasteful design in brooches.

A DECIDEDLY novel brooch shown recently was a flat rough piece of dull gold, in which a pearl, a catseye, a diamond and a moonstone were imbedded apparently without design.

THE newest design in bracelets is a slender gold band set with garnets, pearls or turquoises, which can be worn together or separately like the rings now so popular.

White Muslin Dresses.

NOTWITHSTANDING the preference for white wool dresses, there are warm days in every summer when white muslin dresses are the favorite wear, and this season such gowns are made up in very simple fashions, or else they are suitable for very dressy occasions.

For simple dresses, either for the morning or afternoon, soft English nainsook without dressing is chosen, with a little embroidery or lace for the neck and sleeves of the gown. The belted waist may be gathered on the shoulders and crossed in front in surplice fashion, leaving the throat open in V shape and trimming it with Swiss embroidered edging, or with gathered Oriental or Valenciennes lace, which may be turned back from the front or its scalloped edges made to meet, as best suits the neck of the wearer. The sleeves are then plain to the elbows, with a ruffle of lace or embroidery falling toward the wrists.

The skirt is five straight breadths, with shirring across the front and side breadths just below the belt, while the two back breadths are gathered only once and in a very small space, hanging plain to the foot. Some modistes mount this skirt on a foundation skirt in which steels are run in cases, but ladies who have their dresses made and laundried at home prefer the full round housemaid skirt just described, and wear it over handsomely tucked or embroidered petticoats under which a very small bustle is placed.

A belt ribbon and Rhine-stone buckle may complete this dress, or else a wide sash of white or colored watered ribbon is worn, with loops and ends hanging low behind.

Still simpler white dresses are made of French nainsook, or of crossbarred muslin, with the belted waist high at the throat and full there, also on the shoulders, then drawn into yoke shape, back and front, by two cords run in the material. The sleeves of such a waist are full, with deep cuffs or narrower wristbands of embroidery, and there is a turned-over collar of embroidery to match.

Very sheer mull dresses made in this way—with cords outlining the yoke—have also cords holding the full sleeves in puffs at the top, and two sets of cords hold the fullness below the belt in the front and side breadths. A turned-over collar of wide lace and deep lace cuffs trim this sheer waist. A pointed yoke of embroidery, in all-over patterns of stars, daisies, vines, or stripes, is also much used for belted waists of nainsook dresses. Tucked waists of Nainsook have the fronts tucked in a pointed yoke shape from armhole to armhole, or else the tucks are only just below the neck in front and back, and the shoulders are plain or gathered, as best suits the figure of the wearer. Many of these tucked waists extend below the belt a short distance, and are simply hemmed on the edges. If made too long below the waist, or if trimming is added on the edge, the style of the garment is destroyed.

Underwear in Summer.

RIBBED under-vests of silk, fine wool, or Swiss thread are the favorite garments for summer use, as they are of the highest possible weight, and fit the figure as if moulded upon it. Flesh tints, pink, and ecru are most liked, but fancy-colored vests are also worn.

Those worn with evening full-dress toilettes are V-shaped in the neck in front and back and are finished with lace edges through whibh a ribbon drawing-string is passed; white, cream, and gold are the choice colors in silk vests. The lisle-thread vests are inexpensive, and are preferred in pure white; these are either high or low in the neck, with merely a well-woven armhole instead of sleeves.

Gauze merino vests that are half wool and half cotton are as fine as a web or as lace and are nearly fitted to the figure in jersey shapes with only a selvage for sleeves; these are worn by delicate women who most have a modicum of wool even for midsummer garments.

Fish-net vests of rough, coarse meshes are called sanitary vests, as their rough surface promotes circulation.

The union or combination garments, with vest and drawers in one piece, are made up in silk and in merino; those of silk are low in the neck with short sleeves, and are preferred in flesh-pink shades; they are also made in very elastic ribbed silk, with either high or low neck and short or long sleeves.

FASHION NOTES.

THE fronts of French bodices are extremely short, pointed an inch or so below the waist line, and covered by a girdle.

BUTTONS are little used, it being a fancy to have no apparent opening, and for a lady to look as though she had been poured into her clothes.

LIGHT-COLORED veilings and French cashmeres are extremely pretty for evening wear, and are embellished with bands of galloon instead of lace.

PRETTY morning toilettes for country hotels are made of the crossbarred surah silks that are sold at low prices in clear gray shades, in gobelin blue bars, and in dark terracotta or moss green.

THE fancy for washing silk has restored India pongee to favor with English women, who use it for entire costumes, for smocked blouses, shirred round hats, tea gowns, travelling cloaks and parasols.

IN colored bonnets, a noticeable feature is the very lavish use on them of gilt braid, lace, and tinsel, while a rather pretty caprice is to veil the flowers, or perhaps the whole hat, with a single thickness of fine black or white lace, gauze or net.

IT is an English style which largely prevails to wear a black hat and wrap with dresses of all colors; and the latter is generally a very small and jaunty affair, covering only half the arms. It is formed of silk, velvet, or beaded grenadine, and is heavy with jet.

WHITE dresses are not worn as much as formerly, the fancy this season being for colors; but some charming white woolens are displayed with silk selvages like repped ribbon or borderings of gold and silver, this last forming a particularly stylish trimming.

SAILOR hats of white mull shirred in reeds or wires or cords around the crown and the brim are youthful and fashionable in midsummer. They have a bunch of white flowers, deutzia, daisies, or lilies-of-the-valley, mounted high behind the crown, and held there by loops of the sheerest white mull.

POKE Bonnets of net are made in all colors—dark blue, red, brown, white, or black, and are exceedingly light and pretty. They are pleated or gathered over very slight wires the color of the net, and are trimmed with field flowers that fall down from the top of the crown, and some loops of narrow ribbons.

JAPANESE cottons are used with good effect for summer parasols for the country. The choice is for the white muslin with blue all-over designs of figures, vases, Japanese flowers, men, women, and landscapes, with their usual queer ideas of perspective; they are mounted on bamboo sticks, and have handles of other white woods.

FRENCH percales and muslins come now with wide borders on one selvage and are made up very much as they were many years ago, with a full polonaise falling open over a skirt of the same, that is trimmed with a deep Spanish flounce, sewed above the knees and finished by a small standing ruffle at the top. The polonaise is belted round the waist with ribbon.

EUROPEAN AFFAIRS.

A SCARE CAUSED BY A GLANCE TOWARD THE EAST.

China a Menace to the Old World, and Great Danger to Europe Lurking in the Possibilities of a Cessation of Immigration to this Country—Mr. Depew in London.

LONDON, July 16.—When Europe has not a fresh scare, it must be understood that alarms are scarce—that there has been a corner in the scare market, or the versatility of invention characteristic of scare-makers has been paralyzed by some unheard of calamity.

Just now the people of Europe are looking away to the East and asking one another what is to prevent the overgrown Mongol horde from repeating its irruptions of the twelfth and thirteenth centuries.

Queerly enough this new question on this side of the big pond is an old one in the United States, for the immense population of China forms the root of all these imaginings. The idea of a practically homogeneous mass of four hundred millions of semi-civilized people can hardly be entertained without some suggestions cropping up as to the probable results of the instruction of this mighty host in the modern arts of war. The Chinaman cannot go to the United States. What will he do at home?

Many "supposes" follow this interrogation.

Suppose, they say, that the conservatism of China breaks down sufficiently to give her all the advantages of scientific militarism: modern tactics and drill and formation, modern arms of precision and artillery of every kind. Suppose China arms on the scale of Gegmany and France.

There is no doubt that she could put in the field an army of ten, fifteen, or twenty millions of men. The possession of such a force by a half-savage race, however, would certainly lead to ambitious and aggresive plans.

What could withstand such an irruption? No Western Power could meet and check it on the border. Central Asia and India would speedily be overrun. Could Russia stem the tide?

Even if all Europe combined against such an attack, it is maintained that the fight would be a losing one. As to relative bravery and physical efficiency the West would have no superiority. Gordon proved, in the case of the Ever Victorious Army, that when drilled and led properly the Chinese make as steady and plucky fighters as can be found anywhere. They have no fear of death and they are very persevering. Once in Europe, is there any force which could long hold out against them?

An army of ten millions might bear down all opposition by its weight alone. It could afford to sacrifice half its members in exhausting the defence, and then it would outnumber its foes in a larger ratio than at the beginning.

The least likely circumstance is the surrender of Chinese conservatism, which is an indispensable preliminary to the whole undertaking. Then comes the financial obstacle, China being in fact a very poor country. If indeed she should take it into her head to create a national debt, almost anything might happen; but hitherto such a proceeding has been strenuously withstood. In short, while it might be rash to assert the impossibility of a new Mongol irruption, it is perfectly safe to predict that no man now living is at all likely to witness it.

From this speculative scare grows another that is even more troubling. Should the idea of restricting emigration grow to a reality in the United States will not the surplus population of European countries become a menace to the Eastern world?

John McLean, an experienced English actor, will support Mary Anderson in her American tour.

Bouquet throwing has been abolished in the London theatres, and a solitary bunch of "posies" from Sir Algernon Borthwick constituted the only floral emblem at the first night of "La Tosca."

Charles Dickens is back, and will shortly begin reading along the south coast.

Rehearsals for the coming performances at Baireuth are actively proceeding. The care taken is something extraordinary, as 82 rehearsals will be held.

Walter Besant, the novelist, is ill, broken down from overwork, and has just gone abroad for a long rest.

Two new books of interest to be published in the autumn are the experiences of George Augustus Sala and the family life of Henry Ward Beecher. The latter, if complete, will be peculiarly interesting.

Miss Juliette Grevy, the insane sister of the late President, died this week in the asylum in which she had been confined during 28 years. M. Grevy was very kind to her, visiting her several times each week, and he was especial attentive during his Presidenship of the French Republic.

Prince Alexander of Battenberg, who met recently with such a severe accident at Stettbach, and who was at first thought to have been but slightly hurt, now appears to be in a dangerous condition. He has strained his spine to such an extent that his life is said to be in danger.

Alexander Dumas is to be made a Commander of the Legion of Honor and Emile Zola a Chevalier. Delort, the painter, is to be decorated as well as Marie Laurent, the actress, for her benevolence.

The Boulanger-Floquet duel has considerably altered the situation in France. General Boulanger has discredited himself; not with reflecting, sensible, Frenchmen, for among them he had no credit, but with his own admirers.

His deportment in the Chamber did him no good; his resignation did him none. His insults to M. Floquet seem to have been calculated on M. Ferry's refusal to fight under impossible conditions, which General Boulanger perhaps thought he could impose on M. Floquet also. But M. Floquet had the advantage of being seconded by M. Clemenceau, one of the most expert duelists in France, who believes in real fighting or none.

When the duel came off it was the civilian who was cool, and the soldier who lost his temper. It is not necessary to admire duelling in order to admire the demeanor of this elderly lawyer of 60, who had to face the youngest general in the French army. Prime Ministers ought not to fight; but if they will fight it is best that they should fight well. Beyond question M. Floquet is stronger and and more respected to-day in France than if he had not fought. As for Gen. Boulanger, he has lost prestige with the army, where he never was idolized, by allowing himself to be worsted in a contest with a civilian. Frenchmen generally seem to think the figure he cuts in the whole business slightly ridiculous; or perhaps not slightly. A would be dictator, who provokes a duel and gets the worst of it, is less dangerous than he was.

THE meeting in this city of "The Alliances of the Reformed Churches Throughout the World Holding the Presbyterian System" is naturally of specific importance, first of all, to the seventy or more distinct ecclesiastical bodies represented.

The first in this series of councils met in Edinburgh in 1877, the second in Philadelphia 1880, the third in Belfast in 1884. It is quite possible that the array of talent and fame presented in the list of some three hundred delegates enrolled by this fourth Pan-Presbyterian Council may not seem any more brilliant than that which distinguished one and

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another of its predecessors, nor luminous enough to indicate, of itself, augmenting power, or the swing of progress. But even in its personnel that body cannot fail to be reckoned distinguished which enrolls in its membership such men as Principals Cairns, Rainey, and Douglass, Profs. Lindsley and David Duff, and Drs. Blakie, Marcus Dodds, J. Marshall Long, and R. S. Drummond, with Lord Balfour of Burleigh and Viscount Dalrymple from Scotland; Principals McVickar and Cavan, Dr. Robert Burns and Chief Justice Taylor from Canada; Prof. Robert Watts and Moderator Lynd from Ireland; Principal Edwards from Wales, Drs. Theodore Monod and Ed. de Pressense from France; Presidents Apple, Moffatt and Waddell, Profs. C. A. Aiken and Talbot W. Chambers, Drs. Moses D. Hoge, G. B. Strickler, J. M. P. Otts, C. R. Hemphill, C. H. Bell, Wm. E. and Geo. F. Moore, and W. J. R. Taylor, and Gen. Ralph E. Prime, from the United States; and Drs. J. Oswald Dykes, Donald Fraser, and J. Munro Gibson, and Sir George B. Bruce, from London itself; besides delegates, many of them perhaps equally well known, from Austria, Belgium, Bohemia, Greece, Hungary, Italy, Spain, Switzerland, Germany, Holland, from Asia, Africa, Australia, New Zealand, Jamaica.

The reception given the Council at the Duke of Argyll's lodge at Camden Hill, Kensington, while interesting for social reasons, was rendered much more so to the thoughtful observer by the drift of sentiment manifest in the address of welcome given by Lord Balfour and in the responses by Drs. Fraser, Burns, Lynd, Bersier, and others. The entire absence of denominational clap-trap, the breadth of view, the repeated references to the morning sermon, the kindly and even warm references to the Lambeth Conference, the palpable sense of general good fellowship with the entire Christian world, and the hearty applause which the faintest touch on the "problem of the hour" evoked, were enough to show the decisive drift of the Church away from polemics towards a broad irenicism and a new administrative efficiency.

The programme shows the same drift. The Council sat from the 3d to and through the 13th of July. During this period the following topics were discussed: (1) How Best to Work the Presbyterian System; specfally as promoting cooperation, and fostering activity, harmony, and spiritual life, in the congregation; (2) The Duty of the Church with reference to Present Tendencies of a more Intellectual Kind, bearing on Faith and Life; (3) The Duty of the Church with Reference to Social and other Tendencies (e. g., Intensity of Business and Political Life, Relations of Rich and Poor—the Spirit of Secularism) bearing on Faith and Life; (4) Woman's Work; (5) The Claims of Common Forms in Worship: (6) Helps and Hindrances in Aggressive Christian Work; and some others of like practical nature and bearing.

The story of the domestic drama that has been disturbing royalty so much recently is in general design much like the martial troubles of common folks.

Queen Natalie is a Russian, and has been suspected, with good reason, of conspiring on many occasions with Servian leaders who were opposed to Austrian supremacy.

The King became convinced a year ago that she was plotting to secure his downfall and her own appointment as Queen-Regent. He took advantage of one of her journeys to Russia to procure her banishment from Servia by a legal degree, and instructed the police to arrest her if she should attempt to cross the frontier. This was the culmination of a royal scandal caused in the first instance by jealousy and aggravated by political and diplomatic influences, the Queen being a Russian and the King Austrian in his sympathies.

While divorce proceedings have been in progress, the King has made extraordinary efforts to regain posession of the Crown Prince, who was with his mother. With the aid of the German government he has succeeded in his designs, the boy having been kidnapped by the police at Weisbaden and the Queen ordered to leave Germany within twenty-four hours.

It is difficult to explain Prince Bismark's arbitary inteference in this domestic drama. Austria may have desired Germany to take the Servian King's part, but Russia will be displeased. Queen Nathlie may have been an ambitious and restless intriguer at her husband's court, and the Crown Prince undoubtedly should be in his father's capital, but Russian diplomacy has been behind mother and son, and the arbitary proceedings may be resented at St. Petersburg.

THE Emperor William II. steamed out of Kiel Harbor on his imperial yacht amidst the customary compliments of bunting, manned yard arms, and much cannonading. There were many thousands of spectators. The manœuvres were carried out with exact precision, and the whole occasion was historically brilliant.

What the two cousins will do, however, when they get their heads together, nobody appears even faintly to know. Germany thinks it a friendly visit. Russian opinion is that it concerns Bulgaria. France fears that it means the last possibility of any Russian alliance, and Austria and Italy are ill at ease.

The most amusing and deplorable feeling exists at Constantinople, however. The unspeakable Turk, who has the faculty of getting things wrong end foremost characteristic of barbaric peoples, has come to the conclusion that it is to be a renewal of the three Emperors' league, and that Germany and Austria propose to sacrifice Turkey to the Czar, while England is unable to render any assistance, having enough to do to take care of herself. The one possibility which has not apparently occurred to anybody is that the interview may set Europe on a permanent peace-footing. William is desirous of distinction and has declared for peace, and his very early call on Russia may be his first move in this direction.

Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey M. Depew and party had a quick and very pleasant passage, and found their ship, says Mr. Depew, more comfortable than ever. They arrived in London yesterday afternoon, Mr. Depew looking as if he had been nominated and elected President, served his four years with honor, and come abroad to rest on his laurels—in short, as well as possible.

Invitations met Mr. and Mrs. Depew to dine with Mr. and Mrs. Vanderbilt, with the American Minister Thursday, and with Mr. and Mrs. Henry White on Friday, to meet Mr. Gladstone, and to various other festivities. He plunges at once into the London whirl.

Mr. Blaine has postponed his departure, and will sail August 1 on the new Inman steamer, City of New York.

THE condition of the slave trade may be estimated when it is learned that Cardinal Lavigirie, Archbishop of Algiers and Carthage, has felt it to be his duty to go to Europe to denounce its continuation. He has lately delivered most impassioned harangues from the pulpit of St. Sulpice, Paris. He says that the evidence is that 400,000 slaves are annually sold on the African shores, and that taking into account those killed in capturing them and the deaths from barbarous treatment, the slave trade counts 2,000,000 victims every year.

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Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

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A Jersey City Mother Elopes With a Married Man.

MANY TELLTALE LETTERS.

Upper Tendom Shocked—How the Injured Husband Learned of His Wife's Infatuation—Photographs Distributed for the Guidance of the Police—Description of the Missing Couple.

NEW YORK, July 20.—The upper tendom of society in Jersey City, has been suddenly shocked by the announcement yesterday of the alleged elopement of two of its members, both of whom leave families to bemoan their sudden and unlooked for departures.

The parties to the elopement are Mrs. Rebecca Shanley of 599 Jersey avenue, wife of Frank Shanley, superintendent of the Palmer Cooperage Company of Brooklyn, E. D., and Harry C. Fuller, who was employed in Frank Stevens' real estate office, 198 Bergen avenue. He is married and has one child.

The elopement took place on Saturday last. Last Friday Mrs. Shanley sent her two sons, aged respectively 10 and 8 years, to Harlem, and signified her intention of following them with her little girl in a short time.

When Mr. Shanley arrived home on Saturday he found that his wife had left home and had taken her 4 year old daughter with her.

Subsequent inquiries made in Harlem by him showed that she had not gone to where her sons were.

Shanley's suspicions were aroused, and, after doing a little detective work on his own hook, he finally came to the conclusion that his wife had left with a handsomer man than he. It is stated about a month ago Shanley found a large number of love-letters in his wife's writing-desk, which she had unwittingly left open before leaving the house to go ont shopping.

The letters were all without addresses, but they were signed "Harry." When his wife returned he asked her who "Harry" was, but she was quick witted enough to extricate herself from the embarrassing position by saying: "Why, Frank, those are not my letters. They belong to one of my lady friends."

"And who may that lady friend be, pray!" queried her husband, not at all satisfied. His wife gave gave the name of a lady residing on Seventh near Cole street.

"Of course you believe me; but if you don't why all you have to do is to send and ask her," said Mrs. Shanley, innocently. And that's just precisely what Mr. Shanley did do, but not, however, before his wife had sent the oldest boy to post her friend. Mrs. Shanley's friend, when called upon by the suspicious husband, boldly declared with unblushing effrontry that the letters in question were her's, and said she would call for them the next day.

Shanley's suspicions were allayed for the time being, and he thought no more of the matter until Saturday, when he found that his wife had left taking two trunks with her, and wherever she had gone she intended to make a long stay.

Mr. and Mrs. Shanley have lived happily together for years. They were both regular attendants at St. Paul's Methodist Episcopal Church on Third street, Jersey City. Mr. Shanley said to a reporter yesterday:

"I am confident that my erring wife has eloped with Fuller, and all that I want is the custody of my little girl. If my wife is happier whither she is gone, then let her remain, but I propose to have my child if the law will permit me to have her."

Shanley was at Police Headquarters yesterday and gave the authorities an accurate description of his missing wife to aid them in finding her. He brought with him a number of her photographs. The photographs were handed to Chief of Police Murphy, who will send them to police of the different cities. Mrs. Shanley is a blonde, of medium height handsome, with a fair complexion. Fuller is described as a man about 30 years of age, with black hair and mustache, and medium height.

BURLINGTON.

The Defense Unexpectedly Rests on the Evidence Now In.

CHICAGO, July 20.—The evidence in the cases of the Burlington dynamiters was unexpectedly closed yesterday. District Attorney Ewing announced the prosecution rested, and Attorney Donohue surprised the court by announcing that the defense closed its case and was prepared to discuss proofs.

The District Attorney asked that the men be held on evidence. The men were bound over in $5,000 each.

Burglars Make a Haul.

WICKFORD, R. I., July 20.—The summer residence of H. B. Aymer of East Wimeu, N. J., was ransacked by burglars last night while the family was asleep in the house.

The burglars secured a quantity of silver plate, gold watches, jewelry and $15,000 in bank stock which was in Aymer's sleeping room.

The White Pasha.

LONDON, July 20.—Parties of Fraklin pilgrims who arrived at Suakim Tuesday declared that they heard that a force of foreigners, headed by an English Pasha, were in the marshes of Bahr at Gazell. The Darfur tribes were friendly and were arranging with the strangers an attack on the Mahdi.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

THREE little girls at Jefferson, Iowa, were drowned while bathing Wednesday.

THE residences of Orilla Varner and John Cook, Amesbury, Mass., were burned Thursday.

THE Democrats of the Seventh Alabama District have nominated Gen. W. H. Forney for Congress.

THE building of the New York State canning works, Buffalo, was destroyed by fire Thursday. Loss, $5,000.

A MAIL stage on the Tongue River route Montana, was recently robbed by a lone highwayman, who, however, got but little money

C. H. MEAD, president of the Charleston National Bank, died at his residence, Charleston, W. Va., Thursday morning of spina disease.

THE suit of the New York and Chicago Grain and Stock Exchange, a bucket shop, against the Board of Trade was dismissed Thursday

THE post office safe of Norwood, Mass., was robbed Wednesday night of $600 in postage stamps. The safe of F. W. Bird, in the same store, was also blown open and $800 in cash

WASHINGTON.

The Mills Bill to Come up for Consideration Saturday.

WASHINGTON, July 20.—William M. Springer, chairman of the Committee of the Whole, stepped down from the Speaker's desk at 2.30 o'clock yesterday afternoon and reported Mr. Mills' Tariff Bill to the House.

Mr. Mills himself had made the motion that the committee rise and report, and after that was done he moved that consideration of the bill be resumed at 11.30 on Saturday, when he expected to make a speech—the last one of the debate.

The last two hours of the debate to-day were about as exciting as any in the whole sitting of the committee. La Follett of Wisconsin secured his five minutes and vigorously opposed the Mills motion to strike out "all tobacco in leaf unmanufactured and not stemmed, thirty-five cents per pound."

Lehlback of New Jersey offered an amendment for the benefit of the hatters of his district, but it was voted down, as was also another amendment of his fixing the duty on pearl buttons.

He said that twenty-three day and eight evening sessions had been consumed in general debate on the bill: 151 speeches had been made. The debate under the five minute rule had consumed 120 hours. It would be remembered, he thought, as the most remarkable debate that has ever occurred in parliamentary history.

Governor Dingley said the Democrats were continually prating about tax reductions, and yet they proposed to tax the rice that all the people used over 100 per cent. and would not consent to an amendment that reduced the one half the duty on sugar.

General Gear of Iowa quoted statements which showed that since 1846 the price of labor under protection had gone up, while the price of wool products had steadily gone down.

The Committee's report to the House followed and was adopted without need of tellers.

Mr. Mills made his announcement about the work for Saturday, and the House, on the motion of Major McKinley, voted to print 5,000 copies of the amended tariff bill for distribution equally among the members.

SUNBURY REGATTA.

The Trial Heats Rowed on an Ugly Cross Sea.

SUNBURY, Pa., July 20.—A business meeting of the National Amateur Oarsmen's Association was held here last evening. Last years' board of officers were re-elected, with H. W. Garfield, of Albany, President, and Howard Gibson, Secretary.

C. G. Peterson, of the New York Athletic Club, and James S. Alvin, of Providence, were re-elected delegates. Harry McMillen, of the Schuylkill Navy, Philadelphia, was elected as a delegate in place of E. C. Parsons, of Dixon, Ill.

The next meeting of the organization will be held in the Gilsey House, New York, Oct. 1.

The first race was the trial heat—junior singles. G. A. Strickland, of the Don Amateurs won.

The next event was the first trial heat—senior for shingles. Dennis Donohue, of the Nautilus Club, of Hamilton, was the winner.

Next was the second trial heat of the junior singles. W. Shea, of the Don Amateurs, won in 12m. 57s.

The final race of the morning was the second trial heat of the senior singles.

There was only one man, technically speaking, in this race, the favorite, Psotta, winning by twelve lengths in the slow time of 13.05.

Goepfert and Donohue had a tough battle for the second place. The Empire City lad shoved his boat ahead about a foot on the line and got second honors.

In the afternoon the wind had fallen somewhat, killing the ugly cross sea that prevailed all the morning. There were upward of 20,000 spectators on hand when the afternoon's programme was begun.

There were four starters, Gugerty, Strickland, Shea and Seaton, in the final heat of the junior singles, the first event of the afternoon.

WOMAN KILLS WOMAN.

Rivals Quarrel and the Skull of One is Fractured.

NEW YORK, July 20.—A woman was killed at No. 217 East Twenty-ninth street yesterday by being pushed from a stoop by another woman. Her skull was fractured.

Lizzie Hughes and Annie Fox, living in the same house, advertised recently for situations, inviting prospective employers to call at their houses. A rivalry arose between them and they quarrelled over the callers, each insisting that she was the person wanted.

Yesterday they took possession of the stoop and waited for people to call. Such close rivalry could not but breed discord, and it was not long before they came to hot words and then to blows. The Fox woman was getting the better of Lizzie, when the latter suddenly pushed her opponent off the stoop.

She fell on her back and lay on the sidewalk unconscious. Officer Dolan, of the Twenty-first Precinct, arrested Lizzie and sent Annie to Bellevue Hospital, where it was discovered that her skull was fractured.

Lizzie was arrested at the Yorkville Court and held to await the result of Annie's injuries.

The woman lingered until about 9 o'clock last evening, when she died. Lizzie will probably be held for murder.

Concerning Gen. Sheridan.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 20.—No change is reported in Gen. Sheridan's condition this morning.

The General's private secretary, Mr. Roebeck, has taken a cottage at South Dartmout, a village in this vicinity, and called on his chief yesterday. He was not permitted to see the General, however, and this circumstance seems to indicate that the patient's strength is not so great as expected.

Railway Constructor Decorated.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 20.—The decoration of the order of Alexander Nevski has been conferred on Gen. Annekoff, the railway constructor.

One of the Finest Locked Up.

BOSTON, July 20.—Officer Flaherty, of Division C, is a prisoner in his own station. He started on his vacation yesterday, and got drunk to begin with. Everybody he met he attempted to assault, and finally pummelled a brother officer who attempted to arrest him. The patrol wagon landed him at the station."

DYNAMITE.

Another Sensation Caused by Chebowa's Confession at Chicago.

CHICAGO, July 20.—Another intense sensation in the Anarchist case was caused yesterday by the confession of Frank Chebowa, who, with Hronek and Chepak, conspired to murder Judges Gary and Grinnell, and Inspector Bonfield.

The confession was made to Inspector Bonfield himself, who last night visited the three prisoners, accompanied by two Bohemians in his service.

Chebowa said that Hronek had unfolded his plans for success and had told of a bomb which he (Hronek) had invented. It was small—no larger than a baseball—and was to be loaded with dynamite and bits of broken glass.

It was denied by Chebowa that the plot was to murder the judges and the Inspector. That is, he heard of no such definite schemes. They were called upon, as was Capt. Schack, and he understood that he was to pay more attention to the captain than to any one else.

There was no concerted plan of action. It was agreed that when all preparations were made he and two others were to be informed by Hronek just what they were to do in the way of avenging the death of the martyrs.

About July 1 he was visited by Hronek who brought him two bombs of the broken glass variety and two sticks of dynamite, from which he was to make bombs of gaspipe after the usual pattern.

The other two men were also supplied with bombs and dynamite. He had the stuff in his house for about a week, and then got so afraid that it would be discovered that he made away with it by throwing it down a closet. This is the substance of the confession. It is much more in detail and covers about thirty closely printed pages.

Chebowa has agreed to give his testimony in open court, where it will corroborate the other evidence secured by the Inspector against the conspirators.

The two other men are still at large, but may be arrested at any time.

PRISON CONGRESS.

The Next Meeting Will be Held at Nashville.

BOSTON, July 20.—Papers on various subjects were submitted by title at the Prison Association meeting, but were not read.

The old officers will be re-elected with two secretaries, Charles Felton of Illinois, to superintend printing, and Rev. J. L. Mulligan of Pennsylvania, for general receiver. The next meeting will be held at Nashville, Tenn., in October. 1889.

A discussion was then started on the general subject of reform. Mas. J. K. Barney of Rhode Island said the only way to begin reform was to take care of vicious young girls who will become mothers of illegitimate children who will fill the jails.

President Hayes emphasized the note that skilled productive labor was a part of every prison's discipline and spoke a warm word for the policemen of the country.

YOUNG THIEVES.

Cincinnati Has an Organized Gang of Youthful Depredators.

CINCINNATI, July 20.—Three boys, none of whom are over 12 years of age, were arrested for picking pockets last evening, and by their own confession show they were an organized gang of thieves. The gang is composed of Bundy Wainwright, Linsey Murphy, Walter Harris and Willie Madden.

The gang, according to the confession made, have been tapping tills and picking pockets systematically. One day recently they made the rounds, tapping the tills of a drug store, a grocery and two saloons. A raid on the Second National Bank was contemplated, but each time a policeman was on hand and they desisted. They intended to start a fight, and during the scuffle one of the gang was to climb over the railing and grab a bundle of money. Three of the crowd have gone to Nashville, Tenn.

National Teachers' Convention.

SAN FRANCISCO, July 20.—The subject for discussion at the National Teachers' Convention yesterday was "Current Criticism of the Public School System."

The discussion was opened by John W. Cook. Normal, Ill.: "They fail to give reasonable mastery of subjects studied." Lizzie J. Martin, Indianapolis: "They fail to give proper preparation for active life." John P. Irish, San Francisco; Thomas J. Morgan Providence; Ira More, Los Angeles, and Jerome Allen, New York, participated in the discussion.

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 17, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	42	24	Brooklyn	46	24
Detroit	42	28	St. Louis	41	22
New York	39	26	Athletic	40	26
Boston	35	32	Cincinnati	42	26
Philadelphia	32	31	Baltimore	31	38
Indianapolis	24	39	Louisville	34	43
Pittsburg	22	38	Kansas City	20	42
Washington	21	43	Cleveland	22	44

Baseball Games Played Thursday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT DETROIT.

Detroit	2	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	—4
Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	3	0	—3

AT PHILADELPHIA.

New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	4	0	—7
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—1

AT WASHINGTON.

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1
Boston	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT BALTIMORE.

Athletics	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	0	—3
Baltimore	0	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	—5

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	—0
Louisville	1	0	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	1	—7

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	4	0	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—8
Kansas City	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	—2

Will Remain in Rome.

ROME, July 20.—The Pope says he does not intend to leave Rome. He regrets his latest letter on the rescript should have been misinterpreted.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The ball match and picnic which the colored people had arranged for yesterday, were postponed until Thursday next, on account of the inclement weather.

—The Warren Mission and Hope chapel excursion to Ocean Grove this morning, consisted of eleven well-filled coaches, two parlor cars and two baggage cars.

—The freight depot in this city, has not yet been removed, and the movement which was started a few months ago, with that end in view, is likely to fall through.

—The Trinity Reformed, First Presbyterian and Park Avenue Baptist Sunday Schools have an excursion to Long Branch, Ocean Grove and Asbury Park on Wednesday, August 15th.

—THE PRESS recently called attention to a dangerous washout on Park avenue, at the intersection of Randolph road, and Street Commissioner Angleman went straightway and repaired the damage. Verily the Street Commissioner hath done good work.

—A workman employed by a family at Westfield, was at work recently cutting wood about seventy-feet from where the murdered man was found on Sunday, yet he says he did not detect any foul odor. Now the workman cannot be prevailed upon to go after the wood.

An Eventful Fishing Trip.

Messrs. "Andy" Vanderbeek, Jos. Sattels and W. Cadmus, had an eventful day fishing at Perth Amboy on Wednesday. To begin with the water was rather rough, and two of the fisherman on several occasions declared that they were in sight of Europe, and their breakfasts were cast overboard to the fishes. Returning home in the evening the weary fishermen got aboard the wrong train, and reached Elizabeth via Monmouth Junction and Sea Girt. Then to cap the climax, the freight car containing the fish was switched off at Elizabeth, and attached to a through freight on the Pennsylvania Railroad bound for Harrisburg. Yesterday the young men were around canceling orders for weak fish, and in consequence the markets were thronged with purchasers during the day. The bait cost $4.12.

Rahway's Professional Ball Club.

Rahway has a good ball club, but it is composed mostly of professional players, who demand pay for every game they play. Out of the thirty-one games which the club has played thus far this season, none of them have been lost. The battery, basemen and short stop, are all professional men, some of them belonging in Newark, Brooklyn and New Brunswick. It costs on an average of $47 for each game. On Saturday the Rahway team will play with the Bergen Points, at the latter place.

The Festive Mosquito Must Go.

The following is said to be effectual to expel mosquitoes: "Take of gum camphor a piece about one-third the size of a hen's egg, and evaporate it by placing it into a tin vessel and holding it over a lamp, taking care that it does not ignite. The smoke will soon fill the room and expel the mosquitoes, and not one will be found in the room next morning, even though the windows should be left open at night."

He Got There At Last.

Mr. Charles B. Aborn of East Seventh street, after a narrow escape from being run over by the 7:58 train, this morning, boarded the 8:00 o'clock, as it was leaving the station, and almost swung himself under the wheels in so doing. The train was subsequently stopped at Washington street to let Mr. Aborn off—and running back he at last succeeded in getting on the excursion train which the spectators then discovered was what he was after.

O. A. F. Meeting.

The members of the Order of American Firemen held a regular meeting in Firemen's Hall, last evening, with Chief T. O. Doane in the chair. The most important business transacted was the initiation of two new members. Adjournment was made for two weeks.

NOW FOR THE MURDERER.

"Edward Miller" Supposed to be the Man Found Murdered In the Woods at Westfield—Probably Killed For His Wages.

From important clues obtained too late for publication in THE PRESS, of yesterday, it seems probable that the murdered man found in the woods at Westfield, was just before his death a resident of that town under the name of "Edward Miller."

Detectives Marsh and Keron have discovered that such a man was, until June 23, employed as a coachman for John T. Lawrence, who resides a few hundred yards from the woods in which the body was found, as will be seen by a reference to the map of the scene of the murder, published in Monday's PRESS.

Chief John Keron came up from Elizabeth, yesterday afternoon, and with Detective John M. C. Marsh, an enquiry was begun at the houses nearest the scene, to discover if any recent inmates were missing. At Mr. Lawrence's residence they learned he was traveling in the West, but Mrs. Lawrence upon being shown a piece of the blue serge coat found by the side of the remains, she positively identified it as being a part of a suit worn by a man calling himself "Edward Miller," who had been in Mr. Lawrence's employ from April 2, to June 23, of this year.

She said that she engaged him at an employment agency on Greenwich street, in New York city, near Castle Garden, she thinks. He was a delicate looking man of low stature. She employed him at doing odd chores and driving the horse, she said. He seemed not to like the work, and left her employment on Saturday, June 23. She gave him $28. She was told by a Mr. Shepherd, a relative, that he saw Miller on Sunday afternoon of June 24 on the road. This was the last seen of Miller alive, as far as can be ascertained.

Mrs. Lawrence said that Miller went on June 2 to Old Bridge on the Perth Amboy road. He returned on June 4. This may account for the ticket found in his clothing of which THE PRESS traced the date of sale, as June 2. She also said that Miller was of a religious frame of mind, and that he frequently went to church. She believed that he was an Episcopalian.

Besides Miller, there was another farm hand at work for Mrs. Lawrence, Edward McDonald, a Scotch lad. He said that on the Saturday night following Miller's leaving the employ of Mrs. Lawrence, Miller slept with him in an upper room of Mrs. Lawrence's barn. On Sunday morning, June 24, the last he saw of Miller, McDonald says, was when Miller started for Westfield to go to church.

One of the female servants said that, from what she had heard Miller say, he was of a better social condition than most farm hands. This, taken with the fact that he brought back better clothing with him upon his return from Old Bridge than he had been wearing, and his delicate appearance, led to the belief that his people were well off. Miller told this servant that, besides his sister Gussie, who lived at Old Bridge, he had another, who was a religious Sister in Elizabeth. Chief Keron tried last night to learn if this was true

To another of the servants Miller said that his mother's sister was the wife of I. P. Brown, a publisher of Park row, New York. There is no such name in the New York Directory.

In view of all these stories, Chief Keron said that he thought it possible that Edward Miller was an assumed name. It is possible that the real name was F. M. Gates, the name on the fly leaf of the book found in the clothing on Wednesday. Chief Keron said that there was no doubt but that Miller was murdered, and that the motive of the murder was the theft of the $28 given Miller by Mrs. Lawrence.

There seems to be no doubt that the murdered man is this one whom Mrs. Lawrence engaged as "Edward Miller," and who received letters while in her employ addressed in that name. Mrs. Lawrence could describe the knife found in the pocket and also some of the clothing on the remains.

The missing hat was also found by the detectives, in the woods about fifty feet west of where the body lay. It was a straw hat that is said to answer the description of that worn by Miller when last seen alive, on Sunday, June 24.

The arrest of suspected persons on the charge of murder, will probably be made very soon. They are located, and the authorities can lay hands on them at any time.

The body was buried today by Undertaker P. Casey, the Morgue Keeper, in the city's poor plot in the Methodist cemetery, on Plainfield avenue.

Earned Runs and Not the Umpire, Defeated the Crescents.

The following is an extract from the Somerville *Unionist-Gazette's* report of last Saturday's game in that town, between their "West Ends" and our "Crescents." THE PRESS is satisfied that Mr. Mack was as fair as possible:

But for unreasonable and unfair audiences, the Plainfield people stand far and away above anything that can be produced. They can double discount the proverbial mule as "kickers." Not satisfied with continual grumbling, they began to howl insulting insinuations against the umpire, until Rev. Asa Dilts, the Crescent's short-stop said to them: "Be quiet; the umpire is perfectly fair." Even after this admonition, one of the Crescent's members, who has frequently played here and has heretofore been considered and treated as a thorough gentleman, howled out as he was leaving the grandstand: "Now, Umpire, pay your bets." There was no occasion for the remark; and its utterance was as unfair to Mr. Mack as it was discreditable to the speaker.

Khume Escapes Again.

Charles Khume, the young tough who was "bounced" from the Scott Printing Press Works a few days ago, because he was worthless, figured in another disgraceful row at six o'clock of last evening.

It appears that Khume, who is about twenty-five years of age, with the brand of a brute stamped on his face, was discharged from the Scott Press Works on Tuesday. At noon of that day the fellow laid in wait for a fellow-workman named Moon, whom he accused of being instrumental in effecting his discharge, and gave him a brutal beating. The wounded man sought redress from the police officers, and when Chief Carey went to arrest Khume he made his escape by running along the railroad toward Netherwood.

Next morning the youthful desperado called at this office, and was here made to eat his own words. He admitted hiding away from the police, but denied that he left an unpaid board bill. The fellow also declared that no —— —— —— on the "force" could "take him in." Less than a half-hour afterward the police chased him through East Front street and Peace street, but again he made his escape.

Yesterday afternoon Khume had all his personal property, which consisted of a scantily-filled trunk, taken to the station and checked to Philadelphia, he remarking to the expressman that he would "have another turn" at Moon. Following up these words like a highwayman, he met Moon on Richmond street at six o'clock last evening, and again brutally beat him, striking him several times in the jaw.

Special Officer Hope was soon on the spot, but the desperado fled and escaped by running along South Avenue toward Netherwood. The fellow again showed up at the depot about eight o'clock last evening, and took passage on the 8:17 train for Philadelphia.

This man is a brute of the worst sort, and it is to be regretted that the police did not capture him. A few years in State Prison would do the wretch good.

Clutching Babes From Shrieking, Shuddering, Crouching Mothers.

The Republican party gains no votes and loses the respect of the decent, by the hire of organs that will surrender all claim to be self-respecting journals by the publication of the following—a sample of the vile and vulgar abuse with which *The Evening News* of Plainfield physics its readers:

"Every ordinance of secession that was ever drawn was done by a Democrat. Every man that tried to tear the old flag down was a Democrat. Every enemy this country has had for twenty-five years was a Democrat. Every man that starved Union prisoners of war, refusing them a crust in the extremity of death, was a Democrat. The man that assassinated Abraham Lincoln was a Democrat. Every man that sympathized with the assassin—every man that was glad that the noblest President ever elected was dead, was a Democrat. Every man that wanted the privilege of whipping another man to make him work for nothing and pay him with lashes on his naked back, was a Democrat. Every man that raised bloodhounds to pursue human beings, was a Democrat. Every man that clutched babes from the breasts of shrieking, shuddering, crouching mothers and sold them into slavery, was a Democrat. Every man who swore that he would never pay the bonds; every man that swore he would never redeem the greenbacks; every maligner of his country's credit, calumniator of his country's honor, was a Democrat. Every man that cursed Lincoln because he issued the emancipation proclamation, was a Democrat. Every man who believed that a State could get out of the Union at pleasure; every man that believed that the grand fabric of the American government could be made to crumble instantly into dust at the touch of treason, was a Democrat. Every man who tried to burn asylums in the city of New York, was a Democrat—although he knew that thousands would perish, and the great serpents of flame, leaping from one building to another, would clutch children from their mothers' arms—every wretch that did it was a Democrat. Recollect it! Every man that tried to spread the small-pox and the yellow fever in the North, was a Democrat. Soldiers, every sore you have on your heroic bodies was given you by a Democrat."

The Metuchen Church.

Rev. J. G. Mason, pastor of the Presbyterian church at Metuchen recently delivered a discourse adapted to the history of the church, and to the inhabitants of the town.

The history travels back 148 years and gives a general view of the Church in New Jersey, and especially Metuchen. The first meeting for worship was in 1757, at the time of the first burial in what is called the Old Burial Grounds, and was probably held in an old log cabin. The first burials in the Old Graveyard were in the years 1701 and 1702.

In the year 1750 the Church was organized and called the Second Presbyterian Church of Woodbridge. It was the name of the First Presbyterian church about the time of the beginning of Rev. G. T. Plumley's pastorate. On the Fourth of July, 1811, a discourse on American Independence was delivered by Rev. Henry Cook, D. D., who graduated at Rutgers' College, New Brunswick, in 1789, just about 100 years ago. The discourse was delivered before the united congregations of Metuchen, Samptown, Piscataway and Seventh Day.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Newhall and Miss Newhall, are at the Pocono mountains.

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PURE Silk Mits, our 50ct grade for 39cts; our 60ct grade for 50cts; our 75ct grade for 60cts; our $1 grade for 80cts. Ladies' Linen Chemisetts at 20cts regular price is 25 to 30cts. Our 8ct folding Jap. fans for 4cts. Colored border, hem-stitched handkerchiefs for 5cts; Linen, do., for 9cts., regular price is 12 to 15cts. Ladies' Bal. Hose, regular made, for 15cts., regular price 20cts. The "Brewster" and "Silk Fitting" Corsets for 75cts., regular price is $1. India Linen, 15cts., regular price 20cts.

BICYCLE and Tennis Shirts reduced. Our $1.25 style for $1; our $1.75 style for $1.50; our $2 plain and French-striped for $1.75; our $1.75 in plaid and striped for $1.50; our $2 white emb. front for $1.50; Boys', do., in white and colored for $1.15, regular price is $1.35.

SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7½cts; Colored window Scrim 9cts, regular price 12cts; Linen crash 5cts; Unbleached table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

WE have left a few Cotton-striped Skirts, will close out cheap. Our 50ct style for 39cts; our 75ct style for 60cts; our $1 style for 75cts. Our 65ct Boys' Percale Waists for 55c. Our 85c do. for 75c. Besides numerous other bargains not mentioned here.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE.*

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. **EDSALL'S.**

5-18-tf

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LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

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Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

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W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending JULY 19, 1888.

Ahlsburg, Miss D	Mansfield, J W
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Allen, Miss E E	McDonald, Mrs A C
Adams, Miss Minnie	Martin, Miss Alice
Ahlsborg, Miss Thea	Morse, Dr Bettinide
Armstrong, W	Moon, Mrs Sarah H (2)
Bergen, Mr John	Miller, S R
Brown, Fred	Miller, W G
Behm, Miss Fannie	Noonan, Miss L
Burrows, Mrs W	Pierson, Mrs Jane
Clarkson, Mrs M R	Parentean, Dorminean
Capistran, Mons Pierre	Poirrier, Narcise
Dentz, John	Pullin, R W
Davis, Chas	Quick, Hannah M
Dater, Mrs H R	Runion, Mrs Josephine
Eder, Mr Joseph M	Reid, Mrs
Ellis, Mrs J T	Young, Miss Sallie
Ferguson, Miss E L	Schaffer, Mr Henry
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Frammer, Mrs Patrick	Southerland, J W
Foster, Mrs Scott	Smith, Jas G
Heding, Miss Ida	Smith, Mrs L
Hollowsk, Miss Albird	Sewane, M
Heaidon, Annie	Stone, Mrs Harry
Hansen, Miss Annie C	Simpson, Pat
Harris, Miss Matilda	Sutton, Willard
Hamilton, Mr	Wood, J A
Johnston, J F	Wilson, Dr J E
Johnson, Miss Lucy E	Witecuff, Mrs Charley
Keller, Jacob	West, Mrs A H
Linsley, N E	Wersen, L E
Lytle, John	Willett, Lewis

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

HAMILTON—On Wednesday evening, at ten o'clock, Mrs. Thomas J. Hamilton.

Funeral from her late residence, 55 E. Front street, next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

FOR SALE, or will exchange for property in Plainfield, N. J., a beautiful Country Home; house with 7 rooms and outbuildings, and 5 acres of rich land, fully fruited; 1 acre in wood; spring and stream of water; one mile from R. R. depot. Very healthful location. Address, Hugh Todd, Westfield, N. J. 7-20-2

$225.00—$10 Cash and $5 a month—will buy a lot on Webster Place, near Putnam avenue. Apply to V. W. Nash, 53 Park avenue. 7-19-tf

BOY'S TRICYCLE for sale. Rubber tires; and in good condition. Address, H. B. W., Box 473, Plainfield. 7-2-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, for single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7-tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

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And see the new styles in **Children's Pictures.**

CABINETS, $3.50 PER DOZEN.

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To hire for *FESTIVALS AND PARTIES.*

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Closing out our Summer stock of MILLINERY Goods at GREATLY REDUCED PRICES. Come and see at what Low Prices we can sell trimmed and untrimmed Hats. A good Shade Hat at 25c. Ladies' and Children's Underwear, Suits and Wrappers. Children's Dresses, Lace Caps. An assortment of Ladies' and Children's Aprons as low as 25c. Boys' Shirt Waists—all at very low prices. MRS. T. J. GILLIES, No. 7 Madison Ave. 6-14-m

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SYCAMORE STREET, opposite Bicycle Club House, and in front of Central Railroad station.

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At the CITY PHARMACY.

The new drink, **Milk Shake**, shakes the most delightful, refreshing drink ever introduced.

From the *Purest Fruit Juices* we are dispensing delicious COLD SODA.

Our New Fountain is one of the latest designs, with a double set of Ice Coolers and Glass tanks. Running Water for washing Soda Glasses.

CITY PHARMACY DENTINE—whitens and beautifies the Teeth.

Our BEEF, IRON AND WINE strengthens and tones up the system. 50 cents per bottle.

SUNDAY HOURS—9 A. M. to 1 P. M., 4 to 9.

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12-2-tf

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TO

LONG BRANCH and OCEAN GROVE, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-td

STILL OPEN!

Great Fire Insurance Sale!

$40,000

Worth of Men's, Boys' and Children's

CLOTHING!

Saved from the late Broadway, New York, fire, must be closed out in

15 DAYS,

By order of the Insurance Companies. Great Fire Insurance Sale, beginning

Saturday July 14,

1888, at 7 A. M., and to continue for 15 days, at

LAING'S HALL,

FRONT ST., PLAINFIELD, N. J.

The appraisers for the Insurance Companies, after carefully examining the stock of Clothing considered that the same was not so badly damaged as claimed by the assured Clothing Manufacturers, and failing to agree as to the actual loss, were forced to take the stock, turn it into money, and the goods must be sold at once, in order to make a final settlement. All goods are appraised at forty cents on the dollar of manufacturer's cost; and this is all we want for them. The great Fire Insurance Sale will enable people in Plainfield and vicinity to secure their Clothing for almost nothing.

We Will Tell You Merely a Few BARGAINS:

Men's Business Suits, all to match, for.... This suit costs to manufacture, $13.65, and if it does not suit you in every respect, or if you don't think it worth $13.65, bring it back any time inside of four days, and we will pay you $3.15.	$3.15
Elegant Cheviot Suits, worth $15 00, must go for.....	4.15
Extra Fine Quality Men's Suits, tailor made This is an elegant Suit and worth $17 00.	5.90
G. A. R.—Warranted all wool and fast color, Blue Flannel Suits, sold everywhere for $15 00, at.....	7.05
1,000 different kinds Diagonal, Worsted and Corkscrew Suits, which cost to manufacture about $20 00, we will sell for.....	8.99
Good Working Pants, worth $2 50, marked	74
We offer an elegant pair Men's Cassimere Pants, at..... that cannot be bought elsewhere for less than $4 00.	1.00
Boys' Suits, suitable for the season, worth $6 00, at.....	1.75
Boys' Pants, worth $1 00, for.....	25
600 Dozen Suspenders, per pair,.....	10

Don't fail to call and examine this stock at retail; it costs nothing to call and judge for yourself, and you will find everything just as cheap as mentioned in this circular. A chance to get such bargains will never occur again.

We reserve the right to limit purchasers as to quantity, to prevent dealers taking advantage of this sale.

Doors open from 7 A. M. to 10 P. M., during this sale. Come at all hazards—it will pay you.

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GREAT FIRE INSURANCE SALE.

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7-17-

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Fast Black Hosiery AT PECK'S!

For Ladies, Gent's and Children. They are FAST BLACK, and the goods are SOUND.

SHOT DOWN!

We will sell for a

SHORT TIME,

Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " $1.70.

Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines, Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.

A Nice Rod for the BOYS, 18cts.

Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

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At 33 PARK AVE.

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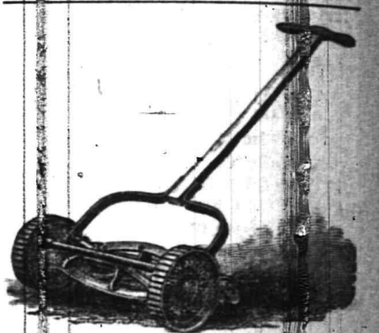

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BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,

MEATS OF ALL KINDS,

Fruits and Vegetables in their Season

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Goods Delivered to any part of City. 8-3-tf

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Fruits and Vegetables

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North Plainfield, - New Jersey.

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Fancy and Staple Groceries,

CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.

Creamery and Dairy Butter

FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,

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Have your FURNACES cleaned NOW and save money, time and inconvenience.

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Special attention given to SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and INJURED HORSES. 3-1-tf

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Carrie Dewey, the pianist, will spend her vacation at Binghampton, N. Y.

Mr. and Mrs John M. Burnet, of West Fifth street, are at the Samoset House, Mouse Island, Maine.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis E. Marsh, of Madison avenue, returned yesterday from a short trip to Pennsylvania.

Mary, the infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John O'Rourke, of Liberty street, died on Wednesday evening. The funeral took place yesterday afternoon.

Mr. Walter Dobbins, of the *Central Times* office, left today for a week's vacation at Asbury Park. Mr. Dobbins will be the guest of Mrs. J. T. Ellis, while at the Park.

Some fine weak fish, fresh from Newark bay—caught yesterday, on the skillful hook of ex-Councilman S. C. Ryder—graced the breakfast tables of our staff, this morning.

Miss Belle Bradshaw of Newark, is enjoying her vacation among friends and relatives in this city. At present she is the guest of Miss Nettie Homan, of West Fifth street.

Mr. Robert Binning, for some months past chief engineer at the Plainfield electric light station, has severed his connection with the company here to accept a lucrative position elsewhere.

Officers Flanagan and Giese of the Plainfield Police Force, accompanied the excursion to Ocean Grove, this morning. They did not go in their official capacity, but for an outing and a bath, like other folks.

A young lady, sad faced and damp eyed, was overheard, this morning, remarking to another of her sex, "Mort Day and Frank Newman are going to the Catskills, to-morrow; and I think its just too mean for anything."

The attendance at Reform Hall, Sunday evening, will be addressed by Mr. S. A. Haines, of Netherwood, a speaker of unusual interest and eloquence. Mr. Haines is not a stranger to Plainfield audiences, which are always charmed by him.

The Rev. Mr. Richards will spend his vacation at Litchfield, Conn., where Mrs. Richards and the children now are. Mr. Richards' mother has continued to reside there on the old homestead, ever since the death of her husband who was pastor of one of the Litchfield churches.

The young men connected with the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of Trinity Reformed church, will play a match game of ball with a nine from the Young People's Association of the First Baptist church, on the Somerset street grounds, to-morrow afternoon.

Mr. Henry Reigel, on a ten-days' leave of absence from the New York police force, and Mr. Philip Marks of the same city, are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Jacob Blimm, of Somerset street. The gentlemen are traveling on wheels, having come all the way from New York—excepting over the ferry—on their wheels.

Mr. and Mrs. Chas. B. Brown of Duer street, North Plainfield, left yesterday morning for the Adirondacks; they will remain at Saranac Lake for a few days, and then go to Cascadeville, where they will remain for the Summer. The many friends of Mrs. Brown hope she will regain lost health by the change of air.

Mr. C. Schepflin, a member of the clothing firm of Messrs. Schepflin, Baldwin, Tweedy & Co., of this city, accompanied by his wife, sailed for Liverpool on Thursday. Mr. and Mrs. Schepflin's route will be from Liverpool to France, thence to Switzerland, returning about the middle of September.

Mr. and Mrs. O. B. Leonard and son, and Miss Florence Marsh, of Madison avenue, have gone to Windham among the Catskills, where Miss Minnie Marsh, another sister, is already enjoying the season. Mr. and Mrs. H. A. McGee, of Willow avenue, will also spend a few weeks at the same place.

The Hon. N. K. Briggs, ex-Lieut. Governor of Nebraska, and for six years U. S. Consul to Germany, returned home Wednesday after a brief visit to Plainfield as the guest of Mr. Gideon Allen, of Grandview avenue. Mr. Briggs has also achieved much fame as the author of many gems of religious music, including that beautiful composition, "Beatrice Bells."

At the Taylor Mountain House near Washington Rock, at ten o'clock on Wednesday evening, the death occurred from heart trouble of Mrs. Thomas J. Hamilton. Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 55 East Front street, Sunday afternoon at four o'clock. Deceased formerly resided on Arlington avenue, where her husband, a well-known publisher, died some four years since, and where her father also died about a year ago.

Mr. George Thatcher, of West Seventh street, starts to-morrow for Grand Rapids, Mich., where he will begin on Monday another successful season at the head of the most talented, refined and cultured minstrel organization in the country—an organization that is admired throughout the land for the polish and artistic features of its entertainments, the originality and humor of its parts, and the unequalled ability and genius of its performers among which no specialist in the World is so far beyond rivalry or imitation as the genial George himself.

Suicide.

DR. FLINT'S REMEDY has saved more lives by timely use, and has kept from suicide or the insane asylum more victims of nervous disorders than all the physicians with their pet methods of treatment. Descriptive treatise with each bottle. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

JULIAN HAWTHORNE'S LAST NOVEL.

The reading public will be interested to hear of a new novel from the pen of our neighbor, that very facile writer, Mr. Julian Hawthorne. "A Dream and a Forgetting" (Belford Clark & Co., pp. 204, paper 50c., cloth $1) is issued in a handy volume with good clear print and wide margins. It is a short story of a dozen chapters, and the plot hangs on the fortunes of a young man of a poetic turn who comes to New York to find a publisher. He finds that his works lack a certain something which it seems impossible for him to attain. He is, however, deeply in love, and his love, *Mary Gault* is so bound up in him and becomes to such a degree the partner in all his fancies, that although she is absolutely devoid of the poetic genius, she thoroughly understands his. At this time she dreams a story which *Boardwine* finds is just what he wants. He turns it to a poem, takes it to the city and publishes it. The poem—which is called "A Dream and a Forgetting"—is clearly a success. *Boardwine* remains in the city and becomes somewhat of a lion.

The rest of the story follows out a favorite idea of the author's. The hero, who is as usual, a selfish young man, something of a genius, commits or is about to commit a grave crime, when some seeming accident causes a change in his whole subsequent life, and is the instrument of a complete reform. In this case *Boardwine* becomes infatuated with *Mrs. Carnaux*, his publisher's wife. He agrees to elope with her on a certain night. The date fixed is that of the first night of the play which *Boardwine* has adopted from his poem. The play falls flat, the author is hissed and jeered, he sees that *Mrs. Carnaux* now regards him with a feeling of utter contempt, and of course the elopement falls through. This seeming remorse proves the turning point in *Boardwine's* career, and by the intervention of a convenient mutual friend, the ubquitious "I" of the narrative, he returns to his first love, who, unconscious of his lapse, has been trustfully waiting for him. He goes back to his former life, writes no more poems, and all turns out well.

This story will be most naturally compared with two of the author's former works, "Brissant" and "Sebastian Strame." In all of them the hero is much the same sort of person, and in all he makes a sudden change of life. This may not be realistic, such sudden changes may usually be the result of the constant pressure of outside influences rather than of some sudden violent shock, but that does not affect the lesson sought to be conveyed. The same idea is worked out in *Martin Chuzzlewit*, but in that case *Martin* was in reality a thoroughly good fellow all the time, but it required a trip across the Atlantic and weeks of fever for his true nature to come to the front. But here *Fairfax Boardwine* seems to be a gifted young man, entirely wrapped up in himself, and that is all. You cannot help believing that if the rest of the story were told, his poor wife would be found to have a rather dull time of it.

The great fault of the book, however, is its brevity—that is its barrenness. It is the mere skeleton of a story. The characters are not as sharply drawn as in *Brissant*, the changes are too rapid, and the dialogues and narratives fill up more than their proper share, and all this because the work is crowded into the narrow limits of the conventional short novel, instead of being allowed its natural dimensions. Mr. Hawthorne excels in studies of character, in shrewd reflections and impersonal discussion; in plain narrative and conversations he is not at his best. When everything but the narative is crowded out, as in this instance, the work is a disappointment, for we feel that the author has not let himself out. If "A Dream and a Forgetting" had been enlarged to forty chapters, instead of twelve, it would have been a much more satisfying book.

M. C. S.

A Record of 48 Years Ago.

Mr. John W. Murray, of Central avenue, has come into the possession of some copies of New York dailies of years ago. They are valuable because of their age, and most entertaining reading. The owner intends framing and presenting them to the Public Library where all can enjoy the interesting contents.

A PRESS reporter was favored by Mr. Murray with an inspection of the papers which are yellow and tender with age, and from one of them, the NEW YORK DEMOCRATIC-PRESS, of Nov. 16, 1840, the result of the presidential election just then held, is given below.

The record may be a "straw" pointing to the election of Harrison again, this Fall, but our Republican readers must be prepared to surrender Georgia and Kentucky, at least, to their friends the Democrats, but they can gain New Hampshire:

1848.	Harrison.	VanBuren.
Connecticut	8	
Ohio	21	
Maryland	10	
Rhode Island	4	
New Hamphsire		7
New York	42	
New Jersey	8	
Maine	10	
Pensylvania	30	
Massachusetts	14	
Georgia	11	
Indiana	9	
Kentucky	15	
Delaware	3	
Michigan	3	
Vermont	7	
Total electoral votes, 195		7
Necessary for election, 148.		

—Grace church choir, and a few invited guests, are today picnicing at Boynton Beach

General Telegraphic Despatches.

FRAUDULENT METHODS

Two Men Arrested for Conspiring Against the Government.

BROOKLYN NAVAL THEFTS.

Ex-Employee Daniel Laird Charged with Paving the Way for Bidders. He Claims that He Acted Under the Orders of His Superiors—Another Arrest Last Night.

NEW YORK, July 20.—Startling disclosures of a gigantic system of fraudulent methods practised by the Government officials in the Brooklyn Navy Yard were made public yesterday.

Special agents of the Navy Department, who have been engaged for some time investigating rumored crookedness, have gathered, it is said, sufficient evidence to prove that the Brooklyn supply station is honeycombed with fraud and that the conspirators have succeeded in swindling the Government out of hundreds of thousands of dollars—possibly millions.

Secretary Whitney has for some time, it appears, been in possession of certain information concerning extensive frauds in the matter of supplying provisions to the Navy. The Brooklyn Navy Yard is the central supply station, and most of the rascally work was done there, although it is believed that similar frauds have been practised in the other navy yards.

Recently the Secretary detailed Paymaster Allen, of the Navy Department, to work up the matter, and with him was associated Col. J. Morre Hoskell, of the Department of Justice, who was specially detailed for the work. These gentlemen have been trying for several weeks to get at the facts, and their labors culminated on Wednesday night in the arrest of Daniel Laird, of New Lots.

Laird has been connected with the Brooklyn Navy Yard for the past twenty-six years, mainly in the storekeeper's department, where he held the position of superintendent of mills. It was his duty to receive the supplies, and intending bidders were always referred to him for samples of the goods wanted and other information.

Laird was taken in a coach to the United States Marshal's office in Montague street, and thence to the Raymond Street Jail, where he was locked up for the night. Yesterday afternoon he was taken before United States Commissioner Morle and waived an examination. He was committed in default of $2,500 to await the action of the Grand Jury.

It is understood that Laird is not the big game which the Government is after, as a number of warrants have been issued and more arrests will follow.

United States Marshal Stafford said to a reporter yesterday that it was largely owing to certain admissions made by Laird to the Government agents that the big conspiracy was finally unearthed. When the Marshal arrested Laird at the picnic the latter said:

"What I did was done under orders, for I was merely a subordinate. If I open my mouth to make a statement I will shake the two cities from foundation to roof."

The method adopted by the conspirators was very simple and yet very successful. C. J. Coughey, a salesman in the employ of Francis H. Leggett & Co., wholesale grocers, of New York, may not have been the first bidder to discover the scheme, but he was the first to lay the evidence of the fraud before the Navy Department.

In May last the Navy Department advertised for proposals for 5,000 pounds of tea. Mr. Coughey, an intending bidder, applied for information in regard to the quality of the tea wanted and was shown a sample much better than the Department desired, and he bid according to the sample. His bid was 38 cents per pound. John G. Mars, who, it is alleged, is one of the conspirators, bid on an inferior sample at 25 cents and was awarded the contract.

Mr. Coughey claims that he could have underbid Mars on the same quality, but as he didn't get a "straight tip" his proposal was "away off." When the goods were delivered there wasn't a very close scrutiny, and the officials who permitted the fraud got their "divvy" and the contractor pocketed a pretty balance of profit.

So with all other supplies, whether of food, medicine, clothing, furniture and the like.

United States Marshall Stafford says: "The whole business of the Supply Department of the Navy Yard is now being investigated and still greater revelations will be forthcoming shortly. Several warrants have already been issued and arrests may be expected at any hour.

At 7 o'clock last evening Deputy United States Marshalls Biggert and McCullom brought John G. Mars into United States Commissioner Morle's office. Mars had been arrested at his home in Jersey City, late in the afternoon. He made no resistance, and was hurried down to the Annex boat and taken direct to Brooklyn. At a late hour last night he had not obtained bail, and he was locked up in the Raymond Street Jail.

Mars is employed as a clerk by the firm of Houghtaling & Co., wholesale dealers, of New York City.

EMBRACED.

The German Emperor Cordially Received by the Czar and People.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 20.—During Emperor William's stay here General Glinka Mavrine, Prince Orloff Denisoff and Count Shouvaloff will be attached to his staff. The programme for his entertainment includes a visit to St. Peter and St. Paul's Catedral, visits to royalties, banquet at the Embassy, display of horsemanship by Cossacks and a state banquet.

The apartments reserved for the Emperor and Prince are just as left by Empress Catharine. The rooms are small, but luxuriously furnished.

The Czar and Czarina are expected to arrive at the same time as the Emperor.

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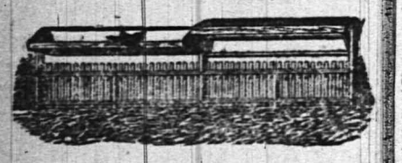
AGRICULTURAL STUDY.

A YANKEE'S PLAN TO CIRCUMVENT ALL HENDOM.

His Revolving Fence Will Keep Fowls Where Wanted Unless They Burrow —A Seed-Dropper that Has the Advantage of Being Both Cheap and Serviceable.

One of the most difficult things in the management of poultry is to keep fowls where they are wanted. The average hen is utterly inconsiderate of the wishes of her owner. She burrows her way under palings or flies over them to follow the inclinations of her own sweet will.

But the inventive genius of the Yankee has taken hold of one part of the hen problem, and a Connecticut man is the inventor of a revolving fence which is destined to make much trouble for all hen and roosterdom. The cut herewith explains his objects.



A NOVEL POULTRY FENCE.

Advantage is taken of the fact that a chicken always tries to alight on the top of an obstruction before flying over. This fence is so arranged that it will revolve, and the chicken is dropped back into the yard.

The inventor says he has tried this method for some time on a chicken yard containing Plymouth Rocks. During the winter and spring his chickens had been accustomed to fly in and out of the yard over a spot where the upper row of pickets was missing. Lately he put up four feet of the "revolver" at this spot, since which time there has not been a single chicken over it, though at first they often attempted it.

How to Raise Horseradish.

EVERY family garden should have its supply of horseradish. Too commonly the plant is set in an out of the way place, and left there year after year, to be dug from as wanted. Thus treated it becomes an unsightly nuisance, and a weed difficult of extermination.

The proper way to grow horseradish is to plant it every spring, and to allow it to remain in the soil but a single season. Instead of setting in poor soil it should have a rich one. The market gardeners plant it to succeed their early cabbages, and to occupy the land when that crop is off.

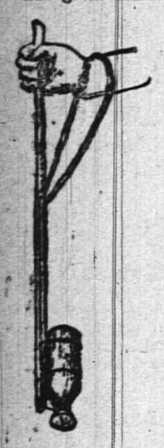
In preparing horseradish for market, the side roots that are cut away are saved to be used as "sets" for planting. These sets are cut about six inches long, and to make sure that they shall be planted right side up they are cut square across at the top, while the bottom end is cut slanting. These sets when prepared in the fall are made into bundles of fifty or one hundred, and preseved through the winter in trenches, the same as other roots. They are usually on sale at the seed-stores in the spring.

When planted as a crop to follow cabbage a set is planted between every two cabbages in the row. A hole is made with a light crow-bar, the set dropped in and the hole filled with earth, leaving the top of the set several inches below the surface. If the horseradish comes up before the cabbages are off, its tops, in hoeing, are treated the same as weeds, until the removal of the cabbages gives them full possession of the soil. In the family garden horseradish is usually planted by itself in rows, the plants being twelve by eighteen inches apart.

The crop should be hoed until the broad foliage keeps down the weeds. In the fall the roots are dug, trimmed, and stored in trenches for the winter, saving the small roots for sets. If all the crop is not dug in the fall, make it a point to take it up next spring. In growing horseradish, whether in the field or garden, it should be a rule never to leave the roots in the ground over a single season; dig them, even if they are to be thrown away, otherwise they will soon become troublesome weeds.

A Cheap Seed Dropper.

The great difficulty in sowing turnip and other fine seeds is to drop them evenly, and not too many in a place. For this purpose a Michigan man uses the device shown in our illustration.



SEED-DROPPER.

It is made by fitting a strip of perforated zinc over the top of a moderately wide-mouthed bottle, bending down the ends of the strip and wiring them to the neck. The whole is then attached by wires to a stick about three feet long—a split lath will do—to which a leather loop has been affixed.

In using the device the hand is thrust through the loop and grasps the stick. The sower carrying it thus, with the bottle inverted and the loop resting across the wrist, walks along the row, shaking out the seed, as he would season his food from a pepper-box.

If a farmer happens to have in the house one of the little tin boxes with perforated lids such as ground spices are sold in, it will serve the same purpose as the bottle.

Animals Running at Large.

Few objects are more to be pitied than the highway cow. Her fare is scanty, and her lot hardship and abuse. She must steal or starve, and her look show that she is conscious of being a thief. Her owner cares little for her, and by all others she is hated. Her food and treatment being what they are, she cannot be profitable to anyone, and to the owners of land in her vicinage she is a source of vexation and loss.

Why she exists no one can tell, for if it were not for her three-fourths of the fencing now required would not be needed, and this saving would almost pay for a good pasture for her, not to speak of the cessation of damage to crops. The principle which allows her to exist is wrong; it is contrary to that which once prevailed in the English law; it requires each landholder to fence all other men's cattle out, instead of his own in. The law is wrong, not the highway cow. Hence do not abuse her, though she is exasperating.

When she has eaten off all your cabbage, or destroyed bushels of your ripening wheat, do not put the dog on her, and club her unmercifully when you get her in a corner, but make a sturdy resolve that you will vote against animals running at large.

Leaving the Country.

IT has been lately estimated that more than one-fourth of the American population now live in towns of over 8000 inhabitants whereas fifty years ago only one-fifteenth lived in this way. The change is usually attributed partly to railroads, which make it possible to supply these large collections of people with the necessaries of life, and partly also to the demand felt for city conveniences, excitements, and companionship.

Preparations for Winter Dairying.

The present is the time to begin preparations for making butter in winter. The first requisite is that the cows shall come during the months of September and October, and calculations must be made accordingly. The advantages of changing from the old system of summer dairying to winter operations are so great that many of the most intelligent and progressive dairy farmers have adopted the latter method. They thus escape the daily and exciting labor of the dairy during the busy summer months, when the general operations of the farm demand the most attention. The cows go dry during the sultry days of midsummer, when the pastures are the most parched and scanty. There is no butter to be kept over through the hot season, when keeping it in good order is the most difficult and prices are the lowest.

These and other advantages are greatly in favor of winter dairying, which has been made practicable by the modern improvement in deep setting, preserving fodder in silos, centrifugal separating, etc. With this, as with other important changes, it is the first step which costs.

The first step, as indicated above, is to hold the cows back so they will come in during September of next year. In the vicinity of a butter factory it is desirable that the majority of the patrons shall agree to make the change, that the factory may be kept running through the winter. Those who already have cows which will come in next fall, or can buy them, must see that good shelter is provided, with plenty of ensilage, means for taking the chill from the drinking water, etc. It is idle to object to this system as "unnatural" for the cows. The dairy cow, as we have her to-day, is an artificial product anyway, which has been brought to her present state of development by a long course of breeding and care. It is only a step forward in the same direction to change her season of greatest milk flow from summer to winter.

Take Your Choice.

There are those who believe that the Redcap is a degenerate Golden Spangled Hamburg, a Hamburg bred with little regard to brilliancy and purity of ground color, accuracy of making, perfection of comb and beauty of ear-lobes. On the other hand Vinton's Gazette expresses the reverse opinion, that the Golden Spangled Hamburg is but the Redcap bred down fine. It says:

"That there is a close affinity between the two breeds seems to be undoubted; but Mr. Wragg (a prominent English Redcap breeder) agrees with the opinion which has been several times expressed in these columns that the Redcap is the original and the Golden Spangled Hamburg has been evolved from it."

America has both varieties, and American breeders can now pay their money and take their choice and settle, if they can, which was the original variety.

There may be some difficulty in doing this, for both varieties run back beyond the memory of any living man, and unless one could attain the two thousand years of Rider Haggard's impossible "She," something besides the testimony of living witnesses will have to be depended upon. There is considerable to be said in support of both positions.

Mulching Materials.

SHOULD there be a severe drouth this summer, fruit trees, shrubs and vines that were planted last spring may suffer greatly, and it will be wise to mulch them even before there is any indication that it is needed.

A mulch is any substance placed upon the soil to prevent it from becoming heated and to prevent evaporation of moisture from its surface, and whatever material will do this may be used; salt hay is much used near the coast, and marsh or swale hay is used inland. Straw and cornstalks are often used, as are chips, and even small stones. A layer of dry earth upon the surface acts as a mulch, and where this may be secured by frequent stirring of the soil it is one of the cheapest.

The World's Wheat Crop.

ACCORDING to the estimate of the statistician of the New York Produce Exchange, the aggregate wheat crops of the United States and all foreign countries for the last three years were as follows:

YEAR.	BUSHELS.
1885	2,0:8,000,000
1886	2,025,874,000
1887	2,163,900,000

These figures would show a production for 1887 of more than 135,000,000 bushels above that of either of the two years next previous, a large part of which must be carried over as surplus into the coming cereal year.

FARM NOTES.

FEED the plant and the plant will feed you.

Moss in meadows means wet, poor soil underneath.

BREED, weed and feed are the three needs of stock raising.

PEAS and oats sown together is a crop increasing in favor.

KEEP all grass and rubbish at least two feet away from the base of the tree.

WHEN too large flower pots are used there will be more foliage than flowers.

SOME favors are all brains and others all elbow-grease, and neither succeed.

THOUGH the season be late nothing is gained by planting in poorly prepared ground.

A STATE law in Illinois requires hedges to be trimmed annually on or before the 15th of May.

FRUIT should be served in some inviting manner on a farmer's table every day in the year.

THE potato crop for Dakota will cut a larger figure than usual in the acreage statistics this year.

SULPHUR is the remedy used for the mildew in California vineyards with great success.

No animal kept on a farm will produce more fertility or be better for the feed than swine.

A MAN who feed correctly and intelligently will save from 10 to 20 20 per cent, over a man who follows only a haphazard method.

GREEN corn has appeared in limited quantities on sale in the markets. It was grown in Louisiana, and shipped from New Orleans by rail.

TEN thousand dollars' worth of bumble-bees have been ordered from Kentucky by an Australian to help in the growing of red clover.

THE farm gives the greatest opportunity for reading the great book of Nature as the season turns its leaves and exposes each day a new page.

The crops in southern Kansas have rarely looked so well. The corn is half waist high, wheat is ready to cut and fruit, except peaches, is plenty.

THE California grain crop will be rather below than above the average, although some localities report that land which was believed a month ago to be not worth harvesting will yield a fair crop.

THE question of the hour in France is the extreme depression which has fallen upon agricultural interests, and the steadily increasing embarassments which now weigh upon proprietors and cultivators of the soil.

THE crop of lambs in Colorado this present season will reach near onto a quarter of a million. Eighty-five per cent. of all of the ewe flocks will raise lambs. It has been the most favorable season for this crop the country has ever had.

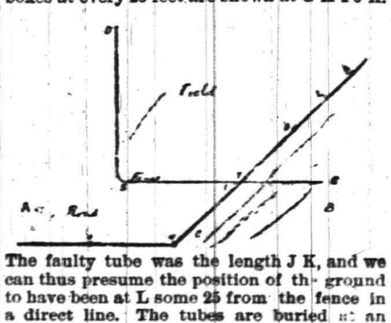
ADVANCE IN SCIENCE.

SOME OF THE PHENOMENA OF IMPERFECT GROUND.

Facts in Regard to the Manner in Which the Ground Behaves in a Return Circuit—Showing the Action of the Soil and Tube at a Cut Off.

THE following facts which have come recently to our notice, although not in any way novel, are instructive of the manner in which the ground behaves in a return circuit and will perhaps interest some of your readers.

One of the conductors of a three wire house ligqting circuit became grounded lately by coming in contact with the iron tube containing it. The accompanying figure (1) shows the ground plan of the tubes, which, crossing the road, A B, diagonally at C, enter the field at the opposite side after passing under the wire fence, D S E, at F. The connecting boxes at every 20 feet are shown at G H I J K.



The faulty tube was the length J K, and we can thus presume the position of the ground to have been at L some 25 from the fence in a direct line. The tubes are buried at an average depth of two feet in the soil of sandy clay and holes had been dug at H and I, where the box covers had been removed leavine the conductors however insulated, so that the metalic connection of the iron piping was broken at these points 60 feet apart, but the copper conductors were in uninterrupted communication.

The faulty main, disconnected beyond on the field side was connected at periodic intervals, to a dynamo at the road end some half mile away, the other dynamo pole being grounded direct; so that the potential of the main at the point L was at these intervals probably 100 volts, and some five amperes of current flowed steadily through to ground. As there was very little resistance between the conductor and the surrounding tube J K, the resistance of the ground formed by some 36 square feet of iron tube surface was thus about 20 ohms. The soil was superficially dry, but was wet at the depth of two feet where the tubes lay.

The section of the soil and tube at the fence is also shown in fig. 2. The fence consisted of the usual iron uprights and horizontal galvanized iron strands. It runs uninterruptedly for two or three hundred yards. The surface of the soil being represented by the line M N, the pipe passed below about the point P.

Under these circumstances it was found that standing on the soil above the pipe between M and N, with the hand on the fence, a distinct shock could be felt during the time the current passed from the dynamo into the faulty main, and along the roadside standing at S and E, as far as 27 feet on either side, the current could be detected with the tongue on the fence wire. On connecting to one of the fence wires a lead carried into the field, the current could be detected readily by the tongue, standing anywhere within a radius of about 40 feet from the line of tubes F K. On inserting a spade to a depth of two or

three inches into the ground about the position Q (fig. 2), and connecting the blade to the fence through the lead and a galvanometer, steady currents of 14 centiamperes were observed periodically with the flow of current—of which it represented about three per cent.—through the faulty main. Finally on connecting a wire directly to the ends of the piping H K, in the hole sunk at H or K, and leading thie wire to the fence through a 16 candle power Edison lamp, the latter was periodically illumined, to apparently full brilliancy, thus conveying say half an ampere or some ten per cent. of the total arriving current.

It was thus evident that the ground made by the outside surface of the tube, H K, was very inferior to that made by the iron fence, notwithstanding the dampness of the soil, and also that during the escape of current at L from the main, a series of equipotential closed curves, somewhat similar to the ripples of disturbance caused by the fall of a stone into a pond, formed round the tubes, probably at the surface, something like the dotted lines in figuee 1. These lines would be closest together in the vicinity of the tubes gradually distending and separating outwards from it, and the direction of current would everywhere be perpendicular to the curves. In fact by bridging over these lines with the palms of the hands on the surface of the soil, it was easy to detect a shock in the vicinity of the tubes between F and K.

These phenomena here exagerated in intensity owing to the bad conduction of the ground on this occasion, point clearly to what must probably take placa in the case of all groundings however perfect they may relatively be. In all probability a series of radiating lines of flow are established much resembling at the surface between the ground-plates in circuit, the lines of force issuing from the poles of magnet, and with eqipotential lines everywhere normal to them. Such a series of equipotential lines might then be imagined to extend over many miles of country, and the marvellous sensitiveness of the telephone thus makes the many cases that are on record of earth conduction interference in telephony at great distances readily comprehensible, or in fact it would conversely be possible knowing the strength of current necessary to give audible sound in a telephone, and if we could measure the conductivity of the ground over large areas of country, to assign the position and distance at which plates buried in the soil would, when connected through a telephone, render audible the signals passing on a distant and outstretching telegraph circuit.

Telegraphing by the Clouds.

Admiral Sir W. Hunt Grubbe has recently made some interesting experiments at the Cape of Good Hope on the sending of signals by means of the rays of an arc lamp reflected by the clouds.

The luminous fascicle from a 100,000 candle arc lamp was directed against the clouds by means of a reflector, and interrupted according to the heliographic code. The dispatch could be read with ease at Cape Town.

Other experiments were made by a vessel of the navy sent out to sea, and the signals could be read from a distance of 50 miles. This method affords a possibility of sending signals at sea, and might prove useful in favorable weather for ships in danger.

PARASOL handles of twisted silver, from twelve to eighteen inches in length, are shown in plain and oxidized patterns in great variety.

NOTES.

GRASS is burning; potato vines in many fields look as if scalded.

THE Month of Roses came near to being July instead of June this year.

WHAT does any one want White Clover in his lawn for? Nothing can equal an unbroken, solid green color.

THERE is no better blackcap than the Springfield. It is hardy, early, of good quality and the canes are thornless.

WHEN determining what trees to plant on lawns it is well to consider that grass will not grow under some kinds, while under others it will grow as well as elsewhere.

THERE are too many farms where a "pair of bars" occupies the place designed by farm economy for a gate. The gate is more convenient and adds 35 per cent. to the respectability of the place.

WHAT is the use of describing full-blown roses? A full-blown rose, like an over-ripe fruit, is worthless. It is the bud, the half-opened, or, perhaps, the three-quarters opened bud that is prized. Such is the glory of the rose.

OWING, as is supposed, to the excessive, long-continued heat, many potato vines are dying from what seems to be scald. The stems wither up within an inch of the surface, sometimes above, sometimes below. Gooseberries which promised an immense yield are all rotting from the same cause.

DURING the summer there will often be found a good local market for chickens—a better one in fact than can be found in the city. Those living near summer hotels or boarding houses should always find what they can do at home before shipping abroad. We have known these country hotels to be supplied with chickens from the city markets. This is not right. Look up the home markets. There will often be one close at hand only waiting for development.

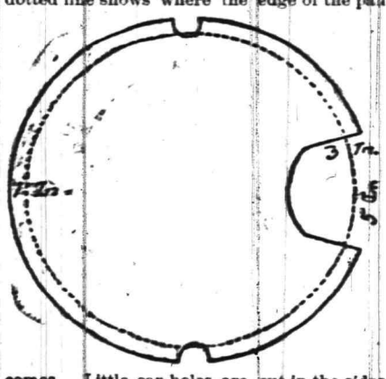
THAT is a good suggestion which the Vermont Experiment Station authorities make to road-masters about destroying the webs of the tent catterpillar on cherry trees. Many a good apple orchard has been injured because a few worthless wild cherry trees were permitted to grow and provide headquarters for the catterpillar. In every community where the authorities have enterprise enough to demand the destruction of weeds, the road-master should be made to destroy all wild cherry trees.

THERE will be more oats and rye cut for hay this year than ever before. To many farmers were left without fodder this spring. They will not be caught again if they can help it. It is far better to have too much fodder than too little. Rye should be cut early, before it is fairly headed out. The rye plant, or any other plant cut for fodder alone is a special-purpose plant. He who lets the straw grow hard for the sake of gaining in grain will lose more than he gains.

IF wire-worms (Myriapods) are in your soil try this: Spread over a small area of soil two inches of barn manure. On another adjoining plat of the same size spread at the rate of, say, 2,000 pounds per acre of potato fertilizer. In one week remove the farm manure. Thousands of wire-worms will be found. Whether they seek the moisture, protection or food of the manure we cannot say. Under the fertilizer no wire-worms will be found. They can not endure contact with the fertilizer so near the hot surface of the soil. Fertilizer several inches below the surface is not so objectionable to wire-worms. Still we can not raise smooth potatoes in our trial plot, with farm manure, while those raised with fertilizers are comparatively free of the scab.

Milk Pail Cover.

ANOTHER friend sends us a drawing of the device he uses to keep the dirt from falling into the pail while he is milking. A large piece of card-board is cut to the shape shown in the figure. This piece is large enough to lap one inch over the edge of the pail; the dotted line shows where the edge of the pail



comes. Little ear-holes are cut in the sides of the cover to fit around the handles. A piece five inches wide and three inches deep is cut out in front to milk through. The milker puts the cover on the pail and milks into the pail through this large opening.

English Farm Life.

THE following graphic description of the daily life of a farmer's family in Shropshire, England, who continue to thrive amid the the general agricultural distress there, may help to answer one of the questions relating to farm profits now and thirty-five years ago. The account is taken from Le Correspondent, and written by M. Anatole Langlois. The farmer, William Bilston, is a man of about 50; he has an open, honest-looking face, browned by the weather. His wife, who is about 45, is a strong, vigorous woman, and she wears her working dress all day and every day but Sundays. She has five daughters and two sons, and they all assist in the farm work. They have a lease of 150 acres, and Mrs. Bilston gave him this statement of their daily life.

"I get up at four and waken the rest of the family; my daughters soon make themselves ready, and while some are busied with indoor work I go with the others to the yards to feed the animals and the poultry. There is a good deal to do before we have given all they need of feeding and attention and have everything tidied up.

At seven we have our breakfast, mostly of bread of our own making with milk, but we always have some meat on Sundays. We place ourselves around the table standing and wait till the master makes us a sign to sit down. Bilston's place is in an arm-chair at the head of the table, and he has before him a large Bible in which are all the records of births, deaths and marriages for three generations of the family. He reads a chapter aloud, never less or more, but sometimes makes some remarks to the children on what he has read. At noon we eat dinner, (or second breakfast as the French writer calls it.) All come to the table freshly washed and brushed off, for I can't endure to see dust on the hands or the clothes at meal-time. We generally have a good soup, and rice or a pudding, and often, especially in winter, pies of apple or other fruit, and on special occasions plum cake. The men drink a cup of cider, the women drink milk. At four, we have tea, and then the girls and I bring the cattle and fowls into their stables and pens and make all right about the yards. After that we take our needles. At nine, after supper, I make a round to see that all are in bed and all lights out and doors safe."

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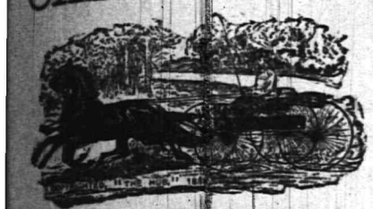

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Among the latter were Myron Hubbard, who says that more than thirty went down. Their names are unknown.

The crowd was on the bridge watching the flood below, when suddenly the wooden supports gave way and they were precipitated into the surging water. They had been repeatedly warned of the danger, but laughed at the fears of those who warned them.

A man named Keltz was washed away at Boggs's Run and he and his horse drowned. Four lives were lost at Elm Grove, five miles east.

The names of the lost, as far as known, are as follows: Herman G. Stanzell, owner of a dairy; Mrs. Stanzell, mother of the former; two children, and—— Keltz, a farmer.

ST. CLAIRSVILLE, O., July 21.—At 5:30 last evening this place and vicinity were visited by a most terrific thunder storm, with violent winds and a rainfall that eclipsed the average water spout. Grain fields were laid waste, the shocked wheat was swept away and the growing corn is not to be seen. The Bellaire & St. Clairesville and the St. Clairesville Northern railroads are almost entirely washed out.

The incoming train on the Baltimore & Ohio was stranded at Echo and the trainmen and passengers, as best they could, escaped with their lives, the water filled with drift running to the headlight of the engine.

Several narrow escapes are reported, and it is feared that a number of lives have been lost. At this hour it is impossible to estimate the loss, but this place and vicinity are damaged no less than $100,000.

A large number of passengers are known to be on the incoming trains, and as no definite advices are obtainable there is great interest felt here.

WHEELING, W. Va., July 21.—The latest and most authentic reports from the localities where the storm was worst Thursday night show a state of affairs scarcely guessed at before daylight to-day.

The worst scenes of desolation are to be witnessed in those places not accessible the night of the storm. The line of the Pittsburg division of the Baltimore and Ohio railroad will have to be practically rebuilt from Elm Grove to the Pennsylvania State line. Six large and costly bridges were washed away, the track lifted from the roadbed and twisted into all conceivable shapes for miles at stretch.

At some places it is impossible to discern where the roadbed has been, while, with the exception of only an occasional gap on high and solid ground, the entire bed is badly washed.

As thus far reported it is ascertained that 18 lives were lost.

HANGED.

"Sailor Jack" Executed for the Murder of Mrs. Ulrich.

MONTICELLO, N. Y., July 21.—Abel John Allen, known as "Sailor Jack," was hanged at 1.50 yesterday morning in the County Court room of Sullivan County.

Admission to the execution was by card, and none but physicians, officers and witnesses in the case were in attendance.

The crime for which Allen was hanged was committed on the 8th of last October. His victim was an aged German widow, Ursulah Ulrich, who lived alone a short distance from Jeffersonville, in Sullivan County. On the afternoon of the tragedy, one of the neighbors went to the house to get a jug of cider and upon entering the kitchen door found the old woman, she being upward of 70 years of age, lying on the floor surrounded by a pool of blood. She had been shot in the head and there were several wounds about her body.

The neighborhood was at once aroused and suspicion rested upon Allen, who was known as "Sailor Jack." He had been seen loitering about the house during the day with a gun. He was arrested and held by the coroner's jury to await the action of the grand jury, by which he was indicted.

The trial took place before Judge Alton B. Parker of Kingston. The chain of circumstantial evidence was so strong that during the trial Allen made a confession, in which he admitted having killed Mrs. Ulrich, but said that it was by an accidental shot while shooting at a cat.

The Judge refused to admit the confession as evidence. The case was so conclusive that the jury were out but an hour when they returned with a verdict of guilty.

Allen, after being placed in jail under a sentence of death, shammed insanity, but to no purpose. A strong religious fervor then developed itself, and for hours he would pray and sing. A few weeks ago he became resigned to his fate, and in a letter to his spiritual adviser, the Rev. Dr. Dickinson, stated that he had been greatly benefitted by his ministrations, and would die a Christian. He warned others to seek the Saviour.

Gould Hasn't Bought It.

NEW YORK, July 21.—A despatch from the Carson City (Nev.) Appeal, published here this morning, said that John Mackay has disposed of his cable to Jay Gould for $10,000,000.

George G. Ward, General Manager of the Commercial Cable Company, said the Mackay cable had not been sold.

The representatives of Mr. Gould and Mr Mackey had conferred in relation to an abatement of the war on rates. An agreement had been reached and a schedule of rates will be sent out from Berne in a few days.

Denials of the report were made by Mr. Decastro, of the Cable Company, and by Dr. Norvin S. Green, President of the Western Union Telegraph Company.

Opposed King Milan's Divorce.

BELGRADE, July 21.—It is reported that all the synod has opposed granting King Milan a divorce from his wife.

SUNBURY REGATTA.

Geopfert, the Sculler, Accused of Trying to Sell a Race.

SUNBURY, Pa., July 21.—Quite a scandal interested the oarsman at the National Regatta to-day. Wm. Geopfert, the New York sculler, who with John O. Reagan won the double championship at Chautauqua Lake last year, left for the Empire City this morning with a dozen or more allegations against his standing as an amateur oarsman.

He was entered with James Pilkington of the Metropolitan Boat Club, Harlem, in the double race at this regetta, and the crew's chances for winning were the best.

Pilkington, according to his clubmates, learned yesterday that Geopfert was betting against his own chance for winning. Pilkington went to him and before a big crowd charged him with trying to sell out the race to swindle his own clubmates. Geopfert refused to make a proper explanation, and this morning he went away without saying a word.

The Cornell College crew withdrew from the four-oared senior race, two of the men being ill.

The morning turned out a most auspicious day for the national races. The air was balmy, and there was scarcely a ripple on the water during the entire contests. Over 15,000 persons were on hand to witness the races. The first race of the morning was in the final heat for the junior singles. M. Shea of the Don Amateur Club, Toronto, won by a length in 10.09 3-4, with G. A. Strickland of the same organization second, H. H. Seator of the Excelsior Club, Paterson, third, and W. J. Gugerty, Cohoes Club last.

The final heat of the senior singles was contested by J. J. Ryan of the Toronto Boat Club, Dennis Donohoe, Nautilus Rowing Club, Hamilton; and C. G. Psotta of Cornell Navy, Ithaca, N. Y. Psotta won by half a length in 9.55; Donohoe second.

At the conclusion of the senior single event the senior four-oared shell race was called. This was the most important event of the meeting. The starters were; Potomac Boat Club, Washington, D. C.; Passaic Boat Club, Newark, N. J.; Sylvan Boat Club, Moline, Ill.; the Toronto Boat Club of Toronto.

The latter were prime favorites in the betting. They got away first at the start, the Sylvans a good second. At the half mile the Sylvans were leading, Toronto second, and Passaic third. The latter forged ahead at the mile and finished a winner by two lengths in 8.47 1-2. Toronto second, five lengths ahead of the Sylvans, third.

The double scull race followed the four-oared event.

The Canadian crew took the lead from the Nonpareil boys at the half mile and won by two lengths in 9.20; Nonpareil second, five lengths ahead of the Mets. This was the surprise of the day.

The eight-oared race finished the day's sport and the meeting. The contestants were: Crescent Boat Club, Philadelphia; Fairmount Rowing Association, Philadelphia. This was a pretty race, Fairmount winning by a bare half length in 8.32 1-2.

COUNTY DEMOCRACY.

The Cause of Mr. Purroy's Quarrel with the Organization.

NEW YORK, July 21.—The friends of Fire-Commissioner Purroy are still circulating stories to the effect that he intends to sever his connection with the County Democracy organization, and that Judge Randolph B. Martine, Police-Justice Andrew J. White, Mr. Edward Kearney, Col. Michael C. Murphy, and other members of the organization would soon follow his example.

It was stated in one paper this morning Secretary Whitney has manifested much less love for the County Democracy than formerly and that it was only a question of time when he also would withdraw from the organization and join Tammany Hall. It was said that the reason why Police-Justice White proposed to withdraw from the County Democracy was because he desired to secure the nomination for Sheriff.

Members of Tammany Hall and the County Democracy laughed heartily at this story when their attention was called to it to-day. Assistant District-Attorney Fitzgerald said; "You can say that so far as Judge Martine, Justice White, Mr. Kearney, and Col. Murphy are concerned, they have no intention whatever of resigning from the County Democracy. Mr. Purroy will resign, but the County Democracy organization will be stronger this fall than ever before, and whether or not there is an alliance on a local ticket with Tammany Hall, our organization will name the next Mayor."

MINISTER ROBERTS.

Stricken with Paralysis and His Case is Hopeless.

SANTIAGO DE CHILI, July 21.—Minister Roberts has been stricken with paralysis. His physician pronounces his case hopeless.

William R. Roberts was a prominent and successful merchant of New York, and for a long while was largely interested in real estate during which time he was considered to be worth anywhere from $150,000 to $250,000.

During the time of the Fenian movement, and when Canada was invaded from New York, Mr. Roberts was the head centre of the Fenians in this country. All his life he has been a strong sympathizer in the cause of Ireland, and after the abandonment of the Fenian movement he joined and took an active part in the land league organization.

Cable Rates to Be Increased.

LONDON, July 21.—The semi-annual meeting of the Direct Cable Company was held yesterday. Sir John Pender presided. He said that the revenue during the past six months decreased £6,064 as compared with the corresponding period last year. This was due to lower rates.

Negotiations had been in progress between the competing companies, and had resulted in an agreement to establish a shilling rate, which would go into effect on August 15. There would be no pool between the companies. The Commercial Company had only come into the arrangement to enable the rate to be raised.

Marshal Kuhn's Retirement.

VIENNA, July 21.—The retirement of Marshal Kuhn, who is in vigorous health, creates a sensation. The Emperor, in his letter, said the necessity for the army being in perfect readiness to take the field necessitated appointing another to his post.

John L. Sullivan's Show Goes Up.

BOSTON, July 21.—John L. Sullivan, Gray and John B. Doris dissolved partnership yesterday by mutual consent. The show did not draw.

RIVERS AND HARBORS.

The Conference Report Accepted by the House.

$22,277,116 ARE DISPOSED OF.

Changes Made from the Original Bill—Investigation of the Standard Oil Trust Resumed—A Number of Acts Approved by the President—Other Washington Topics.

WASHINGTON, July 21.—After the passage of a few unimportant bills the senate yesterday went into executive business. In the house the conference report on the River and Harbor Bill was presented. The house accepted the report, ayes 154, nays 44.

The bill as it passed the house first appropriated $19,903,783. As agreed upon in conference it aggregates $22,277,116, being a net increase of $2,374,333. The increase consists principally of the following items: Potomac River at Washington $300,000, harbor of Philadelphia $250,000, Baltimore, $50,000, Savannah, $90,000, Oakland, Cal., $150,000, Breakwater at Mount Desert, Me., $50,000; Gowanus Bay, N. Y., $40,000; harbor Charlotte, N. Y., $20,000; harbor Yaquina Bay, Oregon, $30,000; harbor, Buffalo, N. Y., $25,000; Missouri River, $306,000; Cape Fear River, $145,000; Columbia River at Cascades $125,000; Kennebec River, $55,000e Great Kenawha River, $50,000; Thames River, Conn., $25,000: Penobscot River, $40,000; Housatonic River, $25,000; Roanoke River, N. C., $35,000; St. Claire Flats Ship Canal, $25,000; Lower Willamette River, $20,000; Green and Barren Rivers $135,000; Mississippi River, between Des Moines Rapids and mouth of Illinois, $50,000; harbor of Norwalk, Conn., $25,000; harbor of Oconto, Wis., $18,000; harbor of Helena, Ark., $75,000, White River, Ark., $16,000; St. Johns River, Fla., $25,000. For examinations, surveys, etc., $75,000.

All the Senate's reductions of amounts as fixed by the House were restored except five, and these five aggregate $17,500. The Senate receded from its amendment striking out the appoariation for the purchase of the lock and dam on the Monogahela River. The Senate amendment for the purchase of the improvement known as the Green and Barren River improvement was agreed to. There was no appropriation in the bill for any canal project.

The Senate receded from its amendment providing for the purchase of the Portage Lake Canal and the Lake Superior Ship Canal Railway and Iron Company Canal. The Senate amendment for a survey of a canal from Lake Michigan to the Illinois and Des Plaines Rivers was agreed to, also the Senate amendment providing for a survey and location of a canal from the Illinois River at or near the town of Hennepin to the Mississippi River; also the Senate amendment for a survey of a canal connecting the waters of Lake Michigan with the Calumet River. But the Government is not to be deemed committed to these projects, nor indeed to any other project for which a survey is ordered in this bill, as will be seen by the following clause added to that section of the bill making an appropriation for examinations, surveys, contingencies, etc., viz:

And provided further, that the Government shall not be deemed to have entered upon any project for the construction of improvement of any water-way, harbor, or canal mentioned in this bill, unless or until the work of construction shall have been actually appropriated for.

The last River and Harbor Bill to become a law was that approved August 5, 1886, and covered appropriations for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1887. Two years have elapsed without a River and Harbor Bill. The present bill, therefore, really carries appropriations for two years, making the amount for each year a little over eleven millions of dollars.

The House Committee on Manufactures resumed its investigation into the Standard Oil Trust; a long statement being made by counsel for the Trust of testimony they wish to present in rebuttal of evidence already taken.

The President has approved the act for the relief of Lewis Davis; the act for a bridge across the Flint River, Georgia; the act for a railroad bridge at Fort Smith, Ark.; the act ratifying the act creating the county of San Juan, New Mexico; the joint resolution in regard to a statue of Benjamin Franklin in the District of Columbia; the act for a bridge over the Mississippi River near Natchez, Miss.; the act in regard to bounties of volunteer soldiers, and the acts granting pensions to Virginia Grier, Jeptha S. Jones, Martin N. Kellogg, Catherine D. Whittlesey, Loanda Sherman, Abel C. Rankin, and Carrie V. Miller.

The Senate this afternoon confirmed the nomination of Mr. Melville W. Fuller of Illinois to be Chief Justice of the Supreme Court. The vote was 41 to 20.

DISAPPEARANCE.

Neither Miss Abbey Goddard or Mr. Robinson Can Be Found.

NEW YORK, July 21.—About three weeks ago Charles H. Robinson disappeared from Hartford, Conn., where he lived with his wife and family on the first floor of 44 Church street. His evident intent was to take a vacation. He left several bills unpaid.

On July 2 Miss Abbey Goddard, a dressmaker, who lived with her sister and brother-in-law on the second floor of 44 Church street, left her residence, saying she was going to pay a visit to a lady patron, Mrs. Stevens, at Windsor Locks, situated about twelve miles from Hartford on the New York & Boston Express line.

When she got to Windsor Locks a brakeman saw her get on the train for Suffield, which connects with the express at that point. When her relatives heard that she had gone to Suffield they supposed that she would go to see a friend, M. J. B. Cannon.

While investigation proved that she had not been to this gentleman's residence it was remembered that last winter Charles H. Robinson, the man mentioned above, had proposed an elopement to Miss Goddard. She had then refused to do so, but now it is feared that they have really eloped, and are living in this city as man and wife under an assumed name. Miss Goddard's brother of Granby, Conn., is looking for Robinson.

Miss Goddard is a blonde, and very prepossessing in appearance. She is 28 years old, somewhat stout, and of medium height. Her friends think that she may possibly be wandering about the streets insane.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—An account of Grace church choir picnic to Boynton Beach, yesterday, will appear on Monday.

—Doane & VanArsdale's windows are very attractive this week, displaying shoes that are appropriate to this kind of weather.

—A special meeting of the Uniformed Rank, K. of P., will be held in Perseverance Lodge rooms this evening. See notice elsewhere.

—The members of Perseverance Lodge are requested to attend the funeral of Past D. D. G. C., Hossinger, as per notice in another column.

—One hundred and thirty tickets for "Buffalo Bill" were sold at the Plainfield station, yesterday. The special excursion train arrived here with seven cars full, already.

—The Trinity Reformed, First Presbyterian and Park Avenue Baptist Sunday Schools have an excursion to Long Branch, Ocean Grove and Asbury Park on Wednesday, August 15th.

—The first engine of the Rockaway Valley road was placed on the rails this week. It is named after the Superintendent of the road, Peter W. Melick. John Cole of Fanwood is the engineer and M. A. Melick fireman.

—The trustees of the First Presbyterian church at a meeting, last evening, adopted Architect Teale's plans for the new church building, awarded the contract to I. W. Pangborn, and decided to begin the work of tearing down the old church and rebuilding the new, next week.

—Members of Unity Lodge, K. of P. and Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R., K. of P., are requested, as per special notice elsewhere, to meet at Perseverance Lodge room, at 12:30 o'clock to-morrow afternoon, to attend in a body the funeral of their late brother, Frank Hossinger.

—It is rumored that an agreement has been made between the Lehigh Valley and Central Railroad of New Jersey. The latter company is to send its coal over the Lehigh Valley to Perth Amboy, and the freight traffic of the Valley will be sent over the Central tracks from Philipsburg to Jersey City.

—Our readers will doubtless be glad of an opportunity to again hear Mr. Samuel Haines of Netherwood, who is announced to speak at Reform Hall, to-morrow evening. Mr. Haines is a commercial traveler, and has traveled extensively. He is well posted on the subject of temperance, and will present some valuable information.

—The Bound Brook *Chronicle* says: "Mr. Wm. Coriell of Evona met Bound Brook's natural orator at Ferry's on Monday and an animated discussion of the Chinese question ensued. An adjournment to the next door was subsequently made and the argument was drowned in a manner that seemed satisfactory to both gentlemen."

—"Gep" Frazee takes great pride in showing people into the meeting room he has recently fitted up in the rear of his headquarters on East Front street. The interior of the hall has been attractively decorated with flags and bunting, and makes an admirable place for holding political meetings. Another meeting will be held there on Tuesday evening next.

—The tenth annual excursion of Engine Company No. 2, will take place on August 30, and Cold Spring Grove, on Long Island Sound, is the objective point. The steamer Long Branch and barge Susquehanna have been chartered, and Prof. Frazee and an orchestra of ten pieces will furnish the music for dancing, both on land and water. A pleasant time is promised for those who attend.

—Let poets divine, in their sentiments fine,
Their tributes to beauty indite.
Let them prate of the eyes that are blue as the skies,
Or as black as the pinions of night.
Let them sing all the day to the brown and the gray:
To the eye that is sparkled with dew:
But they ne'er can deny that at Collier's you'll buy
Just the right sort of jewels for you.

Northfield Echoes.

The delegates from the Northfield College Conference conducted by D. L. Moody, having returned, will occupy the usual hour of the Monday evening meeting (July 23, at the Y. M. C. A. room) in giving short accounts of the proceedings. Something may be expected from the five Plainfielders present. All men welcome.

TRACKING THE MURDERER.

A WESTFIELD HOUSEHOLDER ACCUSED BUT NOT ARRESTED.

The Murdered Man's Satchel Seen In Fred Baldwin's Possession a Few Weeks Ago—How He Explains Its Possession and Disappearance.

THE PRESS stated on Wednesday that it could then give the name of one who probably had some guilty knowledge of the Westfield mystery. It was not then politic, nor is it now, to make public a great deal that is known in the case, nor to disclose the theories the detectives are working on or the suppositions that are being sifted.

But the man referred to in these columns of Wednesday, is Fred Baldwin. Last night he told a PRESS reporter that Chief Keron had accused him of being the murderer, "but," he continued, "I swear to God I ain't!"

All evidence connecting Baldwin with Miller—the man who was murdered—is so far as known, purely circumstantial. When Miller was discharged from Lawrence's, June 23, he left a well-packed satchel in Mr. Trask's barn in charge of Baldwin. Miller told McDonald, with whom he slept in the Lawrence barn, the night of June 23, that he had left the satchel there.

Besides this, the satchel was seen in the Trask barn as late as July 5. Baldwin works for Mr. Trask—takes care of his cow, drives his horse and sleeps there. At first he is said to have denied that he ever saw the satchel. Now he confesses it was there, but cannot account for its disappearance.

By reference again to the map in these columns of Monday, showing the scene of the murder, it will be seen that the Trask house is just in front of the woods where the remains were found. Baldwin is the man who cut wood within forty feet of the spot a few days before. It is said that a person standing at one point where he cut down a small tree, can see the place where the body lay. Baldwin had no need of going so far into the woods, yet he worked about the spot in spite of the odor which must have been intense.

Last Sunday when the remains were discovered by Messrs. Wm. Dallas and Chet. Smith, they at once came to town and quietly notified Officer Marsh. No one else was told, excepting that Mr. Smith mentioned it at home in the presence of a servant. She is supposed to have run out and whispered the news somewhere immediately, because it was not many minutes before Baldwin came over to Mr. Smith's house, and coming inside the gate for the first time, hung around until County Physician Westcott arrived and then Baldwin went up to the woods with them while they examined the body.

Some think the spot must have had a wierd fascination for Baldwin. He cut his wood near it, and was anxious to go back with Dr. Westcott, and Messrs. Marsh, Dallas and Smith, on Sunday afternoon. He does not now deny that there was an unpleasant odor about the place, and he says he told his wife that he guessed there was a dead horse up there. But he "swears" he never saw the remains.

Would not a guilty man, or one with guilty knowledge of a crime, have covered up its evidence—buried deep its remains, long before? Every opportunity to conceal the body, and time to do it carefully, surrounds this particular case. There is even a pond near by large enough to sink it in out of sight forever. Could the murderer have slept in the neighborhood, with the memory of his victim's body lying above the ground, with its upturned face and wide-opened eyes?

The last time Miller was seen alive, so far as known, was on Orchard street between four and five o'clock of Sunday afternoon, June 24. He was then going towards the Trask barn where it is supposed Baldwin was at work over his evening "chores." Miller probably then intended to get his satchel and leave town. As he has never been seen since, his murder must have occurred within a short time after.

Baldwin is a German, quite well-to-do for a laboring man. He has saved money and owns a house on Orchard street, where his family live. He is a small man, and his wife is boss of his house. Some of Baldwin's friends say he is hen-pecked, and that all the courage was driven out of him long ago by his *frau*. Miller and he were about the same height, but the former only weighed 120 pounds, and was dyspeptic and physically week, while Baldwin is quite strong and wiry.

What little money Miller is known to have had, would be no temptation to one comfortably settled in life. But then there is no proof how much he really did have. Mrs. Lawrence had paid him in all $51, and the man was never known to spend a cent for anything. He did not smoke, drink nor chew.

A PRESS reporter made careful enquiry into Baldwin's character, and found it good. Everybody spoke well of him, and Senator Miller highly endorsed the past reputation of the man. No one belives him guilty, and Baldwin's actions and manners before and after the suspicions and charges laid upon him, are those of one who is innocent of crime. Yet he is nervous and excited, and tells without hesitancy that he has been accused of committing the murder of Miller. But who wouldn't be nervous and excited under such a charge, and with the evidence of the missing satchel and other circumstances pointing so suspiciously towards one?

Last evening Baldwin told a PRESS reporter this, among other things in broken German: "That satchel was there in the barn, but for a good many days I have not seen it. Somebody has took it. It is a put up job. The barn is never locked, night or day. The Chief says I killed him; but I swear by Gott I don't know anythings about it." Baldwin was perfectly willing to answer all questions put to him, and stoutly maintains his innocence. He is of an excitable nature, but is not naturally quarrelsome, and does not drink to that extent. Since the remains were removed he has never been known to go near the spot, and he cannot even be induced to cart away the fire wood that he had previously cut thereabouts.

The authorities, in fact, have not sufficient evidence upon which to arrest Baldwin, even upon suspicion. He is perfectly free to go and come as he pleases, and attend to his work as usual. As stated above, no one could be found yesterday who believed him guilty.

Besides the above aspect of the case—which we have devoted much space to because the one that the most prominently bears upon the identity of the murderer, at present—Westfield town is full of rumors and theories. It was said that "Pat," another workman in the employ of Mr. Lawrence, was discharged the same day as Miller, and that they were both discharged for quarrelling together. Investigation proves that Miller and Pat had no quarrel, and that the latter left Westfield by train on June 23, and has never returned.

Another story is that a girl by the name of O'Conner, who works for the Lawrences, said to a fellow servant upon hearing the news of the discovery of the remains, that she "believed the body was Ed Miller." The other girl told O'Conner to shut up about it, and not mention such a thing. But this would betray nothing more than the natural dread that servant girls have of being summoned into court.

The relationship of Miller to Gates, still remains a mistery. What was the connection between the former on whose body was found a book of bible verses, and the latter whose name was inscribed in it? Letters addressed to Miller that have been found, are full of questions about the whereabouts of "F. M. Gates." He is referred to as a Baptist clergyman, yet a description given of him in one of the letters, fits "Edward Miller" the dead man, very closely.

There is another of Westfield's coachmen who is also suspected and under surveillance.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Masses in St. Mary's church will be held at 6:30, 8:30 and 10:30 o'clock, to-morrow morning.

Go and hear Mr. Haines, of Netherwood, at Reform Hall to-morrow, Sunday evening. The subject of his discourse will be—"Some Aspects of Reform."

The Rev. F. C. Master, of Liverpool, Eng., will preach in All Saints P. E. church, Scotch Plains, to-morrow morning. Services commence at eleven o'clock.

Cutter's Hall: Lord's Day, 11 A. M., "The Memory Feast." 2:30 P. M., Bible Lesson. 7:30 P. M., "If any man preach any other Gospel, let him be accused."

Mr. Wm. H. Sampson will lead the afternoon services at Reform Hall to-morrow. The usual morning prayer meeting will be held at 9:15. All are welcome to both of these meetings.

Service to-morrow in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck. The subject in the evening will be—"One Deaf Ear, or Silence an Expression of Power."

Service will be held in the German Reformed church on Craig place, North Plainfield, to-morrow morning at 10:30. Topic: "Necessity and Opportunity of the miracles for the revelation of God." There will be no service in the evening.

Centennial Anniversary.

Arrangements are about completed for the celebration of the one hundredth anniversary of the erection of the Friends' meeting house in this city. An interesting programme has been arranged, which will include historical sketches, biographical notes and addresses. Cards of invitation will be sent to the members of the Society and to other persons. Following is the order of exercises:

The Centennial Anniversary of the Plainfield Friends' Meeting House, Peace street, will occur eighth month, 20th, 1888. A commemorative meeting will be held in the old Meeting House, on the afternoon of that date, commencing at 2 o'clock. The proposed order of exercises is as follows:

I. A Paper: "Historical Sketch of the Meeting House, its Erection and Occupancy," by Nathan Harper, chairman.

II. A Paper: "Biographical Notes of the early Friends of Plainfield," by Oliver B. Leonard.

III. A Paper: "Women in the Society of Friends," by Elizabeth R. Lefetra.

IV. A Paper: "Past and Future of the Society of Friends," by Aaron M. Powell.

V. Addresses and Reminiscences.

VI. A Reading: "The Quaker of the Olden Time," (Whittier), by Anna Rice Powell.

The Committee of Arrangements cordially invite the attendance of thyself and friends.

NATHAN HARPER,
GEORGE R. POUND,
MARY JANE FIELD,
SAMUEL B. UNDERHILL,
AARON M. POWELL,
CATHARINE R. WEBSTER,
SARAH UNDERHILL. } Committee.

—The usual meeting for Prayer and Conference, will be held at the Y. M. C. A. room, to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock.

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SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7½cts; Colored window Scrim 9cts, regular price 12cts; Linen crash 5cts; Unbleached table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

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Lytle, John	Willett, Lewis

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

HAMILTON—On Wednesday evening, at ten o'clock, Mrs. Thomas J. Hamilton.

Funeral from her late residence, 55 E. Front street, next Sunday afternoon at four o'clock.

HOSSINGER—At Scotch Plains, Friday, July 20, Frank Rossinger, in the 41st year of his age.

Funeral services at his late residence on Sunday at 3 p. m., and from the Baptist church at 4 o'clock.

Knights of Pythias and the Uniformed Rank, members of Royal Arcanum, Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company, and Odd Fellows of Westfield—all the members of the above orders—are invited by the family of the deceased to attend the funeral in a body. The burial will be conducted by the K. of P.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

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A COMPLETE Lady's Turnout (horse, harness and garden cart) for sale reasonable. Inquire at PRESS office.

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SPECIAL NOTICE.

The members of "Perseverance Lodge, 74 K. of P.," are requested to meet in their Lodge Room to-morrow (Sunday) at 12:30 P. M., to attend the funeral of the late Past District Deputy Grand Chancellor, Frank Hossinger, of Goodwill Lodge No. 101, K. of P. WM. JOHN FORD, C. C. JAMES PATTERSON, K. R. Seals.

The members of Unity Lodge No. 102, K. of P., are requested to meet at the rooms of Perseverance Lodge No. 74 to-morrow (Sunday) at 12:30 o'clock, to attend the funeral of the late P. D. D. G. C., Frank Hossinger, of Goodwill No. 101.

Lewis B. Blackford, C. C., J. F. Sheppard, K. of R. and S.

The members of Crescent Division No. 13, U. R. K. of P., are requested to meet at the rooms of Perseverance Lodge No. 74 to-morrow, (Sunday) at 12:30, to attend the funeral of their late Brother, Sir Knight Frank Hossinger, of Goodwill Lodge No. 101.

Fatigue Uniform will be worn.

Geo. H. Polhemus, Sir Knight Captain, J. H. Carney, Sir Knight Recorder.

The members of Crescent Division No. 13, U. R. K. of P., are hereby notified to attend a Special Meeting at Perseverance Lodge Room tonight, (Saturday) to make arrangements to attend the funeral of their late Bro., Sir Knight Frank Hossinger.

By order Geo. H. Polhemus Sir Knight Captain; J. H. Carney, Sir Knight Recorder.

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, '88.

TICKETS, (adults)..... $1.25
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Men's Business Suits, all to match, for.... $3.15
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Extra Fine Quality Men's Suits, tailor made 5.90
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Good Working Pants, worth $2 50, marked 74
We offer an elegant pair Men's Cassimere Pants, at..... 1.00
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Boys' Suits, suitable for the season, worth $6 00, at..... 1.75
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600 Dozen Suspenders, per pair..... 10

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

The family of Mr. George D. Patton of Ninth street, left on Thursday to spend the Summer at Halifax.

Mr. J. Smith Garretson of Central avenue, is confined to the house with an attack of quinsy sore throat.

A young daughter of Mr. and Mrs. James Frazee of East Second street, is lying dangerously ill with an attack of cholera infantum.

Mr. Julian Scott of this city sails for Europe, next week, and will rejoin his family on the Continent where Mrs. Scott has been residing for some years during the completion of their daughter's education.

E. A. Vermeule, a former business man and resident of Plainfield, has again taken up his residence on Jackson avenue, North Plainfield. He is in the employ of Mr. A. M. Griffen, and has charge of the tinning and heater work.

THE PRESS was in error in stating that Mr. J. D. Moon was brutally beaten by the tough, Chas. Khune, on Richmond street, at six o'clock on Thursday. Mr. Moon was assaulted and struck but he was not brutally beaten.

Mr. Henry Heideloff entertained the members of the Park Avenue Social Club and the Knight's of Pythias, at Blimm's Hotel, last evening. The time was most enjoyably spent by all present. Refreshments and toasts occupied the greater part of the evening.

The sad news was received by wire at the family residence, on East Front street, this morning, of the death at Bar Harbor, of Mrs. John Taylor Johnston. The deceased had been suffering from diabetis, and was so ill that it had been impossible for some time past to perform an operation on her eyes, that had been deemed necessary because of almost total failure of sight.

Summer Opera.

The regular opera season of Wallack's Theatre has again been resumed with a splendid production of Prince Methusalem by the McCaull Opera Company, which has achieved an immediate and unquestioned success, the performance being one of the best of its kind that has ever been seen in New York. The costumes are rich and appropriate, the scenery handsome, while the members of the company enter into the performance with a spirit that carries it through successfully from start to finish.

The story of the opera is unusually interesting, with good dramatic action and an abundance of comedy that keeps the audience constantly laughing, when not enjoying the music, which is extremely dainty and delicious, and is delightfully rendered, not only by the soloists, but by the chorus as well. In this opera the members of the chorus play an important part, particularly the ladies, who, dressed as soldiers, go through the manual of arms with true military precision, and in the last act, preceded by a military band, drill and march with the skill of veterans.

A Biblical Problem.

A young Bible student was asked: "How many boys are there in your class?" He replied: "If you multiply the number of Jacob's sons by the number of times the Israelities compassed Jericho, and add to the product the number of measures of barley which Boaz gave Ruth, divide this by the number of Haman's sons, substract the number of each kind of clean beasts that went into the ark, multiply by the number of men that went to seek Elijah after he was taken to heaven, subtract from this Joseph's age at the time he stood before Pharaoh, add the number of stones in David's bag when he killed Goliath, subtract the number of furlongs that Bethany was distant from Jerusalem, divide by the number of anchors cast out when Paul was shipwrecked, and subtract the number of persons saved in the ark, the remainder will be the answer."

Here's a grand opportunity for the pupils of Plainfield and other Sunday schools to show their knowledge of the Bible. The question is a fair one, and it only requires a little patient examination in order to answer it correctly.

New Jersey Firemen.

The next meeting of the New Jersey State Firemen's Association will be held in Paterson on Wednesday, September 26. The convention will meet at 10 A. M., and the business will be transacted in one day. A pleasing feature will be a banquet tendered the delegates by the Paterson Fire Department, under the auspices of a joint commitee, consisting of two members of each company contributing towards the expenses, so that the Benevolent Association will have nothing to do with the matter. The sessions of the convention will be of great interest to firemen, as under the operation of the laws passed through the efforts of the State association the receipts, from the insurance tax have increased from a mere bagatelle to a handsome sum.

Of Interest to the Children.

Mr. A. Ogden, owner of the merry-go-round that was located at the corner of Sixth street and Arlington avenue, recently, and later in the borough, has returned to North Plainfield, and for a week or so will be located on the lot at the corner of Grove street and Craig place. Mr. Ogden has an announcement in another column which will delight the children.

—Several stage loads of persons from this city are spending today at Boynton Beach. One load made up partly of Evona people, took Prof. Frazee along to furnish music for dancing.

FRANK HOSSINGER DROWNED.

A Well-Known Scotch Plains Resident is Stricken With Appoplexy and Dies in the Water.

THE PRESS was issued too early, yesterday, to record the drowning of Mr. Frank Hossinger, one of the best known and universally esteemed citizens of Scotch Plains. The sad event has cast a gloom over the entire neighborhood, and is the talk of the town today.

Mr. Hossinger was the general superintendent over Mr. Warren Ackerman's large tract of land, which extends to and includes Feltville. On the property there are two beautiful lakes, the upper or larger lake emptying into a smaller one through a raceway. The flood gate at the head of the raceway, became disabled, and in company with a workman named Thomas Malloy, the two men started out between one and two o'clock yesterday afternoon to make the necessary repairs.

Arriving at the lake, Mr. Hossinger attempted to swim out to a raft about 300 feet distant, but before reaching there he was stricken with apoplexy, and sank to the bottom. Malloy being unable to swim waded out until the water was up to his neck, and with a pole tried to rescue the drowning man. The latter, however, did not again rise to the surface.

Malloy hastened to the nearest neighbors and got assistance, and after an hour's work the body was recovered. When taken from the water the head and chest were purple. The deceased was in his 41st year. A widow, one son and two daughters survive him.

Mr. Hossinger removed to Scotch Plains in April, 1876, and had gained many warm friends since his residence there. He was at the time of his death Chairman of the Fanwood Township Committee, a member of Excelsior H. & L. Co. No. 1, Past Chancellor and Keeper of Records and Seals of Goodwill Lodge, K. of P., and a member of Crescent Division, No. 13, U. R., K. of P. He was also a member of the Odd Fellows' Lodge of Westfield, Fanwood Council, No. 744, Royal Arcanum, and the Endowment Rank, No. 554, K. of P.

The funeral will take place from the house to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock, and from the Baptist church at Scotch Plains an hour later. Unity and Perseverance Lodges, Crescent Division and members of the Royal Arcanum in this city will attend the funeral in a body.

Warren Mission Excursion.

The excursion of the Warren Mission and Hope Chapel Sunday Schools to Ocean Grove, and Asbury Park, yesterday, consisted of fourteen well filled passenger coaches, or about 700 excursionists in all. The party arrived at the Park about 10 o'clock, and soon afterward the beach and various pavilions were thronged with pleasure seekers. The water was in excellent condition for bathing and many persons took advantage of the opportunity to embrace old Mother Ocean. Others tried their luck at fishing, but there was plenty of room left in the baggage car after the dozen or less trucks deposited their contents in the car. Wesley Lake also proved a great attraction for the excursionists, many of whom spent part of the day rowing.

The sun was obscured from sight, except at intervals, and the weather was delightfully cool. The only incident that occurred to mar the day's enjoyment was a heavy rain storm, which set in a little before noon and continued for over an hour. During the afternoon the various places of amusement were well patronized, and by five o'clock the excursionists began to arrive at the depot, ready for the return trip, which was made in about two hours, arriving home before 9 o'clock.

Councilman Dunham did all in his power for the comfort and convenience of the excursionists, and much credit is due to himself and his able assistants for the successful management of the excursion.

The Eclipse of the Moon.

Reference was recently made in these columns to the coming eclipse of the moon, but little was said as to the actual time that it will be visible in this section. The eclipse will occur to-morrow night and Monday morning. The eclipse of Jan. 28 was also total, and was observable immediately after sunset. The progress of the coming event will be as follows: First contact at 10:55 on Sunday night; beginning of totality, 11:54; end to totality, 1:35 on Monday morning; last contact, 2:34 on Monday morning. The moon will be in total eclipse at 44 minutes past midnight on Sunday, and the duration of totality will be 1 hour and 41 minutes.

If weather conditions be favorable the coming eclipse will be of greater general interest than the somewhat similar event of last Winter, as the beginning, the totality, and end of the eclipse will be visible, and as the moon will be near the meridian during the whole passage, so that the work of the astronomer will not be interfered with by disturbing conditions of the earth's atmosphere, which attend observations of a celestial object when it is near the horizon. It is uncertain, however, that atmospheric conditions in the coming event will be favorable, as the moon's path will be low in the South.

Beware of the Counterfeit.

A new and dangerous counterfeit of the $1 silver certificate is being circulated. It is perfect in details and only a small fraction of an inch longer than the Treasury plate. It is, however, deficient in execution. The vignette of Martha Washington and the shading in the words "United States" on the face of the bill, shows coarse engraving. The paper is a poor glazed imitation of the Treasury paper, showing no fibres at all.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

BREACH OF PROMISE.

Judge Duffy Declares His Passion for "Margaret Manton."

NEW YORK, July 21.—All the universe, but Gotham especially, will be surprised to hear that the wise, gallant, handsome and popular Police Justice P. Gavan Duffy is in danger of being sued for breach of promise of marriage.

It all came about through a trip to Long Branch that he made last week. He put up at the Ocean House. Although a bachelor, the "Little Judge" is always known to have an eye for female beauty. Among the other guests at the hotel he noticed a regally beautiful young woman, and he determined to make her acquaintance. He found a friend to introduce him, and at 1:20 last Wednesday a week ago, in the afternoon, he spoke to pretty Magaret Manton for the first time.

She had heard of him as a popular Judge in New York. He had often heard of her as a brilliant newspaper correspondent who writes for the Mercury, Journal, World, Star, Minneapolis Tribune, and Chicago Times under the nom de plume of "Margaret Manton." She is also editor of the Long Branch Surf. It is not strange that two such gifted people should be attracted to one another. The strange part of the case comes in by a report telegraphed from Long Branch yesterday that Miss Manton intends to sue his Honor for breach of promise. The Judge left Long Branch day before yesterday.

During the time he spent in the lady's society the judge promised her that when she became Mrs. Duffy he would take her for a trip around the world. In his flowery fashion—strangely unlike the tones in which he uses to say "ten days"—he painted the delight they would experience in visiting together historic England, the Emerald Isle, picturesque Switzerland, castled Spain and the Holy Land. Then after swearing that he loved her, and only her, one night he basely deserted her next day, never went near her.

She accused him of being false. He did not deny it. Then she threatened to bring suit. The Judge came back to New York. Being a Magistrate himself, he feels that he has friends on the Bench here who will help him out if the worst comes to the worst.

He was seen at his law offices, 229 Broadway, this morning. His Honor did not appear to feel a bit nervous. "That story is only a hoax," said he.

"The lady who is referred to there is as beautiful as the dawn of the Easter morn. She is just as intelligent as she is beautiful. I could not say too much in praise of her beauty, intelligence and estimable character."

"Then you will marry her," suggested the reporter.

"Ah! if I were younger?" sighed the Judge, "I could do many things" that I would not do now."

"Did you ask her to marry you?"

"I will not say that I did. I did say that when she would be Mrs. Duffy we would see the world together, and I will keep my word. The lady is a newspaper correspondent. She told me she would write something about the and she has. Now understand me. I have the highest regard for the lady, but that story is only a hoax."

"But suppose she should bring suit, what would you do?"

"Who can tell?" concluded his Honor.

E. P. ROE DEAD.

The Popular Novelist Succumbs to Neuralgia of the Heart.

NEWBURG, N. Y., July 21.—The Rev. E. P. Roe, novelist, and author of "Barriers Burned Away," "Opening a Chestnut Burr," and dozens of other popular works, died suddenly at his home in Cornwall last night at 10.30 of neuralgia of the heart. He had been in the best of health, and the attack and death were simultaneous.

Mr. Roe was accounted the most popular novelist in America, his stories having a tremendous sale. He was born in Windsor, N. Y., in 1838, and studied for the ministry. He was made chaplain of the 2d New York Regiment in 1862, later being appointed chaplain of one of the Fortress Monroe hospitals by President Lincoln.

The burning of Chicago in 1861 impressed him to write his first and most popular novel, "Barriers Burned Away" which has had astonishing sales. All his works have been published in England and the colonies, and translated into German and French.

A few years ago he sustained severe financial losses by indorsing his brother's paper, but by the aid of his pen satisfied all claims against him. In appearance Mr. Roe was a tall, broad-shouldered man, with a full flowing beard, and was slightly bald-headed.

Baseball Games Played Friday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia	1	0	0	2	0	0	3	0	0	0—6
New York	0	0	0	0	1	0	2	3	0	1—7

AT DETROIT.

Chicago	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
Detroit	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0—1

AT WASHINGTON.

Washington	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0—2
Boston	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—1

AT INDIANAPOLIS

Indianapolis	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0—4
Pittsburg	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—0

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—2
Baltimore	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	1—3

AT ST. LOUIS.

St. Louis	6	0	0	0	2	0	8	1	1	1—85
Kansas City	0	2	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0—5

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 20, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	44	24	Brooklyn	47	25
Detroit	41	25	St. Louis	44	28
New York	40	27	Athletic	40	27
Boston	35	32	Cincinnati	42	27
Philadelphia	33	32	Baltimore	32	37
Indianapolis	25	41	Louisville	25	45
Pittsburg	24	38	Kansas City	21	46
Washington	23	44	Cleveland	23	45

Sunday Closing.

LONDON, July 21.—The select committee appointed by the house of commons to consider the question, has submitted a report to the house recommending perpetual Sunday closing in all parts of Ireland, and also the closing of inns at 9 o'clock on Saturday night.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

HEAVY forest fires are raging all over Arenas County, Mich.

THE new census of California gives a population of over 1,5000,000, or double that of 1880.

THE Burlington employees have not instituted a new boycott against "Q" cars and freight.

THE volunteer militia of Manitoba has been ordered to Skeen River to suppress the Indian uprising.

CHARLES R. RICHARDSON, boot and shoe dealer of Detroit, Mich., has assigned. Liabilities, $50,000.

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Have brought many a new appliance,
In the place of those old gnomes,
Who once guarded all our homes.

Though door-bells ring when they ought not
And folks will come when they're sought not,
Yet the bell improves on that
Ancient knocker's rat, tat, tat.

Some day there may come unbidden
Ideas now to science hidden,
That some lost art will explain
To extract noise without pain.

Cause for Surprise.

Friend (to young artist)—Why, Charley, I'm surprised to see you out to-day.

Young Artist—Why so?

Friend—I passed your boarding-house a little while ago and I saw a shirt hanging on the line which I am quite sure belongs to you.—[Texas Siftings.

A Compromise Which was not Ratified.

FIRST BOY (to companion across the street)—"Say, Jimmy, come over on dis side an' play."

SECOND BOY—"I dassent. De ole man sez if I go over dere again he'll lick me. You come over here."

"I dassent neither. My ole man sez he'll break my back if I don't stay over on dis side."

"I wish I was as big as me brudder Dan, I'd jam de face offen my ole man."

"I don't. Me mudder gives my ole man all he can stand now. She trun him down the celler last night."

"My mudder is dead. Say ye got a ball?"

"You bet, an' it's a lulu."

"Let's have a game of ketch."

"All right."

They do, and the result is a broken window in each house; also a broken spirit in each boy when their respective dads return.—[Albany Journal.

Something Bright to Remember.

He:—I tell you it's hard to have to move away from the house that has sheltered you for years—the house in which all your children have been born, and which you have come to look upon as your home for life.

She:—Well John, there are some bright things to think of.

He:—Yes, Matilda; but if I didn't owe the landlord two years' rent things would look pretty dark—wouldn't they?

It Had Its Use.

Mistress—Bridget, don't throw that into the scrap bag.

Bridget—Why, mnm, it's only a scrap o' cloth that's niver a bit o' good to any one, mum.

Mistress—Bring that to me this minute. That's my last season's bathing suit, and I'll need it when I go to Long Branch this summer.

Absolutely Fearless.

"There is the most daring young man I ever knew."

"Saves people's lives I suppose, at the risk of his own?"

"I've never known him to save any lives, but I've seen him steal third base twice in one game."—[San Francisco Wasp.

A Fishing Party.

MRS. JOHN FLIGHSLINGER (who paints china).—Oh, John, do take this fish off my hook! Isn't it a beauty? But what makes it wriggle so?

JOHN (a brute).—It's just possible it is thinking of the decorated platter it'll finally bring up on.

Too Willing.

Candidate's friend (at dinner): If I had ten thousand throats I would employ them all in the cause of our estimable fellow-citizen whom we are glad to honor to-night.

Candidate (to waiter): Wait until Mr. Banger goes home before you open any more wine, John.

Bound to Lose It.

First man with fan—"Didn't you say the other day that the sun was losing its heat?"

Second man with fan—"Yes, all the scientiste agree on that."

"Well, I believe it now. The sun can't keep this up very long and have any left."

Idyls of the Household.

"Bridget," said the mistress to the new hired girl, "you can go now and put the mackerel in soak."

"Sure, ma'am, air ye rejuced to that?" asked Bridget, sympathetically.—[Detroit Free Press.

To Linger Longer.

"Of what shall I write?" he whispered,
"Of what shall I write to-day?"
And the Editor said,
As he scratched his head:
"You might say we have come to stay."
—[Nebraska State Journal.

An Easy Conundrum.

Park Policeman (very sternly).—Little girl, what have you in your hands?

Little girl (who has been picking, plucking or breaking twigs, flowers or fruit).—Guess! (They are great friends now).

The Cashier Got in Ahead

Missionary.—"Aren't you sorry you broke into the bank, my friend?"

Convict.—"Betcher life I am. Yer don't s'pose I'd a done it, does yer, 'f I'd known de casheer'd had two hours the start o' me?"

True.

"Oh, come now, Major, admit that you are wrong."

"Give in, sah? No, sir! You nevah knew a Kentucky Majah to take watah, sah!"

A Sticker.

Jack.—What sort of a paper did you get in German this morning?

Tom.—Regular German fly-paper. Got stuck on it.—[Harvard Lampoon.

Fashionable Sarcasm.

"How pretty Miss S. would be if she would only take better care of her teeth!"

"Quite true; but perhaps she is in mourning."

A Fertile Country.

Another season like this in the middle of July, and the farmers will have to harvest corn with saw-mills.—[Ottawa Local News.

FASHION FADS.

THE sweet pea wedding is the delicious whim of the hour.

THE open-air wedding is the bridal of the passing month.

EVERY well-made tailor suit is slightly but artistically padded.

WHITE daisy weddings are the fancy of the passing moment.

A large ostrich feather fan to match the evening toilet is the fancy of the season.

LARGE quantities of white mull and nainsook frocks are sold for country wear just now.

THE dry goods houses are doing a brisk business selling hammocks, awnings, big Jap umbrellas for lawns, parasols, fans, and mosquito nets.

MEXICAN cotton cord hammocks in bright, brilliant colors are selling at Denning's for 75 cents, and finer ones in hempen cord for $1.50

FLOWER weddings are the outcome of the suggestive color dinners. Only one kind of flower is used for the decorations of a flower wedding.

DRESSES and long wraps made for sea voyages have weights of lead in the hems of the skirts to keep them from being blown about too rudely on deck.

WHILE miles of ribbon in the form of flats, bows, loops, resettes, and knots are worn on all dressy summer frocks, not an inch of it is ever seen on a tailor gown.

THE figuring on some of the latest China silks, bengalines, foulards, and sateens are exceedingly suggestive of crazy quilt colors and sections, or of clown's clothes.

No girl can play lawn tennis to any advantage in anything but a tennis gown made with loose sleeves and a blouse waist, and this must be worn over a corset cover but not a corset.

A LOVELY summer festival gown for a lady, no longer young but still with pretensions to beauty, is of black Chantilly lace over white satin, with a corsage bouquet of white jonquils.

OATMEAL cloth trimmed with velveteen or corduroy or cordereine makes a pretty mountain, seaside, or travelling suit. It should be made in severely plain style with no ribbon or lace thereon.

SOME of the new color combinations seen in lawn tennis suitings at Denning's are in lovely soft shades of rosewood and lead color, cream and peachblow, plum and rose, pale brick red and old gold.

THE popular materials for dust cloaks are pongee, striped and barred twilled silk in dark colors, plaid and plain mohair. The Irish peasant cape is the fashionable form of these cloaks, but the loose Ragian is the most popular.

CAN it be true? Some of the New York correspondents of country newspapers assert that the latest "fad" of the New York girl of fashion is to be followed by a "tiger," a little colored page in livery, who carries her parcels, fan, wraps, opera glasses, and who waits on her hand and foot. Such things may be, but The Sun reporter has not seen them yet.

ANY AND EVERY.

TWENTY inches is said to be the narrowest gauge of railroad doing regular business in the United States.

THE largest salmon taken from the Connecticut River for years was caught recently at Lyme. It weighed 25 pounds.

IT is said that bald-headed Indians are becoming common, and the plug hat of civilization is thought to be responsible.

ALBERT, the famous pedestrian, lit the lamp of favor with a walking match.

MR. MACKAY, the bonanza king, has a dinner service that cost $195,000. It's very expensive to be a bonanza king.

THE father of John Bright was a poor man with nearly as many children as he had shillings a week for his work as a weaver.

AUGUSTA EVANS WILSON has a very fine collection of geraniums. Her friends predicted a great fuchsia for her when she was young.

MRS. BETSEY SHEPARD, who recently died at Ashland, N. H., was with one exception the oldest person in the State. She was born in 1785.

THE late Eugene Rimmel, the London perfumer, left an estate valued at $100,000,000. He evidently knew how to make dollars and scents.

You are right, Julius Henry, a man may smile and smile and be a Prohibitionist still, but the average man who smiles and smiles is more like a whiskey still.

WILLIAM BROWN, a colored man near Thomaston, Ga., claims to be the father of forty-seven children, of whom forty are alive. He is now living with his sixth wife.

JAMES WHITCOMB RILEY, the poet, is an enthusiastic Republican and a red-hot Harrison man. When he heard the news from Chicago he at once set about the composition of a campaign song.

THE new Japanese Minister at Washington was in 1887 sent to a prison for five years for a political offence. During his confinement he translated John Stuart Mill's works on political economy into Japanese.

THE King of Spain fell fast asleep at Barcelona the other day at a reception given in his honor. The little two-year-old potentate doubtless got tired of seeing his subjects "walking Spanish" before him.

THE world moves, even in England. Word comes from the little island that the London and Manchester Railway has decided, "in deference to the prejudices of its American customers," to institute the system of checking baggage.

THE California State Board of Silk Culture is doing much to boom the business. It has sent 16,000 mulberry trees and cuttings to silk cultivators, and will this year put out 50,000 more; and worms and eggs are given to owners of mulberry trees.

CARLISLE O. GRAHAM, the Whirlpool navigator, sent his pet dog, a Scotch terrier, over the falls in a cask on Sunday. As one brute came out alive the other brute will take a try at it himself shortly. And thus, one more fool will stand a chance of being dead.

FOUR O'CLOCK TEA.

IT is to be noted that the red sunshade of five years ago has reappeared at the seaside.

A GOOD many of the so-called Mexican hammocks would be a real curiosity in that country.

A MARKED change in the style of livery is already noted by the close observers at Newport.

EVEN the upright piano comes nowadays in a bamboo case for the parlor of the country house.

A GOLD locket dangling from the end of the sunshade handle is something new, but unexplained.

THESE are days of real suffering and genuine agony for the silly women who are "laced to death."

THE English turban in brown straw is one of the correct styles of headgear for the girl of the period.

IF you haven't rattan furniture in your country house you are considerably behind the procession.

IN finger-rings the very newest are of silver in styles said to be antique by those who ought to know.

How religious the woman is who wears a large cross displayed on her person can only be conjectured.

THE well-remembered "pork-pie hat" has come back in straw and is seen on Miss McFlimsey's head.

HUMOROUS BRIEFS.

IN Boston the horse-fiddle is called the "equine violin."

WEATHER in a beer saloon is generally mug-gy.

WOMAN'S hair is woman's glory, but not some other woman's hair.

THE most successful dentist must expect to run against a snag occasionally.

A FASHION note to be observed is that grass widows should not wear weeds.

EVEN the illiterate man finds pleasure in a book—if it be a plump pocketbook.

A FALSE chord of music is a discord. A false cord of wood it about seven-eighths.

IT will be difficult to work in Belva Ann Lockwood as the favorite son of any State.

MANY young men who do not care much for poetry as a rule will go it for browning this summer.

THE Prohibitionists point with pride to the running Brooks as an evidence of the virtue to be found in cold water.

IF the New York murderers may have their choice they would prefer to be executed by means of "Jersey lightning."

CHRIS. AHERNS, who has just died near Clinton, Iowa, was nearly seven feet high. He had to stand on a step-ladder to shave himself.

THE truly æsthetic girl with an appreciation of the eternal fitness of things uses blue note paper when she tells her admirer that she can never be more than a sister.

EDITOR'S young wife—"My dear you must pardon me for coming down in a wrapper this morning." Editor—"Don't mention it, my love. Some of our most valuable exchanges come to us in wrappers."—Burlington Free Press.

WITH $500,000 represented in a single dog show this country has no reason to be discouraged. Twenty years from now we shall be worth many millions in dogs, though we may possibly lose a few sheep.—Louisville Courier-Journal

AN Englishman has written a pamphlet to prove the pedigree of the devil. There is nothing like standing in with this gentleman. One never knows when he may want to ask a favor—such as turning on a damper or two.—Rochester Post-Express.

"WHAT a perfect picture Mrs. Mournful is this evening!" "Indeed, yes. She is exquisitely painted."

WHEN a man tells two different stories about the same occurrence he has reason to think one will not believed.

IT is said that Mrs. Cleveland has never seen a horse race, though she has probably seen a horse fly.

CONGRESSMAN LONG, of Massachusetts, never forgets a name. Why not make him Minister to Russia, then?

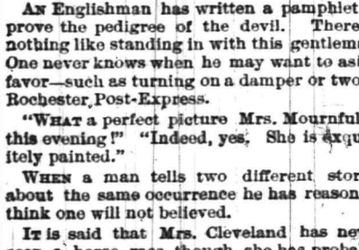
WE are getting tired of giving $2 worth of advertising for two twenty-five cent tickets and then being classed as dead-head. That game is "nixy" with us hereafter.

THE story from Indiana that a boy had found a nest of gold and silver coin while "grubbing" will be accepted with caution by other boys whose fathers have patches of ground to "grub."

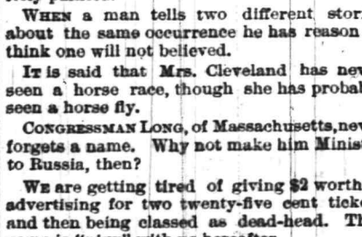
THE Beau Brummell of a country town may be looked upon as quite a swell when at home, but when he comes to the city and mingles with a flock of thoroughbred metropolitan dudes, he does not appear quite as well.

HONI SOI, a member of the Japanese royal family, is expected to visit this country soon. International courtesy should protect the gentleman and his name from the evil attacks of American punsters.

Imperturability.



Officer—Look out, there, man! Don't you see that runaway coming?



Spagmeyer (as everything comes up standing)—Dey's gedding booty gareless mit deir horses in this town—ain'd id?—[Times.

Was N't Growing Old Gracefully.

He stuttered terribly, and one day he began to tell a story, prefacing it by saying that it was "im-m-mense."

He kept at it a long while, but succeeded in getting only a little ways along in it, and at last a country cousin, from Wayback Centre, rang the bell.

"W-w what you r-r-ringing your d-d-darned old b-b-b-bell f-for? I t-t-tell you this s-s-story's a b-b-brand n-n-n-n-new one!"

"Perhaps it was—when you began it," replied his tormentor.

Duty Before Pleasure.

Chicago Mother:—What made young Mr. Henry leave the house so early last night.

Chicago Daughter:—He was obliged to go.

Chicago Mother:—I hope nothing has happened to mar the beautiful love you have for each other.

Chicago Daughter:—Oh, dear no! They expect a shipment from Kansas City at the abattoir at 10.30, and Butch had to be on hand. Duty before pleasure, you know, mother.

Good Enough Cold.

Woman of the house (to tramp)—I can't give you nothin' hot, 'cept perhaps the weather, but I kin give you 'most anythin' you want cold.

Tramp (a tear of gratitude trickling down his wan cheek)—Thanks, madam; I think I'll take a little cold cash.—[Texas Siftings.

PARNELL says he and his followers have broken the back of the Coercion Act. Well, that may be so, but it still looks a strong, healthy sort of a cripple to outsiders.

NOTES.

THE papers are full of "Hot weather Hints." We can only give the advice we gave last winter: "Keep your head cool, your feet warm and your bowels open." This is harder to carry out than it was in December, but it covers the ground.

DRY, very dry weather. Potatoes are suffering. The season seems to be growing favorable for showing up the drought-resisting effects of the Trench System. It is to be hoped, however, that the weather will not carry things too far, you know.

THE vinegar business is a pretty profitable one for many farmers. Too many apples are wasted, and too much adulterated vinegar finds its way to city tables. We are going to tell the whole story about vinegar-making in a few weeks, or, rather, men who make vinegar for a living are going to tell it for us.

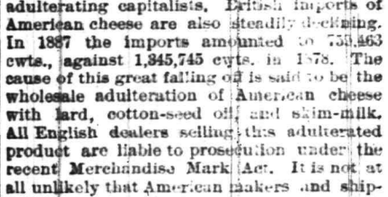
IT will be remembered that the vote in the Massachusetts State Senate on the "Oleo" bill was a draw—20 to 20. Secretary Brigham, of the Massachusetts Grange, who worked hard for the bill, writes as follows: "We do not call a draw a defeat, but it lost us the bill. We shall settle the question at the polls next autumn."

WHAT is the matter with the hens? They are not doing their duty, or else our people are eating more eggs than ever. Eggs are higher in price now than for many years at this season. At our home market last year we sold "14 for a quarter." Now we get the quarter for only 10. Something is wrong with the American hen!

GREAT BRITAIN is evidently resolved to let American adulterated food products severely alone. During the past week there have been three convictions at Liverpool of agents of American firms who sold adulterated lard, and in each case a heavy fine was inflicted. This will be a warning, which will doubtless greatly decrease the quantity of adulterated lard exported by Armour & Co., and our other adulterating capitalists. British imports of American cheese are also steadily declining. In 1887 the imports amounted to 750,463 cwts., against 1,345,745 cwts. in 1878. The cause of this great falling off is said to be the wholesale adulteration of American cheese with lard, cotton-seed oil, and skim-milk. All English dealers selling this adulterated product are liable to prosecution under the recent Merchandise Mark Act. It is not at all unlikely that American makers and shippers of fraudulent agricultural products will soon be made to learn that honesty is the best policy."

Self-Operating Valve for Watering Troughs.

Often in using a watering trough in a barn, whether the water is supplied from a spring where the supply is unlimited, or from a windmill tank where none can be wasted, it is a great convenience to have some sort of an arrangement whereby the water supply can be kept at an unvarying height. Such an arrangement is an automatic faucet or valve, and one form of the many in which it may be made is shown in the figure. This shows one end of a water trough with the valve. The inlet-pipe coming from beneath, where it is presumed to be placed secure from frost, is shown at A. The top should project half or three-fourths of an inch through the bottom, and be filed even and smooth, and it can be of inch pipe or any other size most convenient. C is a lever made of three-eighths by 1,1-2 inch iron. The longer end is drawn out until it is about square. The other end is hammered down until it is about three-quarters of an

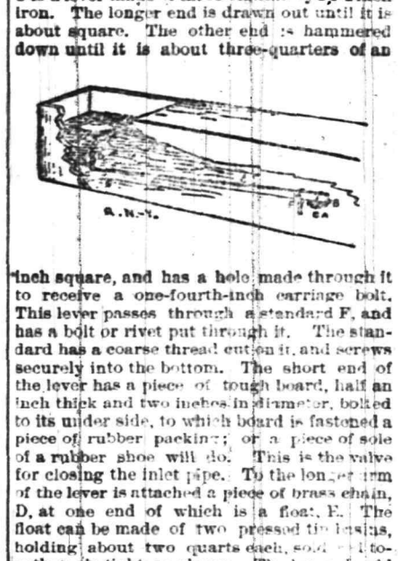


inch square, and has a hole made through it to receive a one-fourth-inch carriage bolt. This lever passes through a standard F, and has a bolt or rivet put through it. The standard has a coarse thread cut on it, and screws securely into the bottom. The short end of the lever has a piece of tough board, half an inch thick and two inches in diameter, bolted to its under side, to which board is fastened a piece of rubber packing; or a piece of sole of a rubber shoe will do. This is the valve for closing the inlet pipe. To the longer arm of the lever is attached a piece of brass chain, D, at one end of which is a float, E. The float can be made of two pressed tin basins, holding about two quarts each, soldered together air-tight as shown. The lever should have the long arm 24 inches and the short arm three. The chain should be long enough to allow the proper amount of water to run into the trough. The operation will be as follows: The water will run freely into the trough until its buoyancy will lift the float attached to the long arm, which will cause the valve on the short arm to press firmly upon the inlet pipe shutting off the water, even against heavy pressure. When the water is drank down the floats sinks, allowing this valve to open and more water to enter.

W. J. WOODWARD.

Umbrella Holder, Etc.

HAVING frequently occasion to make long drives with the heavy farm wagon in hot weather, I one day arranged an umbrella as shown in the figure. I cut a small burr oak about an inch in diameter at the butt, tied the umbrella to the small end and the other end to the seat-back. The oak is very tough and will bend to any desired position without breaking. I hold the umbrella in



range of the sun by tying the end of a halter-strap to the handle and hanging the head-stall over the edge of the load at the right point.

Where the seat is hooked on the top box it is quite tiresome either to let the feet hang in midair, or to keep them upon the top of the end board. To remedy this, I cut notches in the upper ends of the cleats back of the front board, shown by dotted lines at a, then by leaving a place to put through an end gate rod at c, one of the hind end boards can be used for a foot-rest, b. A. C. CARPENTER.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.30, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23 p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.30, 5.05, 5.40, 5.54, 6.30, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.18, 11.30, 11.44 a.m. 2.03, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.55, 7.58, 8.06, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—8.12, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 8.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.40, 6.47, 8.12, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.08, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.03, 4.34, 5.05, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—8.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.32, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

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6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

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Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton. 5.12, 8.27, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45*, 6.02*, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.39, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.20, 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.34, 4.25, 5.30, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.16, p. m.

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NEW YORK, July 23.—The Rev. Daniel C. Potter, the obliging clergyman who assisted Mayor Hewitt in uniting the Duke of Marlborough and Mrs. Hamersley has again made himself famous and thrown society into convulsions by privately marrying William George Tiffany, of Baltimore, San Francisco, London, Paris and half the civilized world, to Mary Virginia Yznaga, the divorced wife of Fernando Yznaga.

On Thursday morning a cab drove up to the Albemarle Hotel and a slight, pretty woman, whose fair face and youthful appearance challenged her gray hairs to prove that she was just thirty, alighted and registered as Mrs. Fernando Yznaga. At her request a large apartment connecting with parlor 59 was assigned to her. She was accompanied by her sister, Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt, and no especial attention was called to the ladies' doings, except that numerous parcels were sent up to No. 59.

On Saturday morning at about 10 o'clock a few visitors began to inquire for Mrs. Yznaga. Mr. and Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt arrived first and were shown up to No. 59. Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Hollins followed. Col. Williams sent up his card and was duly admitted. Then Dr. Daniel C. Potter turned up, and at last two gentlemen in frock coats and festive smiles put in an appearance. They were Mr. William G. Tiffany and Mr. de Courcey Forbes, a bridegroom and his best man.

Mrs. Yznaga herself opened the door of No. 59 in answer to each of these summonses, and no one was admitted who was not absolutely essential to the important occasion.

In about half an hour the little company dispersed in twos and threes as quietly as it had gathered, but just enough time had elapsed for the quietest kind of a wedding and the heartiest sort of congratulations. So discreetly and secretly had the whole affair been accomplished that even Mr. Parker, the proprietor of the Albemarle hotel, won't know until this morning that a wedding took place under his very nose and what a happy and sacred use his best parlor had been put to.

Since her return from California, where Mrs. Yznaga obtained her divorce four months ago and where she first met Mr. Tiffany, Mrs. Yznaga has been living in retirement in the pretty lodge at the gate of Mr. Vanderbilt's place, Idle Hour, at Oakdale, L. I. She told her friends that she expected to be in Newport in August to see a little gayety but never intimated that her future was involved in anything more serious. It will be remembered that Mrs. Yznaga's former husband is brother to Lady Mandeville and Lady John Lister Kaye, and that her younger sister was married recently in Paris to Comte de Fontenailles.

Mr. Tiffany comes of the old Baltimore family of that name, and has inherited at least three fortunes, which he has spent like a gentleman. He lived for years in Paris, where his splendid hotel, Rue St. Florentin, was long the rendezvous of half the beau esprits and viveurs of Europe.

Mr. Tiffany has also the reputation of being one of the best whips in Europe, and the season that he horsed and drove the "Old Times" coach from the White Horse Cellar, Picadilly, to Brighton is as memorable in the annals of the road as his enterprise in establishing with Mr. Padelford and Mr. William Forbes Morgan a coaching route over the Pyrenees.

But all this cost money. As the end of the third fortune began to show itself Mr. Tiffany bethought himself of some source of income, and about three years ago went out to California as the manager of the Esmeralda Mining Company, representing a large amount of British gold. Fortune smiled on him once more, and his last venture brought him what no previous exploit ever did—a charming wife.

Mrs. Yznaga being the aggrieved party and petitioner in the suit which led to her divorce is distinctly entitled by statute law to marry again, so that the performance of the ceremony yesterday by the complaisant Dr. Potter was more of coincidence than a necessity.

Senator Quay at Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Senator Quay is in town to-day, but is too much occupied with political work to devote any attention to the proceedings in the Senate. He knew very little about the tariff bill preparations, he said, and would take no active part in the preliminaries, but whenever his vote was needed he would run down from New York.

"I go there about Friday next, said he, "to devote myself to the National Committee work. I am not commencing the work, you understand, because it is already commenced and is going on very favorably. I simply mean to help keep it up."

Products of Colored Labor.

BALTIMORE, July 23.—The colored people of this State are preparing to hold an industrial exhibition, to open on October 1. Isaac Myers, president of the association, has now enough exhibits promised to guarantee the success of the undertaking. The exhibition will be held in one of the public halls of this city, and in it will be represented all varieties of labor in which the colored people are engaged.

Connecticut Republicans.

HARTFORD, Conn., July 23.—The Republican State Central Committee will meet here Wednesday to decide on the time for holding the State Convention.

Samuel Fassenden and Chairman Day were here in conference with the Republican leaders on Thursday. The convention will be called not later than Sept. 6, and will be held here.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

TRIMBLE COUNTY, KY., voted a big majority for local option on Saturday.

TWO of the men injured in the gas explosion at Ludlow, Ohio, died Saturday.

THE widow of the late Robert McKin, the millionaire, died at Madison, Ind., Saturday.

THE arrivals for the Grand Cantonment Militant of Odd Fellows, to be held in Cincinnati this week, already numbers thousands.

NAPOLEON IVES.

He Will Stay in Canada Till the Governor Acts.

CLIFTON, Ont., July 23.—Henry S. Ives, the New York broker, is still on the Canadian side. He spends his time quietly, either in his rooms or on the upper piazzas of the hotel. George H. Stayner, his companion, is even more reserved than Ives. Mr. Woodruff, the third member of the party, has disappeared. Nobody has seen him for the last two days. Ives to-day wore a neat gray suit, with high-cut vest, blue necktie, a white, Milan straw hat and patent leather gaiters. When asked by a reporter if he had anything to say, he replied:

"No, I think not. I will be back in New York soon, and can be seen then just as well as now."

"Why did you leave New York?"

"Because I felt disposed to do so, and don't see why I shouldn't have left."

"Some people say that you left there to escape arrest on indictments."

"I did not. I left there because I felt like it, and I shall be back in New York to-morrow."

"There is a man named Pugh in New York, isn't there?" he asked sharply.

"Yes."

"Well, I think it very strange for him to go to New York to get extradition papers to take me to Cincinnati."

"Why do you think that?"

"Wouldn't you think it strange if Judge Martine or District Attorney Fellows went to Missouri to get extradition papers for some one in New York?"

"I have been on the American side of the river plenty of times during my stay here, but have always put up at the Clifton House. Mrs. Stayner and her daughter returned to New York, but Mr. Stayner and I will wait and see what action Gov. Hill takes on the motion made for extradition papers to take us to Ohio. If he denies the request, as I expect he will, we shall return to New York Tuesday morning. If Gov. Hill grants it we will stay here a week and then go on to Cincinnati."

Mr. Ives denied that he went fishing at Montrose, or that he had had a lady with him any time during his stay. He said that he did not care about the indictments, and added: "What is $5,000 to me, anyway?"

This conversation took place on the right-hand wing of the veranda within a stone's throw almost of the Falls. Stayner was dressed in a neat black suit and a white pug hat. He sat about fifty feet away from Ives and the reporter while the conversation was going on and acted as carelessly as if he thought, "The world is mine." He will not say a word.

TEN MEN KILLED.

Two Trains Wrecked on the Norfolk & Western Railroad.

LYNCHBURG, Va., July 23.—A terrible accident occurred on the Norfolk and Western Railroad at Forest Depot, about eight miles from this city, at 1 o'clock yesterday morning. Ten men were killed.

A freight train which left Lynchburg about midnight collided in a cut near Forest Depot with an East-bound material train, causing a complete wreck of both trains.

Engineers Henry and Harris, Parmley, the firemen of the material train, and seven colored train hands whose names were unknown were killed. Firemen Mays, of the freight, train, was fatally injured. The conductor escaped with slight bruises.

The accident was caused, it is claimed, by the conductor of the material train misunderstanding orders.

SEEKING REST.

Poor Outlook for Interesting Business at Washington This Week.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—There are fewer Congressmen in town to-day than at any time since the session opened. The Democrats had tried to get a recess and lost it because they were afraid to go on record as asking for it, but after their proposition had been voted down both Democrats and Republicans agreed on a kind of recess anyhow.

When the 4 o'clock train left for the North the railroad station looked as though a Congressional excursion was starting off, and the late evening and Sunday trains carried as many Congressmen as ordinary people.

Mr. Reed went to Boston, where he addresses a ratification meeting to-morrow night, Mr. Phelps to New York, Mr. Hiscock toward New York for a day or two of rest, and dozens of other members to the seashore. The outlook for interesting business in the first days of the week is no very good.

Randall's Favorable Condition.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—Samuel J. Randall continues to improve, and will shortly be convalescent. Should the improvement continue he will be removed to his country place, near Philadelphia, about the middle of the week.

Mr. Randall is not yet able to sit up, but he was allowed to read the newspapers for the first time this morning and made some comments on the passage of the Mills bill yesterday. It is possible that he may insist on going back to work as soon as he is able to be about, but the advice of his physician will be to give it up for the session.

Tired of Legislative Duty.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—An unusually large number of declinations to stand for re-election have been announced this session.

Among them are: Dunn of Arkansas, Dougherty of Florida, Thomas and Plumb of Illinois, Maston of Indiana, Lafollette of Kentucky, Morse, Collins and Russell of Massachusetts, Nelson and Rice of Minnesota, Gallinger of New Hampshire, Belmont, Campbell, White and Weber of New York, Foran of Ohio, Scott of Pennsylvania, Butler and Neal of Tennessee, and Guenther and Stevenson of Wisconsin.

Warring Knights at New York.

NEW YORK, July 23.—At a meeting of District Assembly 49 Knights of Labor last night Master Workman Quinn after trying to keep suspended members out of Pythagri's hall walked away with the charter accompanied by his friends, each set of members holding separate meetings. The split has long been expected.

Blaine Coming Home.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Mr. Blaine will sail for this port from Liverpool August 1. He is to be given a reception here which it is claimed will be one of the most remarkable ever witnessed in this country. Over 50,000 men parade, it is said.

CROWDED CALENDARS.

Hosts of Bills Before the Senate and House.

FEW CAN BE CONSIDERED.

About 350 Bills on the Senate Calendar and Nearly 1,500 Ready For the Consideration of the House—Many of the Measures Important But They Cannot be Reached.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—In spite of the prospects of a prolonged session of Congress, there is no probability that the overcrowded calendars of the House and Senate will be cleared before adjournment.

The number of unconsidered measures on the House calendar is enormous. Many of them are measures of importance. The Senate will have very few opportunities before adjournment to take up the calendar appropriation bills.

The Fisheries treaty and the tariff will command the attention of the Senate from this time forth. There are now on the Senate calendar about 350 bills, of which 130 are measures which have passed the House.

Among the bills on the calendar are Senator Hoar's bill to provide for inquest under National authority; Senator Chandler's bill to increase the efficiency of the Medical Corps of the Navy; the bill to provide for the erection of public buildings by contracts let to the lowest bidder; the Animal Industry bill; the Chinese Imigration of Senators Dolph and Sherman; Mr. Beck's Coin Certificate bill; bills for the admission of Washington, Montana and other Territories; the bill authorizing the use of the surplus to prepay interest or retire bonds; the General Public Building bill; the House bill to prevent employment of alien labor on public works; the bill pensioning soldiers and sailors confined in Confederate prisons; Mr. Blair's joint resolution for a prohibition amendment to the Constitution; Mr. Teller's bill to promote the efficiency of the Land Office; the House bill to provide for an additional Associate Justice of the Supreme Court of Dakota; Senator Chase's bill to reduce the rate of postage on fourth-class matter; the bill to regulate commerce carried on by telegraph, and the bill to establish a bureau of harbor and water ways.

The House calendar has more than 1,100 House bills and nearly 350 Senate bills undisposed of. Of these, eighty are public building bills. Nearly 1,000 of all the bills are on the private calendar.

Among the bills on the calendar are: The bill relating to the anchorage of vessels at New York; bills for the admission of various Territories, including the Springer Omnibus bill; resolution changing the time for the meeting of Congress; bill to define and regulate the jurisdiction of courts of the United States; several proposed amendments to the Civil Service law; the bill extending the criminal jurisdiction of Federal Courts to the Great Lakes; the bill for the adjustment of accounts under the Eight Hour law; the bill to establish a Bureau of Public Health; a bill pensioning the survivors of Indian wars; the Belmont Chinese bill; a bill providing a monument to William Henry Harrison; the bill to prevent the circulation of lottery advertisements through newspapers: the Senate bill creating the grade of Commander in the Navy; a bill providing pensions for deafness, the loss of both arms, for dependent parents and for survivors of the Mexican war; Mr. Bland's General Public Building Bill; a bill for the issue of $3 gold pieces; a bill in regard to the deposit of United States seamen's savings; the bill to punish counterfeiting of trade marks; the bill for the purchase of a post office site at Washington.

This does not include the many measures which, like the Education bill, are reposing in committee, where they will probably remain until March 4 next.

MANAGER PALMER.

Wallack's Theatre to Return to the Stock System.

NEW YORK, July 23.—Beginning with Oct. 8 next Palmer will be the sole manager of Wallack's Theatre. With the exception of next season, which is nearly all mortgaged to Henry E. Abbey for the introduction of his attractions, the house will not be run on the combination system.

The contract has not yet been signed, but the terms have been agreed on, the preliminaries have all been settled to the satisfaction of both parties to the arrangement, and all that remains to make the transfer binding is the formal signing of the contract, which will probably be affixed to-day.

It is more than likely that under this new management the old name of Wallack's Theatre will disappear from the history of the New York stage. Mr. Palmer secures the absolute right to the theatre to do with it as he pleases, including the right to change the name by which it has heretofore been known, and he has about decided to call the house "Palmer Theatre" from the beginning of his management.

General Sheridan's Best Day.

NONQUITT, Mass., July 23.—It has been raining all day and the temperature accordingly has been quite uncomfortable. There has been a wood fire burning at the Sheridan cottage and its effect has entirely overcome the outside cheerlessness.

General Sheridan had a quiet and a restful night and the physicians pronounce this the best day by all odds in his improvement since his residence at Nonquitt.

Eclipse of the Moon.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—There was no official observation of the eclipse at the Naval Observatory last night, as Professor Langley had gone to Pittsburgh to take observations.

NEW YORK, July 23.—The total eclipse of the moon was from 11.53 P.M to 1.36 A.M., and was witnessed by thousands of people all over this city.

Mrs. Cignarala Reprieved.

NEW YORK, July 23.—A morning paper states that Governor Hill has signed a reprieve for Mrs. Cignarala, accused of the murder of her husband. She was notified to that effect but manifested little emotion.

Keenan Will Return.

NEW YORK, July 23.—It is stated by the Press this morning that exile John Keenan will return from Canada and testify against his associates in the Broadway bribery cases.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Parlor car seats for the First Baptist excursion, are now on sale at Field & Randolph's.

—The Republicans of Fanwood Township will meet in Excelsior Hall, Scotch Plains, this evening, for the purpose of organizing a campaign club.

—A regular meeting of the shareholders of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association, for the payment of dues, etc., will be held in Cutter's Hall, this evening.

—The Young People's meeting at Trinity Reformed church, to-night, will be led by the pastor, Rev. Cornelius Schenck. A hearty welcome is extended to everybody.

—Reports from the College Students' Conference at Northfield, will be given at the Young Men's Meeting at the Y. M. C. A. rooms, this evening, at 8 o'clock. Leader, Mr. Joseph A. Robinson.

—St. Mary's T. A. B. Society, having purchased St. Mary's Hall, on West Fourth street, the hall will hereafter be known as the T. A. B. Association Hall. A notice of a grand concert and picnic by the society is published in another column.

—Peter W. McDonough was complainant before Judge Suydam in the city court this morning, against Patrick Donovan of Plainfield avenue, charged with using profane language. Judge Suydam adjudged him guilty and fined him $15.

—Prof. Conde's orchestra will give another open-air concert at Caspar's Hotel, this evening, from eight to eleven o'clock. Two new pieces will be rendered entitled "A Salute to Erin," a grand Irish medley overture, by Lamotte, and "In love for a day," by D. S. Godfrey. The remainder of the programme will include popular airs.

Mirth and Music at Boynton Beach.

Two stage loads of young people, consisting of the "Daisy Choir" and quartette of Grace church, together with a few invited guests, about thirty in number, went over to Boynton Beach on Friday, and spent the day at that favorite resort. On the way the party stopped at Metuchen and serenaded Mrs. Dr. Freeman. Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Freeman accompanied the party, and the latter acted in the capacity of master of ceremonies.

At the beach the picnicers amused themselves in various ways, and when dinner time came, the supply of edibles vanished in a remarkably short time.

Several vocal selections were given during the day by the choir and quartette, and the start for home was made early in the evening. On the way home the party went into camp by the roadside, where iced cream was provided for all.

W. C. T. U. Four O'locck Meeting.

The second meeting of the W. C. T. U., in their rooms on Front street, was held yesterday afternoon at four o'clock, and showed quite a large increase in attendance over the first meeting held there. Much spiritual interest was manifested in the meeting, and a large number of brief addresses were made by young men and women, who seem much interested in the work of the Union.

The Crescent Glee Club rendered excellent singing, which was heartily engaged in by the congregation. A number of requests for prayer were made by those present, and at the close Mrs. Dr. Tomlinson earnestly offered prayer in their behalf.

The Union feel much encouraged in their efforts by the enthusiasm which the young people are throwing into their meetings. Let the good work go on.

Coal Trains Wrecked.

Engine No. 105, in charge of Engineer Wm. Devine, attached to a West-bound coal train, was nearing the depot in this city between 12 and 1 o'clock, yesterday morning, when the engineer discovered a danger signal on the track in front of him. The train was running at a high rate of speed, and when the engineer reversed his engine, the sudden stopping of the train threw several of the cars from the track, badly wrecking them. Fortunately no one was injured, and the road was opened for travel by daylight.

All are Welcome.

A temperance meeting will be held under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock, at Hope Chapel. Mrs. Opdyke and Mrs. Tomlinson will address the meeting, and some fine music and recitations have been arranged for.

MR. FRANK HOSSINGER'S FUNERAL.

A Large Concourse of Mourners—Impressive Ceremonies at the Scotch Plains Baptist Church Yesterday Afternoon—The Body Taken to Its Final Resting Place.

There was a mournful silence spread over the beautiful little village of Scotch Plains, yesterday afternoon, the time arranged for the enactment of the funeral obsequies, following the death of the late Frank Hossinger, who was drowned in the lake at Glenside, on Friday afternoon. The deceased was a man who was noted for his honesty and integrity, and one who was a friend to his fellow beings at all times. Surely he will be missed in the community in which he lived, and in which he was one of the foremost citizens. His kind and loving disposition won for him a host of friends and admirers, who were present, yesterday, to pay their respects to his memory.

At the house there was a scene of mourning, and the grief which had overtaken the family in their sad affliction was apparent on every side. The body lay in the parlor, encased in a handsome walnut casket, with silver extension handles. The features on the dead man's face did not indicate long suffering, but rather of one slumbering peacefully.

The deceased was prominently identified with several secret societies, namely, the Knights of Pythias, Odd Fellows, Royal Arcanum and the Endowment Rank. District Deputy Grand Chancellor H. J. Martin of this city, officiated as Marshal.

Unity and Perseverance Lodges and Crescent Div., U. R., K. of P., attended in a body, and a delegation was present from the Royal Arcanum Council, the Endowment Rank, Odd Fellows' Lodge of Westfield, Olive Branch No. 72 K. of P. of Elizabeth and Lodge of the Castle of Somerville.

At half-past two o'clock, the members of the above societies, numbering about 300 persons marched to the late home of the deceased, and after a prayer by Rev. Mr. Parks, escorted the body to the Scotch Plains Baptist church, arriving there a little after four o'clock. The casket was carried into the church and deposited in front of the pulpit, the friends occupying seats assigned them in front, on the left of the main aisle. Two beautiful floral designs—one a harp presented by Perseverance Lodge, and the other a broken column from Goodwill Lodge—occupied prominent positions on the platform. The church was densely filled with mourners and friends of the family.

Rev. Mr. Parks, the pastor, officiated, and began the service by scripture reading. He took his text from Judges third chapter, and a part of the 20th verse: "I have a message from God unto thee." God's providences, he said, are just as much to man as His words; when God comes in death to a family He speaks just as plain as though His words were uttered from heaven; sudden death is more emphatically a message from the great Jehovah, than one of lingering disease.

During the present year this community has been trebly afflicted. One of our townsmen passed away at his own doorstep; another was hurled to his death in a railroad accident, and today one most dear and respected by all is called away. Surely the messenger of God has come to this community emphatically. There is a necessity for preparation for the future world; saddened countenances betoken the fact that we do hear God's message and are not insensible to His commands.

Here the Rev. Mr. Parks spoke feelingly of the relationship existing between the deceased and the K. of P.,—so loved and respected was he. "To them," he continued, "the loss of a brother is a fellowship sundered; a vacant place brought to them." Others outside the organization are equally afflicted. Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company is affected through another channel; the Company is parting with a long and faithful member, one always ready and willing to do that which was best for his fellow men. To the Royal Arcanum, the deceased was the first to perfect an organization and to adopt plans; he was also the first to break its ranks; to all of us who have labored with him in the different spheres of life, the affliction is doubly severe, and the laying away of this brother is but a message from God. Be you ready for the future, for the eternity that is going to dawn! Death enters the loving household and declares that the happy relationship is broken; it comes to every family. God does not make mistakes; men do. All things work together for the good of those who love God.

In concluding, the Rev. Dr. told of his own personal relationship with the deceased, which brought tears to many eyes. He spoke of him as a man of true Christian resignation—one honored and esteemed by all who knew him. "Honor God in life, and death will have no harm."

After a prayer by the pastor, the friends were given an opportunity to view the remains for the last time. At the grave the service was short and impressive, and according to the service prescribed by the Grand Lodge, K. of P., Assemblyman Ulrich acting as Prelate. The body was interred in a vault in the family plot in the Baptist cemetery.

Besides the floral decorations above referred to there were several other beautiful designs, presented by the various organizations. There were eight pallbearers, two each from Goodwill Lodge, Royal Arcanum, Odd Fellows and Excelsior Hook and Ladder Company.

Among those present from out of town who are prominently connected with the K. of P., were the following: P. G. C., Henry C. Housell of New Brunswick; G. K. of R. and S., Eugene V. Lorton of Plainfield; G. M. of E., Wilson of Long Branch; G. I. G., Kilbourn of New Brunswick; D. D. G. C., H. J. Martin of Plainfield; D. D. G. C., Wehrly of Somerville; P. D. D. G. C., Charles of Elizabeth. Alderman and ex-Chief Jacques of the New Brunswick Fire Department was also present at the obsequies.

WHO SHOT HIM.

Mr. Will Underhill of This City Hit With a Bullet While Promenading With a Lady at a Summer Resort.

At about midnight of Friday last, Mr. William Underhill of this city, while attending a swell ball at a well-known Summer resort, and walking in the illuminated grounds with a young lady he had just met for the first time, was shot by some unknown person.

Mr. Underhill is the cashier for Dearborn & Co., the shipping merchants, of Beaver street, New York, and resides with his mother and sister on Third place, this city—the latter the wife of Mr. J. W. Gavett. Underhill is a popular young society man among the most select circles of Bergen Point and New York. Friday evening he accompanied some friends to Bath Beach, L. I., where a large ball was being given by the guests of "Kathleen Villa," an aristocratic hotel at that place.

The grounds were illuminated with hundreds of Chinese lanterns, and Underhill was promenading among them with a Miss Bensall, of Brooklyn. The couple were coming towards the house, when suddenly three shots were fired in quick succession. Underhill exclaimed, "I'm shot!" and hurried to the house.

After being placed on a sofa, surgeons were summoned. The wound was dressed, but probing for the ball was deferred until the next day. Saturday it was removed from just above the groin. The physicians say that the wound is not necessarily dangerous, but is serious; and great care will be required.

Mr. Underhill's mother was telegraphed for and left Plainfield, at once. She sends word back that her son is doing well and may be out again in a week.

One version of the shooting is that it was caused by jealousy; and, in the absence of any direct contradiction, this report at first, gained currency. However, it has been refuted by Underhill himself, through a statement made to his physicians, and by his intimate friends.

Mr. Horton, manager of the Villa, says that the story is absurd; that he had heard a good deal of shooting going on in the neighborhood of the house during the evening, and that he believed that some drunken ruffian hit Underhill accidentally and was possibly not aware of the fact, as he heard the firing continued long after the accident occurred.

The shot, however, came from the direction of the house.

OBITUARY.

EDWIN M. ADAMS.

The death is announced of Edwin Marshall, youngest son of Wm. F. and Amelia M. Adams, which occurred at his home on Duer street, North Plainfield, a little after midnight of Saturday. The deceased was 22 years and 8 months of age. He was at the time of his death proprietor of the painters' supply store bearing his name, on Park avenue, and was both well and favorably known here. He contracted consumption about two and a-half years ago, and has since been steadily on the decline. About a week previous to his death he was obliged to give up active labor, and since that time he has been confined to the bed.

Mr. Adams spent the Winter in Georgia with a view of regaining his health, but he was but little benefitted by the change of climate.

The funeral service will take place from Holy Cross church to-morrow morning at half-past ten o'clock. Interment private.

DUNELLEN.

Miss Nellie Smith has returned from her visit to the Catskills.

Mr. Buchanan and family of Elizabeth, are visiting Mr. F. A. Ransom's family.

Mr. Richards of Morristown, N. J., is now the owner of the Tallman property.

Mr. Teules and family of Philadelphia, are visiting Mr. Samuel Luckey of Prospect avenue.

Mr. Daniel W. Gaskill is about again, having just recovered from a hemorrhage of the lungs.

Mr. M. A. Davis, we are happy to say, has recovered from his illness and is now convalescent.

Mrs. Kuldoshes has commenced the erection of a large store building on North avenue. Mr. John Apgar is the builder.

Rev. Mr. Skellenger and family are taking their vacation at Ocean Grove. Rev. Mr. Livermore is supplying his pulpit during his absence.

Let's All Go!

The First Baptists, their Sunday School and Mission will take their annual "plunge" in Old Ocean Friday, July 27, and invite everybody to go along on the usual terms. The train, in two sections, will leave Plainfield at 8:30 A. M., and Ocean Grove at 7:30 P. M. Plenty of time to get ready in the morning and a ride home in the cool of the evening. A baggage car on each section will convey the lunch baskets which owners will find at the Excursion House on Wesley Lake, when wanted. The Congregationalists are going along. Let's all go!

SPECIAL "CUT" PRICES!

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BICYCLE and Tennis Shirts reduced. Our $1.25 style for $1; our $1.75 style for $1.50; our $2 plain and French-striped for $1.75; our $1.75 in plaid and striped for $1.50; our $2 white emb. front for $1.50; Boys', do., in white and colored for $1.15, regular price is $1.35.

SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7½cts; Colored window Scrim 9cts, regular price 12cts; *Linen crash 5cts; Unbleached* table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

WE have left a few Cotton-striped Skirts, will close out cheap. Our 50ct style for 39cts; our 75ct style for 60cts; our $1 style for 75cts. Our 65ct Boys' Percale Waists for 55c. Our 85c do. for 75c. Besides numerous other bargains not mentioned here.

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DEATHS.

HUGHES—In North Plainfield, Sunday, July 22, of consumption, Charles Edward, son of the late John W. Hughes, aged 22 years, 11 months and 22 days.

Friends and relatives are respectfully invited to attend the funeral at St. Joseph's Church, Tuesday morning, July 24, at 9 o'clock. Requiem mass will be celebrated.

BURDICK—At Plainfield, N. J., on July 23, 1888, George N. Burdick, in the twenty-third year of his age.

Funeral services on Tuesday, 24th inst., at 4:30 P. M., at the residence of Charles Botter, No. 43 West Seventh street. Further services and interment at Adams Centre, New York, on Wednesday next.

ADAMS—On Sunday morning, July 22, Edwin Marshall, youngest son of William F. and Amelia M. Adams

The friends of the family are invited to be present at the funeral services to be held at the Church of the Holy Cross, North Plainfield, on Tuesday morning, July 24, at half-past ten o'clock. Interment private.

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Scotch Plains Sets Out to Protect the Industries of America.

There will be entertainment on hand at Scotch Plains for those who appreciate humor and who go to Excelsior Hall to-night. Several prominent citizens will meet and organize a Republican campaign club, which will include among its members all "who believe in protection to American industry (regardless of previous party ties)." The above mentioned ties will be broken at 8 P. M. sharp. Then one of the prominent citizens will mount the platform and when the applause has subsided he will announce that the fellow-citizens, ladies and gentlemen are there to protect American industry. Then he will proceed to remind them that they are opposed to cheap foreign labor and if any one in the audience ventures to ask why American labor is protected against the products of foreign labor and suffered to compete with the horde of foreign laborers themselves, that person will be silenced by a gentle "you are a free trader." Then the speaker will remind his hearers that the Republican party is opposed to the importation of Chinese cheap labor, and that Harrison is an honest—but perhaps he won't mention Harrison in this connection. Then with ringing eloquence he will denounce the Mills bill, and he will not consume his hearers' time by talking about President Arthur's suggestion that wool be placed on the free list. After great applause he will call on temperance men to fight against the rum power and then find that he hasn't got the Republican platform before him so that he can quote the Internal Revenue plank, and he won't have time to read Blaine's declaration that "the removal of the Internal revenue tax on whiskey would effectually destroy the chance of a high license in the several States." The speaker will retire amid great applause. The next prominent citizen will inform the audience that Gen. Harrison's grandfather was a brave soldier, that his great grandfather fought in the revolution, and that his great-great-great-great-great father was one of the judges who tried Charles the First. And then the Chairman will call on all present to contribute their unbounded enthusiasm and four dollars; and the meeting will break up with such cheers for Harrison and Morton that every Cleveland man in town will retire to his home and weep, and the laboring man will go to bed with a light heart, and Scotch Plains will breathe again.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mrs. S. A. Potter and Miss Potter, have gone to Atlantic City.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Bushnell of East Second street, are registered at the Seaside Hotel, Ocean Grove.

Miss Ida and Hattie Sayre of Brooklyn, N. Y., are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. A. Swalm of East Fifth street.

William H. Brower arrived home in Plainfield on the 2:02 train, Saturday afternoon, after his enjoyable and rejuvenating trip to Europe.

Mr. and Mrs Everett S. Swalm and daughter of Rodney street, East Brooklyn, spent Sunday with Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Swalm of East Seventh street.

Margaret Carey, who was so severely injured by a fall at her home on Elizabeth avenue, Elizabeth, a few days ago, is a sister of Chief of Police T. J. Carey, of this city.

Mr. John Neuterberge, a huckster, fell on the sidewalk in front of ex-Mayor Rockfellow's store, in a fit on Saturday. He received some bad bruises about the head and body.

The residence of Mr. and Mrs. John Kelly, on West Fourth street, was made happy, yesterday morning, by the appearance of an 11½ pound girl. Mother and daughter are doing splendid.

Mr. William T. Kaufman of W. Seventh street, is so very much reduced in health that he has been compelled entirely to give up business cares for a time, and has gone to the Adirondacks. Mrs. Kaufman is with him.

Mr. George N. Burdick, whose serious illness THE PRESS has frequently alluded to, died at the residence of his uncle, Mr. C. Potter, Jr., on West Seventh street, about noon today, in the 23d year of his age. The funeral will take place from the house to-morrow at 4:30 P. M.

At the Somerset House, North Plainfield, early yesterday morning, occurred the death of Charles Edward Hughes, son of the late John W. Hughes, aged 22 years, 11 months and 22 days. The deceased was a sufferer from consumption, and his decline began in March last. Despite the care and attention of those who administered to his wants, he succumbed to the disease and died as above stated. The funeral will take place from St. Joseph's church to-morrow at 9 A. M., when a requiem mass will be celebrated for the repose of the deceased's soul.

Mr. Hugh McDonnell and Miss Theressa Collins both of this city, were united in marriage at St. Mary's church on Saturday morning. Rev. Father Smyth performed the ceremony with mass. The bride's dress was of dark marroon colored silk with velvet trimming and white hat. The bridesmaid, Miss Celia Ryan of New York, was attired in a neat fitting suit of terra cotta color. Mr. John McNally, a nephew of the bride, performed the duties of best man. A reception was tendered the newly-wedded couple at the residence of Mr. P. Lynch on Central avenue, Saturday evening.

SUBURBAN SOJOURNERS.

Fanwood Folks Who Have Departed —Bicyclists In a Heap.

There are certain families who pass the Winter in town or down South, and who come to Fanwood for the Summer months; on the other hand, many whose lives run in a quiet groove, remain here during the cold weather, and for the Summer seek some cooler clime. These last are leaving Fanwood very rapidly. Mr. Julian Hawthorne and his family in all its ramifications left Fanwood behind them last week; the house of Hall adds its quota to those of the departed; add thereto Mr. A. D. Shepard and the rest of the Shepards, and it will be seen that the population of Fanwood is very materially decreasing. Meanwhile, the people who stay behind, will if former experiences are to be trusted, have an opportunity before the Summer is over to indulge in at least one broad, capacious, and comprehensive smile. For as a matter of fact, Scotch Plains is, on the whole, just about as cool as the average Summer resort, excluding of course, sea-side watering places. Within a mile of the Netherwood Hotel, it would seem that most of the natural advantages that operate to make that resort a popular one are to be found in the village lying close at its side. *Query*: Do the natives of Newport and Bar Harbor go away for the Summer?

There is a story somewhere of an engine at full speed, pursued by another engine going at the same rate, which is in its turn followed by a "special" whose engineer has lost control of the locomotive. Something of the same sort occurred here last week, but on a much milder scale. That youthful bicyclist, Mr. Howard Sayre, was engaged in discussion with his brothers of the wheel, Messrs. Harry W. Hall and Edwin Fancher. An amiable difference of opinion arose, wherein the youthful Sayre incurred the amiable wrath of his associates, and it was agreed to inflict amiable vengeance upon him. He fled; *exeunt* in hot pursuit Fancher and Hall with all the power they could bring to bear, the three wheelmen went spinning around the Baptist church corner, right on into the village, when alas, an obstruction appeared ahead; the unfortunate Sayre, unable to stop himself, went down in a heap, and in another instant the other two were on top, and there was a confusion of small boy, bicycle, caps and exultant shouts. Strangely enough no bones were broken.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERER.

Plainfield Defeats New Brunswick.

The generally good support given pitcher Cadmus by the Crescent's field, saved their defeat by the New Brunswicks, on Saturday. Thirty-seven times were the latter at the bat, and thirty-six times they hit the ball. But the fielding was so sharp the visitors seldom reached first base, and when they did had to stay there for fear of the Cadmus' brothers who shut them out, if they dared leave it.

The game opened badly for the Crescents, but after a rattling that let in three of the N. B's, Lee caught a hot liner in the finger-tips of one hand, that braced up the Plainfielders and thereafter, their playing was better. The visitors had hard luck, but the decisions were all in their favor. The umpire was H. Cadmus, brother of the Crescents battery.

This was the score:

CRESCENTS.	R.	O.	1B.	PO.	A.	E.
G. Cadmus, c	4	1	2	3	3	3
Lee, 3b	1	3	1	4	2	1
Murray, lf	3	2	0	1	0	0
McMurray, 1b	2	2	1	10	1	2
McCutchen, 2b	1	1	2	5	3	2
Demarest, cf	0	3	2	2	0	1
Cornwall, ss	0	5	0	2	5	3
Doane, rf	1	4	0	0	0	0
W. Cadmus, p	0	3	1	0	3	0
	12	24	9	27	17	12
NEW BRUNSWICKS.						
Rice, 1b	2	3	2	9	0	5
Rastall, ss	1	4	0	0	4	1
Feller, c	3	1	2	10	0	0
Bedford, p	1	4	1	0	8	0
Wilson, cf	1	1	0	0	0	1
Taylor, 2b	0	4	1	4	1	0
Gilbert, rf	1	3	0	0	0	0
Clark, lf	1	3	1	0	0	0
Deshler, 3b	0	4	0	1	0	2
	10	27	7	24	13	9

CRESCENTS	3	3	1	0	0	1	0	4	*	—12
NEW BRUNSWICKS	3	0	0	0	0	2	0	2	3	—10

Earned runs—Crescents, 3. Struck out—by Cadmus, 1; by Bedford, 7. Left on bases—Crescents, 8; New Brunswicks, 3. Three base hits—G. Cadmus. Flies caught—Crescents, 9; New Brunswicks, 4. Fouls caught—Crescents, 2; New Brunswicks, 6.

Reform Club Meeting.

There was a fair attendance at the Reform Club meeting, last evening. Vice President Harper presided, and Mrs. King led the singing, Freeholder Vanderbeek assuming the management of the choir later. Mr. George M. Angleman led in prayer.

The speaker announced for the evening was Mr. S. A. Haines of Netherwood, who arrived at the hall late. His address was one of the best ever listened to, and should have been heard by a crowded house. The learned speaker dwelt upon the rise, growth and future of temperance reform, and bore down upon an organized industry—the liquor traffic—in its efforts to overthrow the liberty of the people. Mr. Haines presented some startling facts, showing how the drink habit interfered with manufacturing industries. One iron manufacturer, he said, had told him that if there was no drinking, the cost of product in this particular line of business would be at least 15 per cent. cheaper. He gave other apt illustrations of a similar nature.

Mr. Haines will probably repeat his address in Reform Hall in the course of a few weeks, when he will be greeted by a large audience. The meeting closed with the doxology.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

EXCITED ITALIANS.

Societies Up in Arms Against the Pauper Immigration Bill.

NEW YORK, July 23.—All the Italian socities, civic and military, of New York, Boston and Philadelphia, are greatly stirred up over the Pauper Immigration bill brought forward by Congressman Ford of Michigan, and are hastily getting together a committee to meet the Congressional Investigating Committee that is expected in this city on Wednesday next.

They claim that both press and public are greatly mistaken in supposing the padrone system to be in vogue in this country now and that immigrants are brought over here under contract. The Philadelphia contingent issued a circular in that city a few days ago calling upon all its members to attend a mass meeting to-day and prepare for war.

They claim that the American press has undertaken a war against them and is influencing the American Government against them, and want all Italians of whatever political opinions to unite at this supreme moment and take measures for protection.

Felice Tocci, banker and editor of L'Eco d Italia, read with a number of his countrymen, the circular yesterday and said that its fiery tone was due solely to the fact that the composers of it were not able to express their ideas clearly English. He said that a number of Italians who are not members of the colony and are inimical to it have been spreading stories about the padrone and contract systems being still in force here and that a number of speculators in Italy persuade hundreds of their people to immigrate solely for the $3 or $4 commission they receive on each steamship ticket sold.

These false brethren, Mr. Tocci says, are the people against whom the societies mean war, not the Americans. He also says that it is absurd to believe that the padrones still exist in this country. Every village in Southern Italy has one or more representatives here, and the people thoroughly understand from the letters they receive from their friends and relatives here that in America they are perfectly free and under no man's control.

The 30,000 Italians who landed in New York during the last three months have, according to Mr. Tocci, all been provided for, most of them going West to work on the railroads, and it would be hard to find a gang of 100 Italian laborers in the city now. The New York members of the general committee will be chosen at the mass meeting to be held here to-morrow night at some hall not yet decided upon.

At a meeting held last Tuesday night the delegates of the 60 New York Italian societies decided to abolish the emigration society managed by private parties, and ordered that the benevolent society supported by the Italian colony at large also act as an emigration society, charging no fees for services rendered to the emigrants.

A GREAT DEBATE.

St. Louis the Theatre for a great Tariff Discussion.

ST. LOUIS, July 23.—The Supreme council of the Legion of Honor here have taken steps towards securing a series of entertainments that will undoubtedly attract the attention of the whole country.

One of the constitutionally expressed objects of this well-known order is to afford educational advantages to its members. It is proposed to secure Music hall for six addresses on the tariff question, three from such eminent Democrats as Speaker Carlisle, S. S. Cox, R. Q. Mills and Henry Watterson, and three from such eminent Republicans as James G. Blaine, Thomas B. Reed, Wm. McKinley and Gov. Foraker.

To prevent all partisan advantage in the management of these entertainments the executive committee that will have charge of the matter is composed of the supreme chancellor of the Legion and three Democrats and three Republicans.

Music hall will seat about 5,000 persons, and as the admissions will be limited to the members of the Legion and to applicants for membership and the ladies accompanying them, the audience will be of a kind that even the eminent orators named are not accustomed to addressing. The fact that one-half of each audience will differ in belief with the orator addressing it, will, it is believed, eliminate all partisanship from the thoughts presented, and secure an able, dignified and statesmanlike discussion of the greatest question of the day.

In addition to the wide dissemination these addresses still have through the columns of the local press, the Legion of Honor will print them for the use of its members, and then turn the electrotype plates over to the State committees of the two parties, so that the pleasure and the benefit of the six addresses will be shared by all the people of the great Southwest.

Influential friends of Mr. Blaine and Mr. Carlisle have already promised to secure those gentlemen for speeches, and the high character of the Legion of Honor, its large membership now exceeding 4,000 in number, and the hearty support the leading politicians of the State, of both parties, will give to this movement, all unite in the promise that these meetings will be highly successful.

The Seventy-First at Bull Run.

WASHINGTON, July 23.—The Seventy-first Regiment of New York celebrated the anniversary of the battle of Bull Run at that place and yesterday in fine style. Many visitors from Richmond and this city were present. The regiment will arrive here to-day and will be received by the President. They will visit points of interest and leave for home to-morrow afternoon. They number about 400 and are under command of Colonel Kopper.

Baseball Games Played Sunday.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT BROOKLYN.

Athletic	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—4
Brooklyn	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	*	—3

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 22, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	44	25
Detroit	43	25
New York	41	27
Boston	36	35
Philadelphia	33	42
Indianapolis	25	42
Pittsburg	25	38
Washington	23	45

ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost
Brooklyn	48	25
St. Louis	46	23
Athletic	41	28
Cincinnati	44	27
Baltimore	32	38
Louisville	25	46
Kansas City	21	48
Cleveland	24	45

BURGLARS on Saturday night ransacked the railway station at South Framingham, Mass., and carried off almost everything of value.

JOSEPH MASON, treasurer of a Redding, Cal., mining company, committed suicide Sunday morning by blowing himself into atoms with fifty pounds of giant powder.

THE Executive Committee of the National American party is sending out from Washington circulars calling all Americans to unite and send delegates to the convention to be held in Washington August 16.

WILLIAM M. GIBSON, collector for Mellon Brothers, real estate agents, of Pittsburg, Pa., has disappeared with $705 belonging to the firm. A letter from him, dated Canada, leads to the opinion that he has gone to Canada. He was treasurer of the Park Avenue Presbyterian church, and had no known bad habits.

Boulanger Probably Defeated.

PARIS, July 23.—Partisans generally believe that General Boulanger has been defeated in the election which took place in the Department of Archede yesterday, but the result of the polling will probably not be fully known before to-morrow. Only the Reactionaries support Boulanger now, and they comprise a minority of the voting strength of the department.

Mrs. Parnell Will Attend.

BORDENTOWN, N. J., July 23.—Mrs. Delia Stewart Parnell has promised to attend the open-air convention of the Universal Peace Union, at Mystic, Conn., on August 15 to 17.

Troubles of Knights.

TROY, N. Y., July 23.—The old armory in this city, sold to the Knights of Labor several years ago for $13,000, has been taken possession of by the State authorities, the purchasers having defaulted on the interest. The Knights had paid $3,000 of the purchase price.

SPORTING NOTES.

THE Quaker City Yacht Club's postponed regatta will be sailed over again Sept. 28.

THE well-known cycling tourist, Rev. Sylvanus Stall, has assumed charge of a Baptist church in this city.

CHAS. B. SHANNON and Thomas Drinsmade, two Cleveland bicyclists, started from that city June 22 for a trip to Boston awheel.

The New Jersey Kennel Club propose holding their annual bench show in Jersey City, and claim Feb. 12 to 15 for the same. This will be the week before the Westminster Kennel Club show to be held in New York.

ON the Paramatta course, in Australia, James Stansbury and Julius Wolf, antipodean scullers of note, rowed a match for £100 a side. Stansbury won easily. The well-known English sculler, George Perkins, trained the winner.

HENRY PETERSON, of California, and William Payne, of Victoria, B. C., rowed single scull for $1,000 and the championship of the Pacific slope. The race was three miles and a turn, and Peterson won, coming in twelve lengths ahead.

JACK HAVLIN, of Boston, and Frank Murphy, of England, who are matched to fight for the light-weight championship of the world, cannot agree upon a ground. Naturally each man wants selected a spot where the police will not interfere, as each expects to win.

TEMPLE, the American bicyclist, met with a serious accident while practicing at Amsterdam, Monday. He was going at top speed, when he fell from his bicycle, striking the ground heavily. He lay insensible for four hours, and was delirious during the night. No bones are broken, but he is fearfully bruised.

DOMINICK MCCAFFREY was over to New York to see Jack Dempsey relative to another ten-round glove contest. Dempsey is willing, but demands a very large money guarantee. McCaffrey wants Dempsey to take even chances with himself. A compromise is probable. It is proposed to have the fight at Gloucester City.

PATSY CARDIFF and Pat Killen entered what what was to have been a fifteen round contest, Queensberry rules, with two-ounce gloves. Cardiff led and pushed the fighting until near the end of the fourth round, when a lucky blow from Killen's right hand laid him on the ground partly dazed. He tried to rise, but could not within the required ten seconds, and the fight, which lasted a few seconds less than fifteen minutes, was awarded to Killen.

SOMEHOW or other Pat Killen doesn't seem to fancy a fight with Mike Conley, the Ithaca Giant, and after promising to give him one, he now tells him to go and get a record. Conley declares that Killen's challenge of Kilrain is merely a bluff, and he offers a bounty of $250 to any one who will induce Killen to fight him. It is not so very long ago since Pat would have been willing to take the chances of getting a pretty good thumping for less than $250. However, there is no one so uppish as a fighter who has just scored a victory.

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WHY toll fire alarm cells when a good man dies?

THE cheeky man is one of metal—usually brass.

CORNERS are as difficult in the street cars as in the markets.

A CORNER in honey—behind a screen at a party with a pretty girl.

WHEN is a record not a record? When it is a Congressional Record.

IT is claimed by old hunters that a rabbit trail is merely a hare line.

FOR a man to think he will live forever is the mistake of a man's lifetime.

IN leap year it is nothing strange to read of female lawyers going courting.

The centennarian may not be a musician, but he is certainly beating time.

IF the the early cucumber is ever cramped for space it makes its wants felt.

THE dressmaker, like the suburban farmer, makes money on the out-skirts.

A FALSE chord of music is a discord. A false cord of wood is about seven-eighths.

It doesn't bother lawyers to see breakers ahead—that is, if they are law-breakers.

WALL street men love dogs. At least they are very fond of pointers on the market.

WHEN a barber cuts a slice off your neck you feel like getting up and lathering him.

TIME waits for no man because some men are so long in coming to time, we suppose.

TALK is cheap. If talk were dear we should have less trouble and more work in Congress.

Happiness is only relative, and some people find that it is a very distant relative indeed.

"FINE day," said the judge, as the seventy-fifth man went through the mill for "$5 and costs."

QUEEN ELIZABETH of Roumania, having written a ballet, is now trying to dance a novelette.

AN English paper asks: "Should men sew?" They should mend, we think, but not sew. It is never too late to mend.

THAT Tennessee clergyman who inherited a fortune of $8,000,000 now asserts that the story of Dives is an "interpolation."

SOME men become bald quite early in life, while others die and have their wills offered for probate before their heirs fall out.

THE cold-water party prides itself on consistency, which accounts for the nomination of a man named Brooks for the Vice-Presidency.

Teacher—"What advantage had the old Greeks over us, Hans?" Hans (drawing a long breath)—"They did not have to learn Greek.

VERY often the man who "boils with indignation" one day simmers with regret the next morning, especially if his wrath be put in cold type.

Young Wife—"John, mother says she wants to be cremated." Young husband—"Tell her if she'll get on her things I'll take her down this morning.

NOTHING can equal the postage stamp for evenness of temper and calm. You can lick it till it perspires in every pore, but it won't even change color.

"INQUIRER" wants to know how some men who have moderate salaries can live so high. It is all in the management, my boy. They tell collectors to call again.

"And Nature Smiled."

The above combination of the tree and the moon was purely accidental, but it dampened the ardor of the lovers for that evening.—[Life.

Another Brute.

Edward—I suppose you learned at Vassar the inexplicable difference between the anatomy of the dog and that of other animals?

Sophia (who has just been graduated with an M. D.)—Why—er—no, that I remember. What is it?

Edward—His lungs are the seat of his pants. [Life.

Charitable.

Daughter—There's that Madame de Brassy. She says the meanest things possible of us, as, indeed, of everybody.

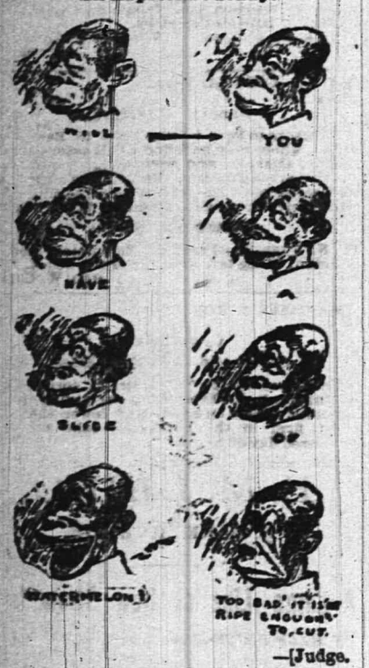
Mamma—Oh, we won't mind that, my dear; perhaps she doesn't know enough English to speak the truth. [Life.

At the Club.

Jack Hardup (who always forgets to repay)—I say, old fellow, lend me a dollar, will you? I have nothing but a large bill in my pocket.

Friend (who has been caught before)—Whose is it, your tailor's?

An Expressive Study.



—[Judge.

Congratulating Themselves.

First Undertaker: Well, we can't complain much of dullness of business.

Second Undertaker: No, it is true we have no cholera or yellow fever this summer, but there's a very encouraging epidemic of the mind-cure in places.—[Life.

The Right Answer.

Teacher (to class)—Why is procrastination called the thief of time?

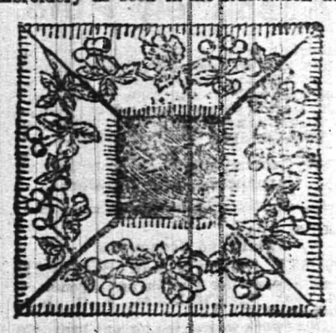
Boy (at foot of class)—Because it takes a person so long to say it. [Life.

HOUSEHOLD TOPICS.

PRETTY DESIGN FOR NAPKINS OR MATS AND ITS USE ON THE TABLE.

The Disuse that the Castor has Fallen Into Demands New Mats—How to Make a Rolling-Pin Head Rest—Topics That Will Have Especial Interest for Women—A Process for Removing Varnish.

Now that it is customary to have fruits, flowers, the vinegar cruet, or salt and pepper bottles placed in the centre of the dining table instead of large castors, pretty devices for this purpose are made of linen to lay on the cloth. Some of these are elaborately embroidered. The design seen in our illustration consists simply of a large damask napkin, folded and crimped up in such a manner as to almost lose its identity. The napkin should be starched and ironed perfectly smooth. First fold the four corners over to meet in the centre. The space left in the middle by turning the four corners under should be determined by the size of the flower or fruit dish that is to be set on it; now iron these folds in, and crimp the edges around with a knife. When a plain napkin is used, lay a pink or blue doily in the space in the centre. The embroidery as seen in the illustration adds



considerable to the appearance of the device, and requires but very little work. The cherries are stamped on, and are outlined with cardinal and olive floss. It should be laid diagonally across the table.

A Comfortable Head Rest.

THE cushion shown herewith is called the "rolling pin," rest on account of its similarity to the well-known kitchen utensil of that name. It can be made of any serviceable color of "midnight yarn." It is knit in what is termed the basket pattern, that is, four stitches of plain knitting, four turned, and so on. First a cushion is made of curled hair or feathers the desired size. Then the cover is knit to fit snugly around it. Join the

ROLLING-PIN HEAD-REST.

edges and gather the ends closely together. Two very full tassels are made to resemble pompons for the ends. These are trimmed so that they are round; the upper part of the tassel is wound around to make it smooth. These are sewed firmly on. A ribbon is tied around these and through the back of the chair to keep it in place.

HOUSEHOLD NOTES.

MANY physicians strongly object to wash basins that are connected with sewer pipes. Even with the best plumbing they should, if used at all, be placed in an adjoining closet or dressing-room. Doubtless the safest lavatory that has been devised for bed-chambers is a set basin with faucets for hot and cold water and with a papier mache pail placed beneath the drainage pipe. The pail should be emptied every morning and scalded with boiling water.

Of course, the set comprising ewer and basin with a water-jar of china to correspond is always a safe and often an ornamental part of the chamber furniture. The commonest of delf, stone, china or crockery is sure to be ornamented with pretty bands or with dashes of color that suggest blossoms and foliage.

The most artistic and fashionable chamber set consists of a bask of Russian or Japanese lacquer, a large and a small pitcher or jug of pa nted china, fanciful soap and brush holders of glass, china or lacquer and two or three glasses in amber, opal or rose color. The waste jar may be a large ribbed plant vase of deep red, gold or blue, or it may be the regulation water jar with a cover. If the latter is tall and ample, no other piece of china is needed for toilet purposes. If the plant jar receives waste water, a commode is recommended. The bit of furniture can easily be made at home; it consists of a common unpainted box with two lids, one for a seat and the other for a cover. It may be covered slip fashion or permanently with cretonne to match the colors of the chamber, and brass castors will be found a convenient addition.

Window seats, made with hammer and nails in the same non-professional hands, should have hinged lids with ruffled edges to conceal their closing. These seats are convenient receptacles for shawls, bonnets, shoes, etc., and will often be covered with attractive movable cushions.

Sometimes the lounge is simply a long box mounted on six or eight casters and opening by means of a fringed lid or a drawer at the back. This box lounge makes a good receptacle for a woman's best gowns, which are always most perfectly protected from wrinkles and stringiness if laid in an ample place. The lounge should also have a movable cushion. Two soft pillows should be placed at one end, and if it is to be set against the wall three other pillows should provide a comfortable back. Much elegance and comfort can be gained from the exterior of such a lounge and almost as much satisfaction from its long, deep drawers. If its covers are made slip fashion, the laundry will renew them as often as neatness requires.

Table covers for bed-rooms are made of wool sateens, unbleached linens, momie cloths, etc., and decorated with painted or hand-wrought traceries or, perhaps, with jute or ribbon borders set near their round edges. Mantle covers may be of cretonne or they may match the table covers.

Many house-furnishers like matting upon chamber floors, though no satisfactory reason can be given for this preference. It is true matting does not show dust quickly, and this may be an advantage in the eyes of a slattiess house-mistress; but the fact is that the dust of the bed room merely sifts through the matting and accumulates upon the floor beneath, so that sanitary precautions require the frequent washing of such a floor. The surface of the matting should be wiped once a week with a clean cloth wrung from salted cold water. A dry, sunny day is best for this work, and the windows should be left wide open for some time afterward.

It is a mistake to select upholstered furniture for a chamber. Cane or willow chairs and lounges are most wholesome, and next to them come seats covered by a finely woven, smooth material and not heavily padded. Fashion as well as health counsels the use of movable cushions for chairs and sofas. They can easily be renovated by beating them in the open air, and their appearance may be made artistic by covers of sateen or cretonne. Only to elderly persons of means does fashion allow bed-spreads and furniture covers of satin or other sumptuous material.

FASHION NOTES.

The Russian nets which were so fashionable last winter are used again in the dancing dresses to be worn at watering places the coming season. The draped corsage with puffed elbow sleeves make this sort of costume dressy and attractive. Russian net is of mohair not silk.

Made in strictly Directoire style the skirt of dresses hang full from the belt which is high up under the arms and no sort of prominent bustle is worn, stiffly starched skirts giving the needed tournure.

Class day costumes are now in order and the wise maiden who has gown ready before the hot days come will have occasion to bless he forehandedness. The possibilities of a lovely costume for the gala occasion of a Harvard-class day are perhaps greater than for any other of the year's festivities. This is partly because of the great liberty allowed in the selection of material, anything gossamer, if it be dainty, becoming and made in style will answer quite well its purpose.

The Empire costume will without doubt prove the most attractive style in which to make the costume for class day and for young girls of slender figure. They will prove very attractive. This mode lends itself to almost any material equally well, if it be soft and pliant.

A charming mode for white costumes is the plain full skirt with surplice waist and elbow sleeves. The soft, wide girdle sash is the means of relieving the extreme severity of the costume, and adds to its gracefulness.

The Empire fichu is cut in pointed shape with a wide ruffle of lace extending about its entire length. It is tied in a bow or simply a knot in front. This fichu is an exceedingly pretty accompaniment to the gown of the same period, and may be made in the same fabric as the costume.

Our attention has lately been drawn to an original thing in summer materials, which is certain to attract the interest of ladies generally who like a change. The stuff in question is a sort of a fine voile made in all the new shades, slate color, beige, greyish green, copper-red, lilac, etc.; it is figured in large tartan checks, done in colors which harmonize splendidly with the foundation tone.

Leather or leather-colored silk is at present highly in fashion for trimming elegant promenade toilettes. Thus, for instance, in our illustration the royal blue poplin dress has deerskin waistcoat, sleeves and skirt trimming, which can be replaced by cloth of the same color. The dark blue straw hat is trimmed with leather-colored bows, and feathers to match. Blue parasol with leather brown bows.

London fashions in riding habits are being adopted here this season as a matter of course, and the linen duck suits which have proved themselves so convenient and cool for summer riding are seen in very attractive models. Brown and gray are the colors most liked since these show the dust less than others, although a leading London tailor exports a habit of yellow nankeen with white facings which has a very chic air. The pointed bodice with short square postillion in the back is the most stylish basque, and this is buttoned down the front with small round buttons of bullet shape.

Yachting costumes are growing each year more and more elaborate and elegant as the entertaining of yachting parties becomes more the fashion. Three or four costumes are not thought too many to wear on ship board and each should be a finished work of art in itself. Chudder cloth makes a beautiful and a very durable yachting costume, and as it now may be found in various appropriate tints it is used instead of English serge which was formerly considered the only yachting cloth.

Real gold braid is the only kind which will stand the dampness of a sea voyage and in consequence the fashionable trimming for a yachting costume of necessity comes high. The sailor collar on a yachting jacket or blouse has two crossed anchors on the lapels wrought in gold threads, and the jaunty cap with a visor has the same emblem in the front. The cap is of the same material as the costume and may be of any convenient form. A broad silk tie in white finishes such a costume for the yacht.

Summer Dresses.

Inexpensive dresses suitable alike for morning and afternoon wear in summer are made of the fine all-wool challis which are sold for 50 cents a yard, or of those that are partly cotton at 18 to 25 cents. Sixteen yards are required, and the foundation skirt and waist lining need not be of silk, the fine white cotton silesia answering as well, or else white mohair at 25 cents a yard may be used for the skirt. These come in white grounds or in Gobelin blue, or else dark navy blue, with small figures or stripes of color, and the only trimming needed is ribbon about

half wide, the color of the figure, which forms pretty bows, and is put on the edge of drapery and footed pleating to represent a wide selvage. The basque is usually gathered on the shoulders and at the waist line, and is striped lengthwise, with the ribbon going over the shoulders like bretelles, then coming from under the arms and lower down in the side seam to form a pointed girdle. To cover the collar and the wristbands with ribbon gives character to such dresses.

White Bonnets.

White bonnets for dressy summer wear are of the new fancy chip braids that have double rows of loops. Some of these have a wide open space between the brim and the crown, which is filled in with a puff of white lisse from ear to ear; others have a cluster of white roses outside and inside the front at the point above the forehead, and loops of white velvet ribbon come forward from the back of the crown. If a touch of color is preferred for white chips, the sides are covered by pink roses without foliage, surmounted by an Alsatian bow of black ribbon velvet dropping in two loops on the sides, and there are short strings of black velvet. This bonnet is said to be appropriate with almost any dress that is fashionable this season, alike as a morning or an afternoon costume.

A SCARF, a sash, or a girdle finds its place on every stylish costume this season, unless it be for elderly ladies. A polonaise is the most elegant and stylish mode for almost any material in making the costume.

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STRIPED GOODS SUIT THE FANCIES OF THE LADIES THIS SEASON.

Sun's Veiling and Tulles are in Great Demand Both for Dresses and Bonnets—Some Entertaining Whims of Fair Women. Descriptions of the Bonnets that are Depleting the Purses of the Pater-Familias.

RED, white and blue, the national colors prevail in seasonable toilettes. They are used singly for the entire costume, or in combinations of any two of the colors, in stripes, and there are also white serges with plaids or merely crossbars of both red and blue together. The white serges of fine quality with stripes or bars of color are chosen for morning toilettes at the seashore, while for afternoon and evening are sheer wool crepelines in cream white, pale blue, yellow or rose color. Red wools in the brightest poppy shades, also the dull copper hues, are in favor for dresses for all hours of the day, and are lightened by a soft blouse vest of white crepe and accordeon-pleated panels. Some very dashing gowns are imported of wide diagonal red wool with white plaid borders, and others, the reverse of this, have the ground white with the border in red bars, or merely as stripes along the selvage. The finest white diagonals have either even stripes of blue or red, or else cluster stripes made up of several hair lines of different colors. For less showy dresses there are shadowy stripes woven diagonally, partly of a color and partly white, giving very tasteful effects.

THE WHIMS OF FAIR WOMEN.

Paper fabric will actually take the place of genuine cloth to a slight extent in the forthcoming summer toilets. A modification of what we used to call Fedora fronts is in fashion. But the rather startling novelty about it is that the chemisette, or at least a portion of it disclosed between the front edges of the jacket, is composed of paper, stamped and cut in imitation of lace and embroidery. This innovation was premeditated, to the extent that orders were sent to China more than a year ago for the manufacture of the stuff in the fibrous sort of paper produced only in that country. Thus it is that the masculine example of paper collars and cuffs has been followed, in an idealized manner, by a feminine acceptance of paper chemisettes. The paper looks exactly like soft, unlaundered linen and is quite tough enough, it is well to say, to prevent easy accidents in the way of rents. Patterns are ingenious imitations, not only of plain, fine muslin, but of lace. That is timely, because there is a tendency to use lace more generously with demi-toilets for the afternoon. Some ladies are returning to the handsome real laces so long laid aside, while the merchants still find their best profit in the fine hand-woven imitation laces so long popular. Gauzes, net, blond, and silk muslins, together with ribbons, are combined with frills and jabots of lace in plastrons, vests, and fichus of various kinds.

A lady thus severely criticised one of Mrs. James Brown Potter's costumes. "In 'The Lady of Lyons' Mrs. Potter has undertaken to introduce originality into the Directoire costumes of the period of the play. Mrs. Potter is a long-limbed beauty, well enough adapted to the short-waisted dresses in question, but in her efforts at variation from the usual thing she has, in one instance, run into the grotesque. The waists of all these gowns, as you know, stop short within two or three inches of the arm pit, and from that point to the feet stretches a length of drappery unbroken, save when the wearer introduces rectangles by sitting down. These rigs are graceful enough in a pose, but motion is pretty certain to render them awkward. We have become so accustomed to hanging our skirts at the waist, and our ideas of graceful deconotion are so associated with that division of the feminine anatomy that it strikes us as absurd to see a skirt hang from the breast line, and not to be agitated at all until a point a third of the way down is reached, when the wearer begins to walk. Now, Mrs. Potter, or the designer of her wardrobe, seems to have been struck by the idea that miniature coattails attached to a very abbreviated jacket would impart interest to one of her costumes. The result is not a success. When she faces the audience in this particular robe the outlines are acceptable to artistic judgment, but when she turns around and shows her back, the incipient coattai s hanging over her shoulder blades—for all the world like the comic short coat of a negro minstrel, so familiar in burnt cork fun—the spectators are inclined to titter, notwithstanding that the fair Pauline is at that moment listening to Claude Melnotte's poetic description of Lake Como. If Mrs. Potter is wise, she will take a pair of shears and cut those tails off her jacket; and if any feminine observer is at all inclined to copy that costume for summer wear, let me assure her that she will not excite admiration."

Tulle Bonnets.

Tulle bonnets are chosen to match the color of the dress, and are made pleasantly light for mid-summer wear, as they dispense with all heavy frames, and with still heavier jets or other beaded trimmings, consisting of careless folds, puffs and twists of tulle across a frame of thread-like wire and for decoration only one large poppy with a smaller bud and a bunch of long spiked green leaves. This posy of poppies is placed low far back on the left side, and sometime a bunch of the leaves is laid flat across the top from side to side. A pale green tulle bonnet has a scarlet poppy and bud, while a dark green tulle has a posy of yellow poppies. Black tulle bonnets have a fleur-de-lis, or a white daffodil, or yellow jonquil cluster with the leaves tied together. Pink point d'esprit bonnets and others of dark blue net have white carnations, or else white daffodils, arranged in the English posies already described.

The Greek Bonnet.

The Greek bonnet is introduced to wear with Empire costumes that are nothing if not classic in their draperies. There is a low turban-shaped bonnet with three Greek fillets across the top, holding soft puffs of lace or tulle between, and sometimes forming the only covering above the hair. A white and gold bonnet has the puffs and soft crown of Valenciennes or of Oriental lace held by three gilt bandeaux, with the Greek key pattern carved upon them. The only trimming is fan-like bows of lace on top, with lace-strings. Another Grecian bonnet has three bronze-like bands, with the space between quite open, leaving the hair uncovered, and edged in front and along the crown with pink roses; an aigrette formed of rose leaves completes the bonnet; the strings are bronze velvet ribbon. Similar bonnets of black tulle have jet bands, and those of light colored tulles have darker ribbon fillets across the head.

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Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.25, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.28, 5.05, 5.45, 6.47, 8.15, 8.50, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

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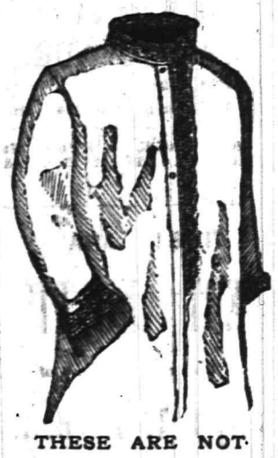

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Message by the President Discussing Reform.

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The Scope of the Reform and Its Purposes Misapprehended—Partisans of the Patronage System — Alleged Faithlessness of Public Officers—Annoyances to Executive Officers.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The President sent to Congress to-day the following message:

To the Congress of the United States:

Pursuant to the second section of chapter 27 of the laws of 1883, entitled "An act to regulate and improve the civil services of the United States," I herewith transmit the fourth report of the United States Civil Service Commission, covering the period between the sixteenth day of January, 1886, and the first day of July, 1887.

During the time covered by the report 15,852 persons were examined for admission in the classified civil service of the government in all its branches; of whom 10,746 persons passed the examination and 5,106 failed. Of those who passed the examination 2,977 were applicants for admission to the departmental service at Washington, 2,547 were examined for admission to the postal service. During the same period 537 appointments were made from the eligible lists to the departmental service, 641 to the customs service, and 3,254 to the postal service.

Concerning separations from the classified service the report only informs us of such as have occurred among employees in the public service rules. When these rules took effect they did not apply to the persons then in the service, comprising a full complement of employees who obtained their positions independently of the law. The commission has no record of the separations in this numerous class, and the discrepancy apparent in the report between the number of appointments made in the respective branches of the service from the lists of the commission, and the small number of separations mentioned is, to a great extent, accounted for by vacancies of which no report was made to the commission, occurring among those who held their places without examination and certification, which vacancies were filled by appointment from the eligible list.

In the departmental service there occurred between the 16th day of January, 1886, and the 30th day of June, 1887, among the employees appointed from the eligible lists under civil service rules, seventeen removals, thirty-six resignations and five deaths. This does not include fourteen separations in the grade of special pension examiners, four by removal, five by resignation and five by death. In the classified customs and postal service the number of separations among those who receive absolute appointments under civil service rules, are given for the period between the 1st day of January, 1888, and the 13th day of June, 1887. It appears that such separations in the customs service for the time mentioned embraced twenty-one removals, five deaths and eighteen resignations, and in the postal service 256 removals, twenty-three deaths and 469 resignations.

More than a year has passed since the expiration of the period covered by the report of the commission. Within the time which has thus elapsed many important changes have taken place in the furtherance of a reform in our civil service. The rules and regulations governing the violators of the law upon the subject have been completely remodelled in such a manner as to render the enforcement of the statute more effective and greatly increase its usefullness.

Among other things, the scope of the examinations prescribed for those who seek to enter the classified service has been better defined and more practical; the number of names to be certified from the eligible lists, to the appointing officers from which a selection is made has been reduced from four to three; the maximum limitation of the age of persons seeking entrance to the classified service to 45 years have been changed, and reasonable provision has been made for the transfer of employees from one department to another in proper cases. A plan has also been devised for the examination of applicants for promotion in the service which, when in full operation, will eliminate all chance of favoritism in the advancement of employees by making promotion a reward of merit and faithful discharge of duty.

Until within a few weeks there was no uniform classification of employees in the different executive departments of the government. As a result of this condition, in some of the departments positions could be obtained without civil service examination because they were not within the classification of such department, while in other departments an examination and certification were necessary to obtain positions of the same grade, because such positions were embraced in the classifications applicable to those departments.

The exception of laborers, watchmen and messengers from examination and classification gave opportunity in the absence of any rule guarding against it, for the employment, free from civil service restrictions, of persons under these designations who were immediately detailed to do clerical work. All this has been obviated by the application to all the departments of an extended and uniform classification.

The path of civil service reform has not at all times been pleasant nor easy, the scope and purpose of the reform having been much misapprehended and this has not only given rise to strong opposition, but has led to its invocation by its friends to compass objects not in the least related to it. Thus partisans of the patronage system have naturally condemned it. Those who do not understand its meaning either mistrust it, or when disappointed because in its present stage it is not applied to every real or imaginary ill, accuse those charged with its enforcement with faithlessness to civil service reform. Its importance has frequently been underestimated and the support of good men has thus been lost by their lack of interest in its success. Besides all these difficulties, those responsible for the administration of the government in its executive branches have been and still are often annoyed and irritated by the disloyalty to the service and the insolence of employees who remain in place as the beneficiaries, and the relics or reminders of the vicious system of appointment which civil service reform was intended to displace. And yet there are these incidents of an advance movement which is radical and far-reaching. The people are, notwithstanding, to be congratulated upon the progress which has been made, and upon the firm, practical and sensible foundation upon which this reform now rests.

With a continuation of the intelligent fidelity which has hitherto characterized the work of the commission, with a continuation and increase of the favor and liberality which have lately been evinced by the Congress in the proper equipment of the commission for its work, with a firm but conservative and reasonable support of the reform by all its friends, and with the disappearance of opposition, which must inevitably follow its better understanding, the execution of the civil service law cannot fail to ultimately answer the hopes in which it had its origin.

GROVER CLEVELAND.

Executive Mansion, July 24, 1888.

UNEASINESS.

The Two Emperors Are Considering Asia as Well as Europe.

LONDON, July 23.—The most serious news which has come from St. Petersburg during the visit of the German Emperor is of deep interest to England and if true is calculated to cause no little uneasiness here.

The Russian Foreign Minister, Von Giers, and Count von Bismarck are in frequent conference with each other and are very busy.

It is reported that not only the European situation has been gone over, but Asia has been taken into their deliberation.

In connection with these reports it is to be noted that the British Government has suddenly decided to send 10,000 men into the Black Mountains on the northern border of India, to punish the Akazais for the murder of Col. Battye and Capt. Muston last week.

Manitoba's Indian Revolt.

WINNIPEG, Man., July 24.—The excitement over the Skeena River Indian revolt continues and is more threatening. The Indians have attacked Hudson Bay Fort, and the garrison cannot withstand the seige much longer. Troops now on their way, it is feared, will not reach the fort in time.

The local militia are prepared to start on a moment's notice. General Middleton has been called on to quell this outbreak.

The Metalikatha Indians are reported to be on their way to Hazelton to join the rebels. Those who know the nature of these Indians say the rebellion will be much more serious than that of two years ago.

A Challenge from Ross.

NEW YORK, July 24.—Duncan C. Ross issued a challenge to enter the Boston Caledonia games, which take place in the Hub the latter part of next month, which, if accepted, will be his last appearance in such events.

To-day he deposited $500 with J. C. Kennedy of the Sporting Times and issued a challenge to John McDougal of Nova Scotia to meet him at the Boston Caledonian games in four events: Two tests of throwing the hammer, tossing the caber and wrestling. The challenge is open to whoever else may wish to accept for stakes of at least $500 each.

Gen. Boulanger's Downfall.

PARIS, July 24.—Gen. Boulanger's decline in popularity since his absurd duel with M. Floquet was clearly shown in the recent elections.

His sweeping defeat in Ardeche as candidate for member of the Chamber of Deputies was cabled last night, and similar report comes from the department of D'Ordogne, where the General stood at the bottom of the poll.

The Parnell Inquiry.

LONDON, July 24.—A motion will be made in the House of Commons when the bill for the Parnell commission comes up, to move that the inquiry be limited to the authenticity of Mr. Parnell's letters and the charges made against the members named in the bill.

The motion will have the support of the combined opposition.

River and Harbor Bill Passed.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The Senate has passed the River and Harbor Bill. It now goes to the President.

THE "Q" BOYCOTT.

War will Probably be Opened on the Entire Burlington System.

CHICAGO, July 24.—The Grievance Committee of the Brotherhood of Engineers will meet again to-day to hear further reports from the balloting of the "Q" strikers. It is expected the canvass will be completed by the middle of the week. Quite a large number of the strikers left last night to attend the meeting of engineers, firemen and switchmen to be held at St. Joseph, Mo., to-morrow. The meeting is expected to be the largest assembly of working railroad men ever known in this country. All the great railroad lines of the States and Canada will be represented.

The meeting was called to consider the Burlington strike. It is believed from statements made from the various Brotherhood men that the St. Joe meeting may develop into the preliminary step toward a general boycott being ordered against the "Q." road on August 1, date on which the heavy crop of the States penetrated by the "Q" system will be ready for transfer to market.

McCOOK, Neb. July 24.—Hogg and Murphy were here yesterday and canvassed the subject of calling the strike off.

Without a single dissenting voice the striking engineers and firemen voted to continue the struggle. Hoge and Murphy went to Denver last night. It is understood that the sentiment has been practically unanimous along the route for a continuance of the strike. Several Brotherhood men here went to St. Joe last night to attend a large meeting at that point.

QUINCY, Ill., July 24.—Some of the striking "Q" engineers and firemen are seeking employment in other places. The famous Manufacturing Company, manufacturers of hay presses, put on a night force of about thirty men last night, composed almost entirely of striking railroad men.

Herbert Bismarck Decorated.

ST. PETERSBERG, July 24.—Count Herbert Bismark had an audience with the Czar yesterday lasting one hour and fifteen minutes. The Czar subsequently decorated the Count with the order of St. Alexander Newski, studded with brilliants.

Injured in a Wreck.

BARNESVILLE, O., July 24.—An eastbound freight on the Baltimore & Ohio road, consisting of thirty-five cars jumped the track near Belmont yesterday morning completely demolishing the cars. A brakeman, whose home is in Newark, was fatally injured, and three tramps, stealing a ride, were severely hurt. Loss unknown.

RANDALL'S MALADY.

Physicians do Not Talk Hopefully of His Case.

RECOVERY IS DOUBTFUL.

But on One Point All are Agreed, and That Is that He Has Not Cancer of the Stomach—The Nature of his Disease Kept Secret from Patient and Public.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—The physicians in attendance on Mr. Randall say little as to his actual condition, but there is an impression that his disease is likely to become serious. He has been troubled in the last few years with rheumatic gout, and this lately developed disease is likely to reduce his strength still further, even if it is temporarily checked. In addition to the troubles which he has suffered several ulcerations have developed, and they are under treatment. To-morrow morning the physicians will tell Mr. Randall about the sensational reports about his case, as they fear that he may hear of them and imagine they are deceiving him about his real condition.

The exclusive story about Mr. Randall's rapid progress to the grave, by the assistance of cancer of the stomach, which appeared in one of the New York papers this morning, is so exclusive that neither Mr. Randall, his family, nor his physicians know anything about it. Dr. Mallan, who is attending him, said indignantly that Mr. Randall had neither cancer nor symptoms of cancer nor anything which could be construed to indicate the presence of such a malady.

"We have been treating Mr. Randall," said he, "for hemorrhages from the bowels, and we think that we have them now so well under control that they will not occur again. Their recurrence is a possibility, but not likely, and there is every reason to hope that Mr. Randall will soon be in his usual health again."

Mr. Couts, the clerk of the Appropriations Committee, who has been with Mr. Randall nearly every day for several days, said to-day he had never seemed to him to have any trouble of the kind indicated in the sensation. He went to Mr. Randall's house this morning, talked over Congressional business with him, and without actually mentioning the story had a talk with him about his sickness, in which it was evident that Mr. Randall had no fears of cancer. Afterward Mr. Randall dictated to him more than twenty business letters and read the newspapers. The physicians are satisfied with his progress, and still intend to remove him to a place near his old country residence, where he will have the advantage of better air than Washington affords at present.

PHILADELPHIA, July 24.—Dr. Robert Martin, the regular physician of Samuel J. Randall, says his patient is not suffering from cancer of the stomach, and none of the physicians in the case have ever intimated any such thing. He also said that the physicians, at a consultation recently held, agreed not to inform Mr. Randall of the nature of his disease and not to make it public. All interviews purporting to have been held with the physicians are false. Dr. Mallan denied personally, and with emphasis, an interview reported to have been held with him.

He also asserts, with emphasis, that neither he nor any other physician ever performed an operation on Mr. Randall. He became acquainted with the true nature of his malady last March, and discovered that he had been a very sick man for two or three years without knowing it. He knows nothing of the character of his disease, and it is not desirable that he should. His daughter, Mrs. Lancaster, knows just what the disease is. He never had fistula or hemorrhage before this attack, and never was treated for either. He has an organic disease, but it would not do to talk about it unless the other physicians in the case were consulted about it.

Continuing, he said: "I do not know whether Mr. Randall's disease will or will not prove fatal. I cannot state definitely as to that without consulting my colleagues. He is better than he has been at any time since his attack and will very likely be transferred to Mrs. Cox's residence, Wayne Junction, the latter part of this or the first of next week, if his condition admits of his being transferred."

The doctor's tone and general manner indicated that he had not but little hope that Mr. Randall will ever recover sufficiently to reenter public life.

DEMOCRATS.

Cities Fighting Hard for the New York State Convention.

NEW YORK, July 24.—There was not much news or gossip to be had to-day at the headquarters of the Democratic and Republican National Committees. The carpenters are busy at the Republican headquarters at 21 Fifth avenue, and the building will not be ready for active campaign business for several days. The Democratic Campaign Committee has already begun to send out documents.

The Executive Committee of the Democratic State Committee was in session yesterday afternoon at the Hoffman House. The Campaign Committee will be in working order in a few days. The headquarters of the State Committee will be at the Hoffman House.

There is rivalry between Buffalo and Saratoga for the Democratic State Convention. Buffalo is making another effort to capture a Democratic Convention, and the friends of Buffalo say that a majority of the State Committee have promised to vote for Buffalo. The Saratoga people, however, are fighting for the watering place and are smiling at the boasts of the Buffalo people.

Levi M. Bates Suspends.

NEW YORK, July 24.—Levi M. Bates, the well known dry goods merchant, whose place of business was at the corner of Twenty-third street and Sixth avenue, has been compelled by a series of losses, to close his establishment. When the news of the failure spread about the city yesterday afternoon the trade was greatly surprised, for Mr. Bates had a high standing as a successful business man. The liabilities are large but as yet unknown.

Death of Col. McFarland.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—A telegram was received at the War Office this moning announcing the death last evening of Lieut.-Col. Walter McFarland, Corps of Engineers, at his home in New London, Conn., from rheumatism of the heart.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—Parlor car seats for the First Baptist excursion, are now on sale at Field & Randolph's.

—A special railroad excursion from this city to the Fall of Rome, is advertised in another column.

—Delegates from all the Democratic clubs in the State have have been called to meet in convention at Trenton on August 22 and 23.

—It would no doubt shock many an artist who considers herself a "star," did she ever by accident happen to read that word backward.

—"The Ministering League" of Grace church will be in the chapel from 5 o'clock until 7 P. M., every Wednesday evening, to receive flowers for New York "Flower Mission."

—The city park is beginning to assume a cultivated appearance. The latest improvement is the trimming of the trees of their lower branches. This work is in progress today.

—The beautiful lawn adjoining Mr. George H. Babcock's residence on Eighth street, is handsomely laid out. Some of the most beautiful and choice plants are there to be seen.

—"Al" Manning (colored), of College place, slapped his wife's face last evening, and today it cost him five dollars for the privilege, being the amount of the fine imposed by Judge Suydam.

—Tramps still do congregate in the East end of town. They have been working Fifth, Sixth and other streets, along the vicinity of Richmond; and sleeping under the Berckman Street bridge.

—A meeting of the Tippecanoe Club will be held at the Tippecanoe headquarters on East Front street, this evening. Reports of the Committees will be received and the advisability of erecting a wigwam will then be considered.

—A delegation from Lawrence Lodge, I. O. O. F., of Perth Amboy, visited Plainfield Lodge, No. 44, last evening. The foreigners were cordially received, and speeches with a collation filled up the evening's entertainment as well as the fraternity present.

—A special meeting of the Directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association will be held in Messrs. Jackson & Codington's office this evening. A meeting of the share-holders was held in Cutter's Hall, last evening, but only business of a routine nature was transacted.

A New Process in Hair Cutting.

Mr. Fred G. Hui, the tonsorial artist of No. 24 East Front street, is the only barber in this city who makes a practice of shaving bald headed men, or those who have only a thin growth of hair on their heads. The same process is applied to ladies hair, which often splits on the end or becomes dry. By cutting off the hair, which is hollow like a quill, the growth is stopped, and consequently the strength is gone. Mr. Hui's process is to burn the ends of the hair thus strengthening the same, and making the growth more rapid. He has had experience in Paris and London, and the process is recommended by the best physicians. Candles are imported by him for this express purpose.

An Agreeable Surprise.

Mrs. V. Utzinger of North Plainfield was agreeably surprised at her residence corner of Du r street and Mercer avenue, last evening, the occasion being a surprise party tendered to her by the members and friends of the Ladies Christian Work Society of the German Reformed church. The guests numbered about thirty, who brought with them a handsome gold watch which Miss Anna Ptachinski presented to Mrs. Utzinger on behalf of the Ladies' Christian Work Society. Mrs. Utzinger also received several other gifts. Before parting for their homes the guests were given a bountiful supply of refreshments.

An Attempted Kidnapping.

A man representing himself as a detective came out from New York yesterday and attempted to kidnap a boy named Barry, who resides with his mother in Stiger alley. Officer Lynch arrested the man, but he was subsequently released. It was found that the prisoner was an uncle of the boy, who was desirous of placing him in school, and adopted this method to entice the boy away from home.

THE INQUEST BEGUN.

IMPORTANT STEPS TOWARD CLEARING UP THE WESTFIELD MURDER CASE.

The Testimony of Experts Say the Man was Murdered With a Hammer or Some Other Blunt Instrument—A Diagnosis of the Skull—The Murdered Man a Student in Pennington Seminary and His Name is Edward L. Miller—The Inquest Adjourned Until Wednesday at 2 P. M.

Thus far THE PRESS has been foremost, and in fact has published from day to day the only authentic report of the proceedings connected with the brutal murder perpetrated somewhere in the vicinity of Westfield, and of the finding of the body near Mr. J. W. Lawrence's residence on Sunday, July 15.

At one time, since the finding of the body, a few would-be sensationalists, believed that the body was that of a man named Thomae, who is said to have mysteriously disappeared from Fanwood a few months ago, but who, gossip says, is closely cradled in the exterior (for further particulars apply at this office). But in reality, and furthermore known to be a fact, the murdered man's name is "Edward L. Miller."

THE PRESS yesterday assigned a man as a committee of one to look into the matter. He learned that the deceased was 26 years of age, and that Martin B. Brown, a New York publisher, married a sister of the dead man. It was also ascertained that Miller was a student in Pennington Seminary, and was studying for the ministry. This accounts for the Bible verses found in the clothing.

Another fact established is that he came to Westfield on April 2, and first worked for a Mrs. Sneidecker, having been engaged from Patrick Conner's intelligence office at No. 1 Washington street, New York. Another point given for the benefit of our contemporaries is that the dead man worked for his living during the Summer months, so as to obtain funds and enable him to complete his ministerial course at the Seminary.

At 4:30 o'clock, Coroner Miller called the jury, and the inquest began. The Town rooms, besides containing a dozen reporters, were filled with a crowd of interested persons and curiosity seekers.

CHESTER M. SMITH,

was the first witness called. He testified to walking through the fields in company with Wm. Dallas, on Sunday July 15, exercising their dogs. Three of the dogs went swimming in a lake, and another one wandered off. Presently Mr. Smith said to his companion that the latter's dog was rolling in carrion. Mr. Dallas approached a few feet and was horror stricken to discover the body. They both stood and looked at it for a time. Here the witness described the position of the body, when first discovered. The body lay with the feet pointing toward Lawrence avenue; the left arm was stretched out by the side and the right arm crossed the chest. It was subsequently ascertained that the exact distance from the edge of the woods to where the body was found was exactly 21 paces. Witness was of the opinion that the body could not have been seen for any great distance. There was a slight depression in the ground under the shoulders of the dead man.

William Dallas, who was with Mr. Smith when the body was found, testified substantially as above, and described the condition of the clothing, etc. At the request of a juror he drew a diagram of the location. He thought that a peculiarity connected with the case was the fact that the head and feet were pointing in a direct line to Lawrence avenue.

Dr. Norton L. Wilson, of Elizabeth, the expert, testified to making the post-mortem examination, assisted by County Physician Westcott. He stated that a part of the trunk and limbs lay in a coffin in Casey's morgue, and the skull and other bones were in a pasteboard box. A strong solution of carbolic acid or some other deodorizer covered the bones, and it became necessary to wash them. The veins and ligiments were in a high state of decomposition, and there was scarcely more than a skeleton left. The only flesh remaining was on the feet. The ligaments at the ankle of the right foot had parted; those at the right hip were also gone, and the thigh bone was detached from the socket. The ligaments of the upper vertebra, or spinal column were also gone, but those lower down were intact. The only ones remaining intact were those at the knee joints. Not an organ was left in the frame. Even the tough fibres covering the brain had disappeared.

Covering the trunk was a white shirt. Disturbing the garment, the requisite number of ribs, twenty-four, fell out out intact, some with cartilage attached, and some separated. The skeleton was that of a white male. It measured five feet, two inches, which allowing two or three inches for shrinkage and loss of flesh, would make the victim five feet four or five inches. From appearance of the lower jaw and teeth, the man was about 30 or 35 years of age. The hair was matted together with blood and dirt, and there was little or no trace of the scalp. The hair was dark brown. By a careful examination it was found that no bones were broken except those of the skull and jaw. Neither were there any evidences of gnawing by dogs or other animals. The bones of the face and skull were fractured in over fifty places. The lower jaw bone was broken on the left side at the angle with the ramus of the body. The wisdom tooth was still intact on the left side of the lower jaw. The upper jaw was fractured in several places and one of the front teeth was filled with platina filling; one of the lower teeth, known as the bicuspid tooth was also filled. The teeth were in a fair state of preservation. The bone at the ba of the skull, or these occipital bone, was intact; also the right riotal as well as the right temple bone. At the vertex there was a fracture, and the external table was cracked, the diameter of which was about one inch. The internal table was chipped off in extent to correspond with the external crack. The posteria superior angle was fractured and depressed. The face bones were more or less broken up, most of the injury being on the left side. The skull could not have fallen to pieces. These peculiar fractures were evidently done by a hammer or some other blunt instrument. The first injury was on the vertex.

The doctor said in his judgment the body had been exposed for at least three weeks. He said it was barely possible, but hardly probable that it would decompose as it did in less time.

In answer to a question by a juryman he added, that it would take a succession of vital blows, to cause such injuries. One blow would be sufficient to cause death. In his opinion the person who struck the fatal blow must have stood nearly facing his victim, striking him over the left shoulder. The injury to the face was inflicted after the fatal blow was struck. At no time within the past few weeks has the temperature been so low as to suspend decomposition.

County Physician Westcott was the last witness called. He corroborated the testimony of Dr. Wilson, and in answer to questions said that when he cut open the dead man's trousers pocket, a roll of paper fell out. He picked it up and laid it on the breast. Didn't know whether or not it was a roll of bills, but it was paper of fine fiber. The doctor's testimony varied at one point from that given by the first two witnesses. The doctor said there was but little underbrush, and he was of the opinion that the body could have been seen for a considerable distance. The weeds, he said, were about six inches high. He also thought that the body had been dragged into the woods, but could find nothing to indicate that it had.

At this point in the proceedings, the inquest was adjourned until to-morrow at 2 P. M.

The clothing found on the remains—the suit having been thoroughly cleaned and pressed, and the shirt washed and ironed—will be brought to Westfield by Undertaker Casey, to-morrow. Witnesses to establish the complete identification of the body, will be brought forward if possible. The inquest will then, probably, be adjourned again.

North Plainfield Republican Meeting.

A meeting of the U. S. Grant Republican Club of North Plainfield, held in Spencer's Hall, last evening, was largely attended, and the roll was increased by the election of 16 new members. President Chas. A. Reed was in the chair and Secretary H. N. Spencer recorded the proceedings. Eight names were presented for membership. Mr. William Day was elected Assistant Secretary.

The committee appointed to secure a banner reported that one had been purchased and would be swung to the breeze on Thursday evening.

A resolution was adopted, declaring the club in favor of joining the State League; also one providing for the election of ten delegates and five alternates to attend the State Convention at Asbury Park on August 15. The following were elected:

Delegates—Messrs. H. K. Carroll, B. A. Hegeman, Jr., I Brokaw, N. B. Smalley, J. Hardy, W. F. Williams J. H. Cooley, H. N. Spencer, P. A. Emmons, Jas. Buckle.

Alternates — Messrs. Overton, S. S. Smalley, H. E. Needham, John Kline, Caleb Dickinson.

It was decided by resolution adopted, to invite the members of the City Republican and the Tippecanoe Clubs of this city to join in a public demonstration and banner raising on Thursday evening.

Addresses were made by Hon. Chas. Place, Dr. H. K. Carroll, Dr. Chickering, Mr. Lees and others, and after the appointment of Messrs. Carroll and Place as a Committee to secure speakers, the meeting adjourned.

English As She Is Wrote.

EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—In Saturday's issue of a certain local journalistic freak, which need not be named, there appeared in an alleged account of the drowning accident at Feltville, the following admirably composed and highly lucid bit of brilliancy:

"A physician at Glenside, who was boarding there for the Summer, with the aid of an improvised grappling, the body, which, raised with the assistance of Charles Drake, a resident in the vicinity, was brought ashore and removed to his late home."

No diagram accompanied this and I am at a loss to comprehend it. I have tried every available means to get on the scent, such as turning the paper upside down and reading the pl backwards, but it is in vain. If an "improvised grappling" is really an aid to Summer boarding it ought to be introduced here, and if Mr. Charles Drake, "a resident in the vicinity, was brought ashore, and removed to his late home," when will the funeral occur?

Thinking THE PRESS may have been favored with a key and that you may be in correspondence with Mr. Ignatius Donnelly, I write to ask if you cannot publish the solution.

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BICYCLE and Tennis Shirts reduced. Our $1.25 style for $1; our $1.75 style for $1.50; our $2 plain and French-striped for $1.75; our $1.75 in plaid and striped for $1.50; our $2 white emb. front for $1.50; Boys', do., in white and colored for $1.15, regular price is $1.35.

SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7½cts; Colored window Scrim 9cts, regular price 12cts; Linen crash 5cts; Unbleached table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

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Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

BORST—In this city, July 24, 1888, Matthew Lee, son of John and Nellie Borst, aged 9 months, 4 days.

Funeral from house, Second street and Madison avenue, to-morrow, at 4 P. M.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under his heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

LOST—Sunday, on Seventh street, a Silver Bracelet. Return to 14 Franklin Place and receive reward.

WILL Gertie Sigler or Gertie Gay, send her address to Post Box 612. Oblige G. 7-24-2

FURNISHED Room to Let at 36 Park avenue. 7-24-5

WANTED—In Plainfield, within one mile of depot, House, 10 rooms; Grounds and Stable. Price not to exceed $5,000. Principals please address, with description, Edw. A. Wright, Scotch Plains Post office.

LOST—Dog, on Sunday evening—a Fox Terrier. Return to 14 Franklin Place and receive reward.

FOR SALE—Goat, 2 years old, suitable for wagon. Address, F. J., PRESS office. 7-23-2

$225.00—$10 Cash and $5 a month—will buy a lot on Webster Place, near Putnam avenue. Apply to V. W. Nash, 53 Park avenue. 7-19-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORR. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

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OR

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At ST. GEORGE, Staten Island, via

CENTRAL R. R. of NEW JERSEY,

On Saturday Evening July 28,

By Special Train, and Steamer "Kill Von Kull."

On above date Special Excursion Tickets, including admission to "Nero," will be sold from following stations at rate named for train leaving as follows:

Special train leaves Dunellen, 7:05, Evona, 7:07, Grant Avenue, 7:09, Plainfield, 7:13, Netherwood, 7:16, Fanwood, 7:19 P. M. Returning immediately after the performance.

Fare for Round Trip, including admission, **$1.00.** ☞Don't forget the date, **Saturday, July 28, 1888.** 7-24-4

TENTH ANNUAL EXCURSION

Of Engine Company No. 2,

To **Cold Spring Grove,** Long Island Sound, Steamer LONG BRANCH, and Barge *Susquehanna,*

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, '88.

TICKETS, (adults).....$1.25

" (children)..... 90c

For sale at Sherwin's shoe store, West Front street, George A. Moore's butcher shop, North avenue, Mosher's segar store, North avenue, B. F. Moore's butcher shop, corner of Park avenue and Second street, Haberle's segar store, 17 Somerset street, and any member of the Company.

Ten pieces of Music for Dancing, led by Prof. S. D. Frazee. Refreshments on Boat by Charley Smith.

Train leaves Plainfield at 7:30 A. M., "sharp," stopping at *Pinewood only.*

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DANCING will also be a feature of the occasion. Music by Prof. Cahill, of Elizabethport, N. J.

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Fancy and Staple Groceries,

CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.

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The Tise That Binds Success.

"Blessed are the ties," the psalmist sings—
The railroad tie; the tie that brings
A nuptial aftermath; the tie
That marks the collar's purity;
The ties that tell of base ball skill;
The ties that music scores do fill;
But best of all, no sage denies,
Is in THE PRESS—the adver-tise.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Lillie Burr is visiting relatives at Burlington, N. J.

Miss Minnie Force, of North avenue, is at Lake Hopatcong.

Miss Helen Burnet of the LaGrande avenue, is spending a week at Asbury Park.

Mr. Wm. Steel of Germantown, is visiting at Mr. Wm. Demler's, in Washington Valley.

Miss Mabel Alderman has returned from a two weeks' visit with friends at High Bridge, N. J.

Mrs. William Harward, and her two sons, Charles and Albert, of New York, are visiting friends at "Highland Farm."

Mr. W. A. Conger and family, of Manning avenue, North Plainfield, are at Centre Moriches, Long Island, for the Summer.

Mr. Ernest O. Chamberlin of the New York *Sun*, and Mrs. Chamberlin, have been visiting the former's parents on Madison avenue.

The funeral of the late Charles Hughes took place from St. Joseph's church in North Plainfield this morning, Rev. Father O'Hanlon officiating.

Messrs. Swalm, Nelson, Vanderbeek and Rockfellow, went to Bergen Point, yesterday. The first three got a weakfish each, and the last got—left.

Messrs. Mansfield Duckworth, Dudley Miller and Horace Huff are at present captivating the fair sex at Asbury Park. They are registered at the Grand Central Hotel.

Fire Commissioner William H. Brower, who returned from Europe on Saturday, will leave for Columbia, N. Y., in a few days, to spend the remainder of the Summer. His wife will accompany him.

Matthew Lee, the infant son of John and Nellie Borst, died at his parents residence, corner of Second street and Madison avenue, this morning. The funeral will take place from the house to-morrow at 4 P. M.

Mr, George Butsche, for so many years the faithful driver of No. 2 Steamer, is out again after a severe illness, and able to once more draw the reins over the finest and best kept team of fire horses in the Department.

The funeral of Mrs. Frances Colles Johnston, who died on Friday last at Bar Harbor, Me., took place, this morning, at the New York residence of her husband, John Taylor Johnston, Esq., 8 Fifth avenue. The Rev. Mr. Richards of this city, officiated.

There was a happy gathering of relatives and friends at the residence of Mr. P. M. Demarest on Craig place, North Plainfield, last evening, the occasion being the celebration of his birthday anniversary. During the evening an informal programme consisting of vocal and instrumental music, was interspersed with the serving of refreshments. Mr. Demarest was the recipient of many suitable gifts. The evening was most enjoyably spent and all reluctently bid host and hostess good night, and wished them many happy returns.

New Jersey Pensioners.

[*From the Elizabeth Journal.*]

The number of pensioners in the State is steadly growing, there being of all classes in New Jersey 8,459. These pensioners receive annually from the government close to a million dollars, or $977,296.20. Essex has the largest number in any one county. Hudson county follows, and Mercer is not far behind. It will be noticed that with a smaller number of pensioners the last named county received several thousand dollars more than the Hudson people get. The only county in the State that has less than one hundred pensioners is Bergen. The number of pensioners in each county and the amount paid them for the year, follows:

County.	*No. of Pensioners*	*Annual Allowance.*
Atlantic	201	$ 25,608
Bergen	99	15,352
Burlington	635	75,628
Camden	686	76,412
Cape May	110	11,847
Cumberland	494	46,916
Essex	1,157	137,763
Gloucester	261	29,406
Hudson	737	86,375
Hunterdon	231	29,385
Mercer	722	89,762
Middlesex	321	36,483
Monmouth	638	75,483
Morris	302	34,963
Ocean	232	27,286
Passaic	452	51,962
Salem	224	24,054
Somerset	133	15,618
Sussex	174	17,456
Union	384	46,163
Warren	256	42,826

Temperance at Hope Chapel.

A temperance meeting under the auspices of the W. C. T. U., will be held at Hope chapel, this evening, beginning at eight o'clock. Mrs. Geo. F. Opdyke, President of the local W. C. T. U. and Mrs. Dr. T. H. Tomlinson will deliver addresses.

Hamburg Figs for the Liver.

Habitual torpidity of the liver is a functional derangement and should not be so long neglected as to generate actual disease. HAMBURG FIGS should be taken, and the deranged organ restored to health. 25 cents. Dose, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

PLAINFIELDERS AT HOPATCONG.

A Plucky Race For the Championship of the Lake, In Which Miss Ketcham Took Part.

LAKE HOPATCONG, N. J., July 23.

EDITOR DAILY PRESS:—This beautiful spot is now the scene of gayety and enjoyment. The hotels and cottages are filled with Summer guests, and the weather is delightful. Numerous camping tents dot the sides of this really beautiful Lake, and the merry songs and jests of the campers are heard floating over the waters day and night. In the evening it is not unusual to witness fine displays of fireworks from the camping spots, hotels, and from the boats of pleasure seekers on the bosom of the placid Lake.

The Central R. R. Co. are to be commended for the grand improvements they have made on the company's grounds about the terminus of the road at this place. A handsome and commodious station has been erected, the dancing platform on the picnic grounds enlarged, swings and merry-go-rounds, and every convenience made for excursion parties, which are numerous this season. The last week brought four such excursions here. The coming week four more from different points are dated. The railroad officials are courteous and obliging, especially so has the writer found Conductor Sands and his trainmen; also, Engineer Mahlon Smith, who, by the way, has charge of and runs the well-known No. 30, which has done such good service about Plainfield for years past under the control of Engineer Monyahan.

The fishing has been fine the past few days. It is not an unusual sight to see a party come in under the guidance of either the veteran Morris Decker or his son, Mahlon, with several three, four, and even five pounders of the black bass species. These skillful fishermen know where the fishes' haunts are and how to take them. As for boats, the place to get them is at "Mahl" Smith's dock, near the station, where "Uncle" Burt is always to be found—kind, obliging and instructive, ready to furnish boats, bait and fishing paraphernalia at most reasonable rates.

It is not an unusual sight to see a boat race between ladies and gentlemen, in which much interest is manifested and enjoyment obtained. On Saturday last there was such a contest between Mrs. Lefferts of New York and Mr. Guest in one boat, and Miss Julia Ketcham of your fair city and Mr. Fletcher in another, all guests at Mr. Geo. Bryant's new and popular hotel. Mr. Miller acted as referee. The distance rowed was ¾ of a mile. Mr. Lefferts and Mr. Howard Miller acted as starters. The finish was at Smith's dock. The time made was 4 minutes, 35 seconds. The race was a pretty one, and was won by two boats' length by Mrs. Lefferts and her partner, Mr. Guest. Miss Ketcham, however, rowed a plucky race under difficulties. She was handicapped by weight of the other fair contestant. Both are skillful oarswomen, and are acknowledged as the champions of the Lake.

Among the guests at Mrs. VanOver's cottage, where your correspondent is stopping, is Mr. and Mrs. John Simpson of Ranwood, Postmaster Force and wife, and Miss Minnie Force of Plainfield.

A VISITOR.

Resolutions Adopted.

The following set of resolutions was adopted at the meeting of the Democratic voters of North Plainfield, held at No. 109 Jackson avenue, on Tuesday evening last:

Resolved, That the Cleveland and Thurman Democratic Club of North Plainfield, in meeting assembled, give their hearty indorsement to the platform adopted by the National Democratic Convention, and pledge their enthusiastic support to its candidates.

We declare our most emphatic approval of the wise, progressive and patriotic administration of President Cleveland, and our belief that the general interest of the whole country requires that he should be given a second term in the Presidency, which his conscientious and fearless discharge of its duties entitles him to receive.

We warmly commend the nomination of Allen G. Thurman for the Vice Presidency, as that of an honored Democratic statesman of long experience and high ability, qualified in every way to adorn that office and to stand next in succession to the Presidency.

We give our hearty indorsement to the sound and courageous message of the President at the opening of the present Congress, and we rejoice at the coming passage by the Democratic majority of the House of Representatives of a bill for effecting a genuine reform of oppressive war taxes.

The meeting of last Tuesday was the nucleus of a strong, healthy and aggressive campaign club. Another meeting will be held at the same place this evening.

A Somerville National Guard.

Gen. Plume, of the National Guard, has issued the following general order from the headquarters in Newark:

The application of a company of infantry, located at Somerville, to be admitted into the National Guard, is hereby approved. The company will be mustered into the service of the State on Thursday, July 26, 1888, at 7 P. M., promptly, at the hall, in the Central Hook and Ladder Company building, in Somerville, N. J. Col George E. P. Howard, Division Inspector, is hereby detailed as mustering officer.

The Eclipse.

The eclipse of the moon Sunday night was watched by many people. The sky was perfectly clear and every shadow was revealed clearly on the moon's disk. The point of the shadow first appeared at 11 o'clock. There was not a total eclipse until midnight. The moon, indeed, looked strange and cast a sombre light all around. The last total eclipse of the moon visible in this locality was on Jan. 28.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

CHIARA'S SENTENCE.

Will Mrs. Cignarale Only Be Imprisoned For Life.

NEW YORK, July 23—Chiara Cignarale has been spared the ignominy of a death on the gallows. Gov. Hill has exercised his prerogative, and the prayers for mercy have been answered.

For weeks Mrs. Alexander, her daughter, Mrs. Stewart, Pearl Eytinge, the actress, Banker Oldrini, and the unfortunate, broken-hearted woman's counsel, Messrs. Howe & Hummel, appealed to every power save that of the Executive only to be denied. At last, when hope had well nigh died and at the moment when Chira was concerned more about her immediate welfare than for what the future held in reserve for her, they lifted their voices in prayers for mercy to Gov. Hill.

Day by day this little band besought the Executive clemency until it seemed at last that the stern decree of the law must be fulfilled. But at last, from an authority whose power cannot be gainsaid, it was intimated that the Governor was examining the papers minutely, and that he had instituted an inquiry as to the physical condition of the prisoner.

On Saturday while Mr. Howe was at Long Branch he received a telegram from his office stating that to-day a commutation of sentence would be received from the Governor. A similar dispatch was sent to Banker Oldrina, who was in Washington.

Pearl Eytinge was among the first to receive the glad tidings, and she hurried gayly to the Tombs. It was near the closing hour and visitors had long before departed. The Sisters of Mercy, who had been most assiduous in their attentions had spent a long time at the cell of the unforunate Chiara, and they besought her to be brave and hopeful.

With tears streaming down her cheeks, forgetting for the moment the intense physical pain she was suffering, she thanked them for their words of comfort and sank back on her little cot. It was thus that the actress found her.

"Chiara, you're saved!" she cried; "the Governor has spared your life and has signed the commutation."

The words fell on ears that only faintly comprehended their meaning. There was a moment of hesitation, and then, as though her untutored brain had grasped the real importance of Miss Eyting's joyful news, tears flowed freely down her cheeks, and extending her hands through the iron bars, she grasped the fingers of her visitor and covered them with kisses.

"God in heaven be thanked, and you too, my good friend, and all the others," she cried hysterically. Again and again she kissed the fingers lying in her grasp, and then she fell exhausted on her cot and cried until long after her visitor had departed.

Above her head was a crucifix and on the table was a lighted candle. To the former she had often prayed, and once again, in the mellow light of the wax dip, she returned her thanks for the mercy shown her.

LATER.—Mr. Howe received the following despatch this afternoon in answer to a telegram sent to Albany:—

The Governor has not decided the Cignarale case.
W. G. RICE,
Private Secretary.

It is believed by many people about the Tombs that the rumor was circulated in order to show that there was widespread sympathy for the murderess, and that it would undoubtedly influence Governor Hill.

Others said that the whole affair was engineered by a young woman who is anxious to gain newspaper notoriety and who took this course to gain her ends, not caring what effect a revulsion of feeling would cause the unfortunate woman when she learned the truth.

Mrs. Cignarale has not yet been told of the truth.

E. P. ROE'S FUNERAL.

At Rest Beside His Children in the Cornwall Cemetery.

NEWBURG, July 24.—The remains of Rev. E. P. Roe, the novelist, were to-day laid to rest beside those of his children in the cemetery of the Presbyterian Church at Cornwall on the Hudson.

Funeral exercises were held at the house and also at the church, where there was a large crowd of mourners.

A number of Grand Army veterans acted as guards of honor.

Among the clergymen who participated in the obsequies were: Rev. George P. Noble, of Cornwall; Rev. W. K. Hall, of Newburg; Rev. Wm. McMurdy, of Highland Falls; Dr. Howard Crosby, of New York, and Rev. John Teal, of Elizabeth, N. J.

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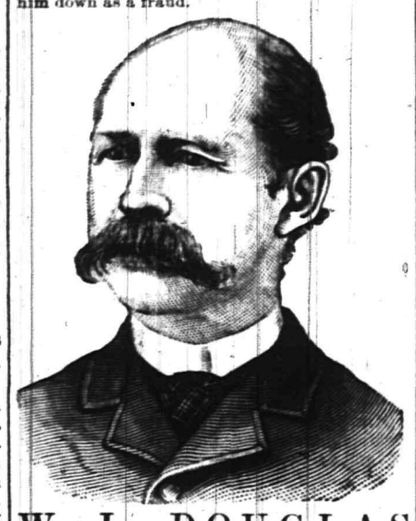

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GARLAND TO RETIRE.

THE ATTORNEY GENERAL DESIRES TO QUIT POLITICAL LIFE.

His Quiet Abode at Hominy Hill—How He Passes His Midsummer Vacation and How He Entertains His Friends. "Hell" and "Scissors," Gun and Rod for Sport.

WASHINGTON, July 24.—It is no longer a secret that Attorney-General Garland will quit political life, but it was understood when he accepted his present position that it would be for one term only. This was his own stipulation.

Recently he purchased here for $18,000 quite a comfortable residence on Rhode Island avenue, and it is his intention to erect a nice new frame dwelling at Hominy Hill, and when he is free from official and political cares he will settle down to enjoy the fruits of his years of labor and toil. His own State would doubtless again honor him with the Senatorship, but his friends say that he has discouraged absolutely any movement in that direction, having positively made up his mind to retire from public and political life.

Mr. Garland is only 54 years of age, but he has been such an untiring worker that his health has not been good of late years. He, therefore, wants to retire for the purpose of devoting himself to his private affairs and starting his sons in business.

In spite of all that has been said and printed, Attorney-General Garland is a thoroughly social man in his disposition. He has never worn a swallow-tailed coat, nor has he ever attended fashionable dinners or parties in this or any other city. Indeed, when State dinners have been given to the Judiciary since he became a member of the Cabinet he has been absent, and this, of course, has been commented on. But he is fond of company, only he has his peculiar notions about the kind of social gatherings that he likes to be in.

What he especially has an aversion to is "kid glove society." He will not mix with this element, and that is all there is to it. At all times he is pleasant and affable, and no man in high public station enjoys an evening of fun and recreation more than he. He is passionately fond of music, too, but it has to be of a certain kind. Operatic music of the higher order he cares nothing for. His three sons, who reside in Washington, are amateur musicians of no small ability. His son, Sanders Garland, is the only one of the boys married. Two or three times a week the Attorney-General enjoys their music. He either sends for his married son to come over, or else goes himself to the latter's house. He likes plantation melodies. Two of the young men play on violins, the other on the banjo, and his daughter-in-law accompanies on the piano. The Attorney-General enjoys this sort of music and always asks for the old plantation melodies. He also likes to spend a part of the evening, when he has nothing in particular to do, in playing quietly a game of cards, either with friends or a member of his family. He is a widower, having had the misfortune to lose his estimable wife about nine years ago. His family consists of three sons and a daughter, the youngest being a boy of 15. His daughter but recently graduated from one of the colleges here.

THE Attorney General prides himself on the springs on his place in Arkansas. Hominy Hill was formerly, in fact, called Gibson's Springs, and was owned by Dr. Gibson, a well-known resident of Arkansas. There are two of these immense springs very near the house. The water has iron in it and is a splendid tonic, well calculated to invigorate the system. Deer are so plentiful on the immense tract that some time ago one of the Attorney General's sons killed a large doe only 200 yards from the house. Mr. Garland, of course, allows none but his friends to hunt or fish on his premises. His object in buying such a large tract was to keep it stocked with deer. To give an idea of his large possession it is only necessary to state that his nearest neighbors live three miles away. As a gentleman expressed it to-day, he commenced buying this land years ago, and at one time it looked as if he was trying to buy up the whole country, so steadily did he add to his possessions for the purpose of making a deer park.

Every summer Mr. Garland hies himself off to his rural possessions in Arkansas, known as Hominy Hill. Before visiting Arkansas he will spend about two weeks at Rock Enon Springs, in Frederick County, Virginia, six miles from the town of Winchester. Rock Enon is a quiet but popular resort, and is near the foot of North Mountain, and not many miles from the Blue Ridge range.

Within less than three weeks, probably, he will have arrived at Hominy Hill, Providence permitting, and no man on earth ever had a place out in the rural regions that he enjoyed more heartily than does Mr. Garland.

Much has been written and spoken of Hominy Hill in recent years, but comparatively few people know just how the Attorney-General whiles away the months annually passed at his country place.

Hominy Hill is located about sixteen miles southwest of the city of Little Rock. It is doubtful if the Attorney-General himself could tell without consulting the record of his purchases exactly how many acres there are on the track. He has added to it from time to time until it is a domain of magnificent distances. One of his near relatives was asked the other day how many acres were in the place, and his reply was that he really did not know, but that it was a very large one.

Some people have imagined that Hominy Hill was really not such a rural place as the name might indicate. Owing to Mr. Garland's prominence, they have had the idea that the place was named in the long ago, but that in recent years it had been improved until it had become the veritable country villa of a prosperous statesman. It would lose its charm, however, should it be too highly improved, and the Attorney-General would not derive half the pleasure in going there every summer. Its chief charm is in its wildness, and for one who likes the forest and the stream, Hominy Hill is just the place.

Some years ago George Butler, a brilliant newspaper correspondent of this city, and who at one time had been clerk of the Senate Committee on Territories when Mr. Garland was its chairman, was invited by the latter to make a visit to Hominy Hill. Butler, since deceased—was an odd sort of a fellow, but was a genial companion, and he had lots of friends among the public men in spite of his faults.

When he arrived at Little Rock some of Mr. Garland's friends told him that he was going to a grand place. They told him to prepare to gaze upon the smoothest gravel roads, the loveliest rows of shade trees, magnolia trees in full bloom, flowers and shrubbery of all kinds, grassy lawns and a superb mansion of exquisite architectural design. The Little Rockers exaggerated with such ease and seriousness that Butler did not once suspect that they were giving him an opposite picture of Hominy Hill, and he was, therefore, totally surprised when he neared the spot on which stood the rude habitation. He jostled along over the country roads, and on arriving at the then Senator's retreat found a genuine rural place. He was pleased beyond measure, after being there a short while, though, and his pen related in a graphically interesting style his experiences that summer at Hominy Hill. That was some years ago, and since then changes have been made, but not sufficient to destroy just what Mr. Garland always intended the place to be—a thoroughly rural one.

When the Attorney-General leaves Washington for Hominy Hill he is much pulled down physically after eight or ten months' hard work and close application. It was the same way when he was in the Senate. He goes to Hominy Hill entirely for rest and recreation, and no matter whether he remains there one, two or three months, his invariable order is that no mail of an official nature shall be brought to him. He does not even read the newspapers while there and whatever he hears of the happenings in the outer world is by word of mouth from the friends who visit him from time to time.

A stay of two months works a wonderful change in the physical condition of the Attorney-General. Instead of returning to his duties the thin and tired-looking man he was before going away, he comes back as brown as a berry and weighing 200 pounds or over, the picture of health and contentment.

How does Mr. Garland pass the time at Hominy Hill my readers will naturally want to inquire. Fishing, hunting, boating, walking, playing games at night, etc. He is provided with cloths for roughing it, and he gets plenty of exercise and fresh air, sleeps well, has good but plain and substantial food, and forgets that he has ever had the cares of state upon his mind. This, after all, is the only way for a broken man to repair his shattered system, but how few busy men can shake off the cares of life, even when far removed from active scenes.

There is good fishing and plenty of game on Mr. Garland's possessions. He has, from all accounts, fully $100 worth of the best fishing tackle, a fine shotgun and several rifles, to say nothing of pistols and other weapons. In angling he uses worms invariably, and lands many a fine specimen of the finny tribe.

He fishes in what is known as Fourche lake, not far from Ouchita river. He catches mountain bass, which are plentiful, and although they do not grow large enough to warrant a man in telling whooping yarns about his catches, an expert angler like the Attorney-General can land a nice lot in a day, which include many weighing from one and one-half to two pounds. Often a larger one is caught, but as a rule the average weight is scarcely above a pound. It is a palatable fish and serves up well on the table.

As a Nimrod the Attorney-General sticks to the shot-gun, and merely keeps the rifles on hand for the use of his friends, who may prefer that kind of a death-dealing instrument when out in pursuit of deer or other game. The deer chases in and around Hominy Hill furnish the exhilerating sport of a season there. Mr. Garland has a pack of ten hounds, and they are led in the chase by an old, bald-headed hound which he procured in Kentucky years ago. This ancient canine is so bald that his master calls him "Bald," and the Southern accent is such that the "d" is left off, so that the name sounds af if it were "Ball."

Two of the hounds in the pack bear the odd and peculiar names of "Hell" and "scissors." They run together invariably in the chase and are congenial cronies at times. Once there was a preacher visiting Hominy Hill and he heard one of the negroes on the place calling at the top of his voice, "Hell, Hell, you Hell, come here, sah."

The minister of the Gospel gently remonstrated with the negro for using such language, whereupon the astonished black man said: "Dat's de dog's name, sah."

The preacher shook his head as if he doubted the statement. "Fo de Lawd, it is, sah." remarked the darkey. "It's de name gun to de houn by de Senator."

The preacher was at last convinced, but if he had any concientious scruples about calling a dog such a name he did not make them known to his distinguished host.

JOHN MURPHY.

CHICAGO'S FIRST SETTLERS.

One of Them Killed by a Locomotive a Few Days Ago.

CHICAGO, July 24.—John Bates, who was struck by a locomotive and killed a few days ago was one of the three oldest settlers of Chicago.

JOHN BATES.

Hear ye of the growth of a great city! Mr. Bates came here in 1832. In conversing with some friends at a reception given to the old settlers not long ago at the Calumet Club, Mr. Bates gave the following description of the then infant city of Chicago:

"There were a few scattering huts on Water street, extending from State to Wells (now Fifth avenue). There were no merchants in those days, only traders, and most of them only in a small way. Some of them could have carried their whole stock in trade in a blanket. George W. Dole was agent for Oliver Newberry, the vessel-owner of Detroit, and a vessel was sent up from that point twice a year—spring and fall—with supplies for the garrison. Charles Harrison had a small trading post, so had P. F. W. Peck.

"But the chief Indian trading post was kept by Forsyth, Kinzie & Forsyth, and John S. C. Hogan kept a trading post for Brewster & Co. of Detroit. There were a few others, which, with the garrison and the post office, constituted the Chicago of that day. Many people have asked me what the early settlers did at that time. There wasn't much of anything except trading with the Indians.

"Some of the people would no doubt have been glad enough to get away but they couldn't do it. Money was scarce. Everything was barter except the Indian payments every fall. They amounted to $6,000 a year. This amount was dealt out to the Pottawatomies in silver half-dollar pieces, and sooner or later found its way into the hands of the traders. Thomas J. V. Owen was the Indian agent here in those days, and he had a deputy named Gholson Kercheval. The post office was kept in John S. C. Hogan's store, and Jonathan N. Bailey was postmaster. His wife and daughter became so much alarmed on account of the expectation of Black Hawk and his warriors that he was obliged to pull up and go back to St. Louis. Before going he appointed Hogan and myself his deputies, so that in case of the temporary absence of either of us the town would not be without a postmaster."

He was a stanch Republican, and always loved to debate with an opponent on politics. At the time of his death his sole employment was that of notary public, but he did little work. For upwards of forty years he was an auctioneer, and in 1880 was appointed Census Enumerator. That was the last work he performed. He occupied with his daughter an unpretentious looking flat at the corner of Thirty-fifth street and Cottage Grove avenue. They had three small rooms, and the daughter kept house for him. He owned no real estate. His son John lives in Baltimore.

Mr. Bates and the Hon. John Wentworth were great friends, and it is said that during recent years Mr. Wentworth has contributed not a little toward the support of his old friend, who had no property and was too feeble to engage in active business.

F. H. SHELDON.

POOR QUEEN NATALIE.

HER STORY AS AN AMERICAN WRITER TELLS IT.

How Prince Milan Met and Won Her. Natalie an Unwilling Bride—Finally Overcome By Ambition and the Influence of Friends—Her Unhappy Fate as a Queen.

BERLIN, July 24.—You have all heard of Queen Natalie before this, but her romantic career has not been published on your side of the Atlantic I think.

In one of the most charming corners of the Province of Besserabia, Southwestern Russia, where the Rivers Fruth and Bug join together, rises high above the water, amid gardens, parks, and vine towers, a beautiful castle. In that castle lived the aged Col. Keshko and his only daughter, Natalie. Natalie was then a girl of 18. She had just returned from Florence, Italy, where she had spent a number of years with her sick mother. She was one of Russia's most charming daughters—beautiful and highly accomplished. She lived quietly at the castle, doing all she could to soften the last days of her father, to whom the death of his wife, a born Roumanian Princess, Sturdza, which occurred about that time, had been a severe blow.

On his way to Russia Prince Milan and his suite stopped at the castle. His uncle, the famous Milosh Obrenovich, who from a simple swineherd elevated himself to the throne of Servia, had been a close friend of Col. Keshko.

During the numerous scrapes Molish got into in the course of his varied career C. Keshko assisted him with money, advice and otherwise, and it was in this way that Milosh had found a safe refuge after having been deposed and driven out of Servia in 1842. Young Milan felt himself bound to pay a visit to the old friend of his family, and, of course, his arrival at the castle was an occasion for a great festival.

Col. Keshko, who was the richest man in Bessarabia, showed himself then in the true old Boyar style. The entire nobility of the province assembled at his castle. The castle was gorgeously illuminated. The spacious ballroom was transformed into a large garden that teemed with all the flowers which are to be found in Southern Russia.

The oldest wines were taken out of the cellars and placed at the disposal of the guests. The tables were loaded with all the luxuries of that rich country. Gypsy bands serenaded the royal guest and Gypsy girls danced their prettiest dances. It was during the beautiful July that Milan and Natalie met for the first time.

Milan was captivated. Natalie looked and acted like a Queen. In fact, she was the Queen of the evening; for every one of the hundreds of guests present bowed before her grace and beauty. The Prince danced with none but her. He saw nobody in the large assemblage but Natalie. The same evening he declared himself to her in love.

Natalie received his declaration rather coldly. She seemed not flattered at all by his proposal, and the prospect of being the wife of a ruling Prince had no magnetism for her. She gave him to understand that she was too young to marry.

Milan refused to listen to her arguments and insisted on an immediate reply. His vanity was offended. The daughter of a common nobleman dared to reject the proposal of the ruling Prince of Servia. He stormed, and begged and then humiliated himself, but Natalie remained unmoved by his entreaties.

Instead of one night, as he had intended, Milan staid at the castle a whole week. He found a powerful and influential ally in the old Col. Keshko, who one afternoon, bluntly informed his daughter that she must marry the Prince. Then Natalie revealed her secret to her princely suitor. She told him that she was in love with a Russian army officer, and that she would be unhappy all her life were she compelled to renounce him.

With the cruelty that characterized his ancestor Milan laughed at this innocent's revelation. A nation which he was destined to guide, he said, was struggling for independence. The nation was too weak to be successful in its struggles by itself, without any outside aid.

What a grand effect would his marriage to a Russian lady have upon the sentiments of Russian people! Russia would rise in arms to help the Servians down their traditional enemy, the Turks; Servia would become one of the greatest nations of Europe.

"Will you save millions of people and lead a nation to glory?" exclaimed the Prince, melodramatically.

Natalie hesitated, and finally overcome by ambition and her father's entreaties, yielded.

Announcement of her betrothal to the Prince of Servia was received with boundless enthusiasm at all the Russian cities he visited. The same summer the marriage took place at the Keshko castle with great pomp. In the spring of the following year war was declared against Turkey by Servia.

Thousands of Russian volunteers flocked to the Servian ranks. Millions of Russian rubles were sent to the Belgrade to help the Servians carry on the war. Chernayeff, the Russian General, assumed command of the Servian army.

Natalie was the most active person during the campaign. She visited Russia and personally appealed to the Czar and his people for support. At home she nursed the wounded and cheered the widows and orphans of the fallen warriors. The Servians adored her—she became their idol.

Then came the Russian-Turkish war, which ended in Turkey's complete defeat. Servia was an enlarged and free country. Natalie became the mother of the heir of Servia's throne. She was the happiest woman in Belgrade.

Several years passed by. Milan was already King of Servia—proud, intolerant, cruel, dissipated, and vicious. Natalie lived at Belgrade, while the King indulged in most savage orgies and debasing debaucheries at Nish. The now completely changed Natilie loved her son, the Prince Alexander, and was ashamed of his heartless father. Milan found special delight in insulting and humiliating her. Milan forgot his pledges and obligations to Russia, and, and having become a faithful servant of Austria, he insisted on having his son, the Prince, educated by Austrian tutors. Natalie remained faithful to Russia and fought energetically against Austrian influences.

Milan and his hirelings did all they could to make life a burden to Natalie. One day in 1886, soon after the ignominous war with Bulgaria, the Metropolitan Michael of Belgrade called on the Queen. He explained that he came in response to a note he had received from her. She told him that she had not written the note, that it was a forgery, and probably part of a conspiracy against her. The Metropolitan retired at once.

The following day, he was arrested and publicly accused of illegal intimacy with the Queen.

The King at once applied to the synod, the highest church authority of Servia, for a divorce. But Russia intervened in Natalie's behalf. She proved her innocence, though the Metropolitan was deprived of his position and expelled from Servia. Once Milan tried to compel the Queen to act as chambermaid for his mistress, an Italian ballet-dancer. He surrounded himself with mistresses, transformed the palace into a harem, and insisted on the Queen taking part in all the debaucheries.

The measure was full, Natalie could not stand it any longer. She determined to flee and to rear her son in an atmosphere purer than that of the court of Belgrade.

In the spring of 1887 she secretly left Servia in company of her little son and of a few devoted servants. At Odessa she met with an enthusiastic reception. She passed several months in Southern Crimea, where an attempt by Milan's agents to kidnap the Crown Prince was frustrated by the Russian authorities. From Crimea she went to Italy, and from there to Wiesbaden. Bismarck lent the brutal kingling a helping hand. The son was taken from the mother, despite her protests and courageous resistance. Now she has been driven from Servia and her character blackened by the hirelings of the degraded king.

All who know the temper of the Servian people say his triumph will be of but short duration. One day the world will learn that he has been deposed and be driven out of the country.

This is Natalie's story. To-day she is an outcast.

In Europe the sympathy of a few right-thinking people is with poor Natalie no doubt but sympathy is all they offer. In the land where the caprices of royalty are taken at their true value the lessons of her story will be more seriously considered I am sure.

JOHN BRIGHAM.

A GREAT REVIVAL.

The Boy Preacher as Seen by New York Sinners.

NEW YORK, July 24.—An old-fashioned revival! There are not many of them in New York city. But right now, in the sweltering season at that, Gotham has a genuine old-fashioned revival of religion.

HARRISON.

That this revival is in the old John Street Methodist Church seems highly appropriate—the church where American Methodism was cradled and the only building owned by the Methodist Church at large.

Well worth a visit is this old church. It is a plain structure, bearing on its face the symbols of its age. The audience room, where Brother Harrison has started out to break his record as a soul-saver, is a plain oblong, with white galleries at the back and sides, supported on white pillars, a roomy pulpit, an anxious row, with a railing, where those who are willing to be saved come and kneel, and all the other appurtences necessary for revival work. On the walls facing the minister are the dates 1776—1886.

Nearly 2,000 souls have been awakened from the lethargy of sin thus far in the course of the great revival now in progress and more are pressing forward to the old altar every night. The indications are that the revival may become one of the greatest of modern times.

Harrison the boy preacher has come to Gotham and he it is that has started this great awakening. I saw him yesterday for the first time. He is a small, slight built man, almost as youthful looking as a young bookkeeper in a down town bank who wears a seersucker coat and goes to the races. But there is a simplicity and a straight up and down frankness about Mr. Harrison that at once makes one believe in his sincerity.

He was dressed very plainly and there was nothing about him indicative of vanity or conceit. He wore a plain turndown collar, with a white necktie under it, fastened in a simple bow. His coat was a short sack affair, of a sort of black alpaca with a silk finish; his trousers were of plain black broadcloth, such as a country lawyer shows ten or fifteen years after he is married as a part of his wedding trousseau. His gaiter shoes were large, somewhat wrinkled and considerably worn.

He never hesitates nor feels round for an idea. He does his own thinking. What he has to say comes out like a bullet from a gun. He fires at his hearers right and left, regardless of age or condition. When preaching today he moved about the church as if he were hung on wires geared to nitro-glycerine. As an example of how one man can be in ten places at once he is a success. It is during these remarkable sermons that he shows himself no respecter of persons. He would just as soon clap Dr. Hall on the back and ask him if he was happy in the Lord as he would be to give a tramp a glass of water.

Harrison suits New York. The New Yorker believes in coming to the point. So does Harrison, and no doubt he will do much good by the crusade in which he is at present engaged.

CHARLES T. BROWN.

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Something About Mrs. Lamadrid and Her Benevolent Work.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 4.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8 00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—1.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 8.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.
Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.32, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23, p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.
Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.32, 5.54, 6.25, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—3.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 8.35, 9.15, p. m.
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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a.m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.36, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—8.13, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.
Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 8.25, 10.15, 11.95 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.42, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.07, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

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Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.32, p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7, p. m.

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5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.
6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.
8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.
9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.
2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.
4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.
5.02 and 6.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.
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6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.
Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05., p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.
For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.
For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.30, 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.10, 11.38, a. m., 1.54, 4.35, 5.40, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 4.15, p. m.
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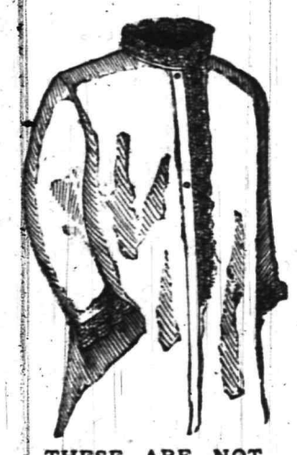

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SENATE TARIFF BILL

The Proposed Substitute for the Mills Bill.

ITS DISCUSSION STILL RIFE.

No Definite Action Determined on by the Finance Committee—An Important Inter-State Commerce Decision. Internal Revenue for the Year—Doings of the Houses.

WASHINGTON, July 25.—There has been quite an exodus from the House since the passage of the Mills bill. Both sides had kept their forces in close attendance, but now there is scarcely a quorum in the House, and there probably will not be one in the city after this week. The Senate will work rapidly to complete the appropriation bills.

There is a general disinclination to do much more except routine business. The calendars are crowded, but there is a very small proportion of objectionable measures upon them. There will be an attempt to select those of general importance and let the rest go over till winter.

There was a full meeting of the Senate Finance Committee this morning, and an hour was devoted to the informal discussion of a line of action in regard to the tariff. Nothing was determined, but at the time of adjournment there was an understanding that the Republican majority of the committee would get together and see if an agreement could be reached in respect to a measure to be submitted as a substitute for the Mills bill.

If successful in this, the measure is likely to be laid before a Republican caucus, and, when shaped to meet any conflicting views which may be developed there, it will be laid before the Democrats of the Finance Committee, and by them before a Democratic caucus for the consideration of a line of policy on their part.

With so many elements of uncertainty no one feels like venturing a guess as to the kind of measure, if any, which may be submitted, or the length of the session. But it is expected that the present week will determine pretty clearly the course of future events.

The Inter-State Commerce Commission has announced an opinion prepared by Commissioner Schoonmaker, dismissing the complaint of the New Jersey Fruit Exchange against the Central Railroad Company of New Jersey and the Lehigh Valley Railroad Company.

The point in controversy was the reasonableness of the rates on peaches from points on the defendants' lines in New Jersey to New York City, but as it was unquestionably shown by the evidence that the peaches were delivered in Jersey City, and the carriage to New York was by the consignee, the commission holds that the transportation was entirely within the State of New Jersey, and therefore beyond its jurisdiction. The opinion says:

It is thought appropriate to observe, however, that in view of the increasing volume of business in the peach traffic and the increased competition in the New York market, a reasonable reduction in the rates might be just; that rates which were probably reasonable and necessary in the infancy of the business might now be reduced to some extent and still leave a reasonable margin of profits. These are said to be considerations which address themselves to the sense of justice of the carriers and rest on the principle of fair dealing that is due between the carriers and their customers.

Jos. S. Miller, Commissioner of Internal Revenue, has made a preliminary report of the operations of the Internal-Revenue Bureau for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1888. The total collections for the year were $124,826,474, as against $118,837,301 for the previous fiscal year, being an increase of $5,489,173. The cost of collection for the year was $3,983,000, exclusive of the amount expended for the printing of internal-revenue stamps. In case this amount is not increased by items yet to be settled, the percentage of cost of collection will be about 3.2 per cent. of the amount collected. The Commissioner says that under the conditions now existing with regard to pending legislation, etc., it is impossible to make an estimate of the probable collections for the current fiscal year.

The collections were made up as follows: On spirits $69,306,166, an increase of $3,476,845; on tobacco $30,662,431, an increase of $554,364; on fermented liquors $23,324,218, an increase of $1,402,031; on oleomargarine $864,140, an increase of $140,192; banks and bankers $4,203, a decrease of $86; on miscellaneous $165,316, a decrease of $84,172. The collections were greatest in Illinois, New York, Kentucky, and Ohio in the order named. There was an increase of 278,220,900 cigarettes and 56,421,207 cigars manufactured during the year.

Bills for holding terms of the United States courts in the State of Nebraska, in Salina, Kan., Owensboro', Ky., Newark, N. J., and Quincy, Ill., and to subdivide the Western Judicial District of Louisiana, were reported from the Judiciary Committee and passed by the Senate bill a establishing the fees and expenses of examining surgeons was reported and placed on the calender.

In the House of Representatives, on motion of Mr. Lawler, the Senate bill was passed appropriating $200,000 for the erection of a public building in Chicago to be used as an appraisers' warehouse.

On motion of Mr. Blount the Senate bill was passed prohibiting the transmission through the mails in transparent envelopes of matter which would be prohibited if printed or written on the outside of the envelope.

Mr. Lehlbach from the Committee on Public Buildings and Grounds, reported the resolution for the employment of an electrical engineer to make plans and specifications for lighting the House and Committee rooms by electricity, and to solicit proposals for the work. Adopted.

Mr. Springer submitted the conference report on the bill providing for an additional associate justice of the Supreme Court of Dakota. The report, which states that the bill now provides for two additional justices, was agreed to.

A Libel Suit Settled.

DUBLIN, July 24.—Resident Magistrate Townsend's action for libel against the Freeman's Journal for imputing corrupt conduct to him has been settled out of court, the Journal agreeing to withdraw the imputation, to apologize and to pay £500 and costs.

Opera House Burned.

BUTTE, Mont., July 25.—McGuire's Opera House burned last night. The audience escaped in safety. The losses amount to $70,000, with light insurance.

IN HER THROAT.

A New York Working Woman Swallows a Needle.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Miss Annie Springer, or, as she is better known by her acquaintances, Miss Annie Murphy, is an employee at E. Koggwiller's Swiss embroidery factory, at 56 Mercer street. Yesterday afternoon she was engaged on some intricate work, and had her mouth full of needles, a habit quite common among the workers of this particular kind of embroidery.

She wanted a spool of silk, and in reaching for it swallowed one of the needles. It lodged across her throat, and caused her much pain. She removed the other needles, and then swallowed a piece of bread to see if she could start the recreant one.

The effort proved futile, and then she began to cry. Her throat swelled rapidly and the other girls, becoming alarmed, advised her to go immediately to the New York Hospital.

She left the factory and hastened for her husband. Finding him the two were ushered into the presence of House Surgeon Clark. He made an examination and found that the needle was firmly embedded in the tissues of the young woman's throat.

Mr. Springer wanted the piece of steel removed, but the surgeon said that the young woman would have to remain at the hospital until she had fully recovered.

She objected to any operation, and the husband was loth to have her remain. They departed saying that they would consult their family physician.

To a reporter, Surgeon Clark said that the case was an extraordinary one, and he wanted very much to have the young woman remain in the hospital.

The surgeons have never had an opportunity to watch the progress of a case like this, and they were much disappointed when Mrs. Springer refused to remain.

"About three months ago," said Dr. Clarke, "we held an autopsy on a body here and in the tissue of the heart we found a pin. It had entered headfirst and was wholly embedded.

"It must have been there for a long time, but it had nothing to do with the patient's death. Peculiar as that case was, I do not think it was a bit more interesting from a scientific point of view as this one would have proven."

"In the present instance is the situation of needle likely to prove fatal?"

"I don't think so. You know that needles have a very mysterious habit of roaming at large through the female system."

"In Mrs. Springer's case I think the needle will pass through the wall of the throat, and ultimately find its way out through some remote part of the body."

Miss Goddard Still Missing.

NEW YORK, July 25.—Miss Abbie L. Goddard, an account of whose strange disappearance and supposed elopement from her home in Hartford, Conn., was published Friday last is still missing.

Nothing new of a startling nature has been discovered, and Charles H. Robertson, the man with whom Miss Goddard is supposed to have eloped, is still away from his business and his wife in Hartford.

The only new feature in the case is the fact that Mr. and Mrs. Daniels, the brother-in-law and sister of the missing girl, consulted a prominent clairvoyant recently. The clairvoyant informed them that the girl, on arriving at Suffield had been induced to enter a carriage by a strange man, who afterward chloroformed her and kidnapped her.

New Steel Works at Fall River.

FALL RIVER, Mass., July 25.—Negotiations are now pending looking towards the erection of steel works in this city. A syndicate composed of three well-known capitalists have been looking over the field for the establishment of a big steel plant in New England and has decided to locate in Fall River.

Negotiations are now in progress for the purchase of six acres of wharf property on Davol street, near Bowenville depot, now occupied as a lumber yard and owned by the Cook Borden estate. All owners have accepted the terms offered except Philip H. Borden, and he stated to-day that the matter would be decided this week.

It is also stated that the syndicate proposed to invest $1,00,000 in the purchase of a site and the erection of the plant that would give employment to 800 hands when in full operation.

World's Bicycle Tournament.

BUFFALO, N. Y., July 25.—The appointments of judges, timers and referee for the coming world's bicycle tournament, to be held in connection with the International Exposition in this city, commencing Sept. 4, are made to-day.

The referee selected is Howard P. Merrill, Springfield, Mass., and among the judges are T. J. Kirkpatrick of Springfield, O.; George R. Bidwell of New York; Charles H. Lotter of Cleveland, C. H. Luscomb, Park Commissioner, Brooklyn, and Thomas Stevens, the round the world cycler. The starter is George M. Hendee, champion bicyclist of New Haven.

The entries include the best known American riders and several from England.

Drummers to the Rescue.

ASHTABULA, O., July 25.—Eleven men boarded the west-bound express at this place Sunday night. As soon as the train left the city they attempted to gain possession of it. At each door of the smoker the men took a stand and defied the passengers.

Conductor Sheppard and several drummers put on a bold front and drove them out of the car. The robbers then endeavored to prevent the train being stopped at Geneva by overpowering the engineer, but did not succeed. The train slacked at Geneva and a call was made upon the citizens.

Nine of the gang were captured. They are now in the Geneva jail guarded by twenty-five militia. They appear to be desperadoes instead of tramps.

King John Courts the Czar.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 25.—A deputation of Abyssinian priests have requested an audience with the Czar, to offer him, on behalf of King John, a port on the Red Sea suitable for a coaling station.

King John will also send a number of noble youths from Abyssinia to Russia to be educated.

Cortlandt Palmer's Remains.

NEW YORK, July 25.—It is expected that the remains of Mr. Cortlandt Palmer, who died at Lake Dunmore, Vermont, on Monday, will arrive in this city to-day. The news of Mr. Palmer's death caused much sorrow in financial and club circles.

A delegation of Wall street men will attend the funeral, the time and place of which will be announced hereafter.

THE BATES FAILURE.

Another Judgement For $53,500 Has Been Entered.

NOW A TOTAL OF $169,763.

Definite Estimates of Assets and Liabilities Cannot be Made for Some Time—Money of the Firm Made in the Jobbing Trade—Recent Heavy Losses of Mr. Bates.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The failure of L. M. Bates made a decided sensation. No definite estimate of the assets or liabilities can be made up for some time. A great deal depends on what can be got out of the assets of the firm of Bates, Reed & Cooley, which all went to Mr. Bates at the dissolution of the firm in 1885. Mr. Bates thinks that the stock is about of the same value now as when he bought the building from Conkling & Chivvis on Dec. 16 last for $225,000.

Another judgment was confessed this morning. It is in favor of the Garfield National bank for $53,500 for money lent. The amount lent was $100,000 between Dec. 16 and 20 last, which all has been repaid except the amount of this judgment. It was entered in the county clerk's office, and leaves only about $50,000 not in judgment. This $50,000 is merchandise debts, the balance of $150,000 which he had reduced that much within two months.

The judgments now confessed, besides that of the Garfield bank this morning, are H. H. Cleflan & Co., $19,712; Martha A. Bates (his wife), $56,535 and Daniel H. Mills, $50,016, the last two for borrowed money—a total of $179,763. Mr. Bates lost $60,000 recently by the failure of Metcalf Brothers & Co., of Detroit, in which company he had $50,000 of stock. In his present business he has no partners, the 'Co.' being merely nominal. He had expected to take his son in with him shortly.

Mr. Bates came to New York from Vermont and first entered business as a member of the firm of Vincent, Clark & Co., dry goods, at No. 29 Warren streets, in 1854. This firm was succeeded by the firm of L. M., Bates & Co., which continued until 1880, when they were succeeded by Bates, Reed & Cooley. The last-named firm was dissolved in 1585, Mr. Bates assuming all the business. The locations of the business during this time changed from Warren street to No. 33 Broadway, then to No. 541 Broadway, and afterward at Broadway and Leonard street.

During this business Mr. Bate's money was made chiefly in the jobbing trade, and it is said that many of his friends advised him against going into the retail business. Last February he reported to Bradstreet's that he was worth from $450,000 to $500,000, and his wife was worth $150,000 in her own right.

Mr. Bates has been for many years treasurer of the New York Infant asylum and also recently president of the Mutual Life Insurance Company. His personal attorney is his son, William G. Bates. Although he never held any political office, Mr. Bates always has been an active republican, and as a well known merchant he has won great esteem in this city. This is said to be his first embarrassment in business.

REPUBLICANS.

Indications of the Opening of the Campaign.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The headquarters of the Republican National Committee, at No. 91 Fifth avenue, were full of activity this morning. There were many callers. Secretary Fassett was early at his desk, having a large pile of letters to read. His newly appointed assistant secretary, John Kenyon, who is the clerk of the State Senate, assumed his duties to-day, occupying room No. 9, directly in front of Senator Fassett's. The decorations to the reception rooms were added to to-day by the festooning of flags all about the walls.

Among the early callers at the headquarters to-day was Senator Van Cott, to complete arrangements for a banner raising at Broadway and Eighth street this evening, under the auspices of the Lincoln Club.

There will be music, fireworks and speeches by W. E. Mason, of Illinois, W. D. Foulke, of Rhode Island, and Nathan Goff, of West Virginia. A special dispatch from Washington states that Congressman Mason is certain to be present.

MURDERESS CHIARA.

Officials Say She Is Not a Subject For Sympathy.

NEW YORK, July 25.—No news was received from the Governor to-day in relation to the commutation of the sentence of Mrs. Cignarale.

At the office of Howe & Hummel a reporter was informed that the Governor was quite busy, and they did not expect that he would take any action in the case for a few days at least.

At the Tombs Warden Osborne said that the condemned woman was feeling terribly depressed over the denial of the announcement that her sentence had been commuted, but Counsellor Howe had called and cheered her up with new hope.

Several of the officials at the Tombs, while in conversation with the reporters said the woman is not a case for sympathy.

"Why shouldn't she hang," said one official, "the treacherous woman committed a cowardly and cold blooded murder. She had two fair and impartial trials, and was convicted of murder in the first degree. This talk about her being sick and about to die is all bosh, and only gotten up to excite sympathy. I am around the Tombs all the time and every day I see her. She does not look as if she were dying.

Bill Bradburn's Gallantry.

CHICAGO, July 25.—Bill Bradburn, the champion heavy weight pugilist of Illinois, dined in the New Haven Restaurant on Clark street, this afternoon. He saw some dudish-looking fellows ogling a pretty girl, and hastened to her assistance. He smashed one of them in the nose and smashed another through a window. He looked satisfied then, and leisurely walked to the cashier and paid $25 for the damage done to the window glass.

Half an hour later he looked for his watch to see if he had time to do up any more mashers. It was missing, and so was the pretty girl. She had rejoined the men.

Cincinnati's $300,000 Fire.

CINCINNATI, July 25.—The large boot and shoe factory of Krippendorf & Dittman was destroyed by fire this morning. The loss will be $300,000.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The Y. M. C. A., Crescents will play the "Machiniste," of this city, Saturday afternoon, and the latter may give the champions a hard rub for victory.

—It is to be hoped that if a station on the South Plainfield and Roselle railroad, is located at Dog Tavern, it will be called by any other name that would be sweeter.

—The inquest over the remains of the murdered man found in the woods near Westfield, recently, was resumed in the Town Rooms, at Westfield, at two o'clock this afternoon.

—Mr. Charles E. Runk, the coal dealer of this city, has received the contract to furnish the Board of Education with 250 tons of Lehigh coal, the product of the Highland mine.

—James McCarthy, an employee at the Scott Press Works, fell out of a wagon, at the corner of North avenue and Peace street, on Monday afternoon, and was badly injured about the head.

—Parlor cars will be attached to the trains of the First Baptist excursion, Friday, in which reserved seats can be engaged for the entire trip, both ways. Diagram now at Field & Randolph's.

—Messrs. Jones & Co., the scavengers of this city, are defendants in a suit before Justice Austin in Spencer's Hall, North Plainfield, this afternoon, brought by the North Plainfield Board of Health.

—Housekeepers all should glance at the advertisement elsewhere of J. P. Laire & Co. They offer many things no home can be without. Builders, also, will find a full line of hardware at this establishment.

—The base ball nine from Union Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., of Rahway, will play a return game with the nine from Franklin Council, Jr. O. U. A. M., in this city, on Thursday of next week. The time and grounds will be mentioned later.

—The excursion each year under the care of the First Baptists, is always *the* excursion of the season. This year it will take place on Friday next, and will be run in two sections, at least, and three if necessary for the comfort of each one who goes.

—Constable Moffett arested Hackman Patrick Lynch at the depot, recently, upon a charge of assault and battery preferred by Charles Tharp. The defendant was arraigned before Justice Nash and gave bonds to await the action of the Grand Jury.

—The first grand concert and picnic given under the auspices of St. Mary's T. A. B. Society will be held in St. Mary's Hall on Thursday, August 2. The new City Cornet Band will give an open-air concert, and Prof. Cahill's orchestra of Elizabethport will furnish the music for dancing. Admission to the hall will be 25 cents.

—There were two frightened Plainfielders at the Wild West show, a few days ago. Messrs. M. Higgins and Dennis O'Brien accepted Buffalo Bill's invitation to ride in the overland stage coach, but before the journey was completed, they wished they had remained in their seats. They say they were in rather close quarters when the shooting began, and the noise from the many revolvers almost deafened them.

The Old Man's Dinner Stopped the Match.

A close and exciting base ball contest was had this morning between Warren Church's "Red Stars," and John Flaig's "Young Giants." The score at the end of seven innings was 15 to 15, when Captain Flaig demanded the game should be called as he had to get his father's dinner.

As the "Young Giants" refused to finish the nine innings, Captain Church claimed the game by a score of 9 to 0, according to the rules of the professional leagues.

North Plainfield Democrat Meeting.

The Democratic voters of North Plainfield met at the residence of Mr. C. J. Feytel, on Jackson avenue, last evening, to hear the report of the committee on the advisability of erecting a wigwam, and also to hear the report of the committee appointed to procure a banner. A banner will be purchased and swung to the breeze in the near future, and a wigwam will be erected for political purposes. The meeting was very enthusiastic, but the utmost harmony prevailed.

A PHANTOM BALL.

How the Netherwood Guests Enjoyed Last Evening, and Those Who Were There.

The Netherwood has gathered within its lofty and hospitable walls, this season, a class of patronage that is probably unequalled by any other Summer hotel in the country, because of its thorough culture and refinement. There is absolutely no exception among its guests to that standard of breeding and character that is necessary for society's best form, and, in consequence, all the hotel's guests are so entirely congenial that any proposition or plan for general entertainment is heartily entered into by everybody. Success, therefore, is the inevitable result.

Last evening's programme was no exception to the season's rule of a brilliant consummation of every scheme proposed. The project was a Phantom Party, and although men are not naturally willing to swaddle their bodies in skirts and smother their faces in cotton masks, and women are not naturally willing to enwrap their contours in bulging draperies and cover their red cheeks and redder lips with falser faces of more material illusion—yet a large number took part, more or less to their own discomfort and self-sacrifice, for the amusement of an audience that lined the *salon*, or crowded the windows opening on the piazzas that were filled by promenaders.

At nine o'clock the lights in the chandeliers were turned low, and to the music of the "Priests' Chorus," from Athalie—played as execrably as can be imagined—thirteen couples entered in white flowing skirts, and, we are told, "baby yokes." Tall hats of white, with capes that covered the silken hair high tied upon the occiput, and masks through which no eyes but those behind them, could pierce, completed the most baffling disguise that could be created. These visions, that were not visions, were led by a willowly lady who wielded a white baton as gracefully as she did her feet. The couples marched and countermarched in the gloaming, for a time, after which under the full glare of the gas, sixteen pair of men entered and performed like evolutions. They were robed in red, with lofty hats, that covered face and figure so completely that one lady, grasping the hand of the Hon. A. A. Drake, was heard to exclaim: "Why, Jim Plum; I knew you in a minute."

Mr. Harry Martin (in long skirts and hose) led the ladies, and Major T. H. Cullen the gentlemen, through figures that were more or less intricate according to the cleverness and ability of the participants in distinguishing their right hands from their left. Then followed the dancing of the lancers, and other square and round varieties of the mazy tread indigenous to the art terpsichorean. Punch was served the dancers; and masks were removed at 10:30 o'clock.

Conspicuous for their beauty even among the number of handsome women who were not in costume, were Miss Daisy Wilson of Baltimore—an acknowledged belle of Richfield Springs and her own city—Miss Bessie Yelland, of Brooklyn, Miss Adele Cullen, of New York, Miss Swain, of Brooklyn, Miss Shaddle, of Netherwood, Mrs. Howard A. Lattin, of Brooklyn, Mrs. Charles Rouse, Mrs. Wm. Eaton, Mrs. Oliver Bridgman, Mrs. H. W. Williams, Mrs. George Taylor, and others.

Among those who took part in costume, were Miss Carrie Plum, Miss Hattie Cullen, Miss Estelle Ryer, Miss Belle Hunter, Miss Nellie Spencer, Miss Helen Eckert, Miss Forker, Miss de Zaldo, Miss E. F. Randolph, Miss Cassard, Miss Marion H. Champlin, Mrs. Shiner, Mrs. C. H. Spencer.

Mr. and Mrs. H. D. Brewster, Major and Mrs. T. H. Cullen, Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Frothingham, Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Freshman, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. J. Rice, Mr. and Mrs. George W. Crossman, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Talcott, Mr. and Mrs. W. E. Mc Credy, Mr. and Mrs. F. A. Dana, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Spencer, Mr. and Mrs. F. E. Miller, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Braker.

Messrs. Arthur C. Rice, H. W. Martin, W. H. Eckert, A. P. Eckert, F. P. Furnald, Jr., Jas. R. Plum, Jr., F. Lavandeyra, Wm. Bayne, Jr., H. W. Williams, E. C. Kirk, J. B. Ryer, A. S. Buchanan, Geo. S. Ryer, Benj. R. Lummis, Colin S. Carter, Chas. Freshman, Geo. A. Heavy, E. W. Weeks, C. F. Palmeter, H. A. Lattin, C. A. Lummis, H. J. Weber, Col. Fred Martin and A. J. Roe.

She Jumped Her Bail.

Mary Ann Sweeny, a bright looking domestic, stole clothing and money to the extent of $50, from her employer, Mrs. H. J. Martin of North Plainfield, early in February last, for which she was arrested and on Saturday, February 4, she was committed to the Somerville Jail, to await the action of the Grand Jury. Subsequently she was released from jail, her father becoming her bondsman in the sum of $200, for her appearance in case the Grand Jury found an indictment against her.

At the April term of court she was indicted for grand larceny, but the defendant "skipped by the light of the moon," and her bail bond was declared forfeited. Constable Bauersachs, however, tracked the girl, and at one time came near capturing her at Westfield. She returned to her home on East Third street, recently, alighting from the train at Netherwood, and walking into town.

Last evening Chief Carey went to the house and placed her under arrest. Constable Bauersachs returned the prisoner to the Somerville Jail this morning.

—A party of Netherwood residents, numbering twenty, will have a moonlight stage-ride to Glenside, to-night.

Tippecanoe Club Meeting.

The regular meeting of the Tippecanoe Republican Club was held at the club's headquarters last evening, with President Ulrich in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved.

A communication was received from the U. S. Grant Club of North Plainfield, inviting the members to attend the demonstration and banner raising on Thursday. The invitation was accepted. Mr. Thos. C. Price tendered his resignation as Sergeant-at-Arms, which was accepted.

The Committee on Uniforms reported having received samples of campaign uniforms, and later the samples were exhibited. It was decided, by resolution adopted, that the club apply for admission to the State League. The Committee on Constitution and By-laws submitted a set of by-laws, which were adopted.

The following preamble and resolutions were presented by Thos. C. Price. The resolutions were adopted and the Secretary was instructed to have the same published in the newspapers:

WHEREAS, The time is fast approaching when the people of this country are to be called upon to select those in whose hands shall be placed the Government of the Nation for the period of four years next ensuing, and

WHEREAS, The Republican party in convention assembled true to its honored tradition and faithful to the trust reposed in it by the people, has placed in nomination as candidates for the office of President and Vice President respectively, Gen. Benjamin Harrison, of Indiana, and the Hon. Levi P. Morton, of New York, and

WHEREAS, The Republican party has by its platform and through its candidates pledged itself unalterably and unequivocally to a sound financial policy, a clean civil service, a free ballot, and a free count and protection to home industries, now therefore be it

Resolved, That we heartily approve of the declaration of principles avowed and adopted at the recent National Convention, and more particularly its declarations concerning the tariff.

Resolved, That we have implicit confidence in the ability of the Republican party to fitly govern the Nation it has protected and preserved, and we accept the issue "Protection against Free Trade," and enter the impending struggle with a deep and abiding faith that our colors the stars and stripes, will never be lowered to the red bandana or the Cobden Club of London.

Resolved, That the Mills Tariff Bill framed in iniquity now under consideration in the House of Representatives is a direct assault upon the doctrine of protection; a menace and a threat to the labor, manufacturing and agricultural interests of the whole country and as such meets with our unqualified disapproval and condemnation.

Resolved, That we heartily and cheerfully ratify and approve the nomination of Gen. Benj. Harrison for President and the Hon. Levi P. Morton for Vice President, and pledge to the Republican ticket our earnest and hearty support.

Delegates to the State Convention were elected as follows: W. B. Coddington, B. F. Coriell, W. J. Ford, G. Thorn, Thos. C. Price, Jos. Dawe, F. S. Dunn, Wm. Claassen, V. W. Nash, E. J. Cooley. Alternates will be chosen at the next meeting.

During the progress of the meeting the Crescent Glee Club rendered several campaign songs. A verbal communication from the Glee Club, offering its services was accepted, and Messrs. Cooley, Barnes and Ford were appointed a committee to communicate the fact to the club.

Upon motion the club decided to uniform its members, each member to contribute as much as he felt able toward paying for the uniforms.

Messrs. Higgins, Dunn and Hand were appointed by the chair, a committee of three, to ascertain how many of the members will attend the reception to Jas. G. Blaine, upon his arrival in New York on August 7th. After a song by the Glee Club, adjournment was made until Tuesday evening next.

His Identity Clearly Established.

The identity of the murdered man found in the woods at Westfield on the 15th instant, has been clearly established. An annual catalogue of Pennington Seminary for 1887, contains the name of "Edward Miller, South River, N. J.," among the list of sophomores.

Miller has a sister Gussie who is an adopted daughter of Mr. Bijah Snedeker at South River. Young Miller was procured at the age of four years from a foundling institution in Brooklyn by Peter Vandeventer of Sayresville, and adopted by him. Two years later Bijah Snedeker, whose farm is on the old Bridge road, procured a girl from the same foundling institution in Brooklyn, who proved to be Gussie Miller, a sister of the murdered man. It is said that it was a long time before the two children were made aware of the fact that they were brother and sister. Miller remained with Vandeventer until he decided to study for the ministry. He kept up correspondence with his sister and visited her occasionally.

An Exciting Runaway.

A horse attached to a covered wagon, belonging to Aaron Brower, ran away from in front of French's mill a little before noon today. The runaway horse collided with a phaeton belonging to Mr. A. Hedden, the liveryman. Turning into Front street, the runaway ran into a covered wagon belonging to Mr. Amos Vail of Green Brook, which was standing in front of J. P. Laire's hardware store. The latter vehicle was completely wrecked, and dragged for a considerable distance.

Attention! Democrats!

Democratic voters of the city of Plainfield are requested to meet at the Democratic headquarters, No. 28 West Front street, on Friday evening, July 27, at 8 o'clock. Important measures are to be considered, and a full attendance is desired.

SPECIAL "CUT" PRICES!

COMMENCING SATURDAY, JULY 21st, and will continue for a *few days only*. *Bargains* in nice *new* goods that can be relied on as the best quality and latest styles.

PURE Silk Mits, our 50ct grade for 39cts; our 60ct grade for 50cts; our 75ct grade for 60cts; our $1 grade for 80cts. Ladies' Linen Chemisetts at 20cts regular price is 25 to 30cts. Our 8ct folding Jap. fans for 4cts. Colored border, hem-stitched handkerchiefs for 5cts; Linen, do., for 9cts., regular price is 12 to 15cts. Ladies' Bal. Hose, regular made, for 15cts., regular price 20cts. The "Brewster" and "Silk Fitting" Corsets for 75cts., regular price is $1. India Linen, 15cts., regular price 20cts.

BICYCLE and Tennis Shirts reduced. Our $1.25 style for $1; our $1.75 style for $1.50; our $2 plain and French-striped for $1.75; our $1.75 in plaid and striped for $1.50; our $2 white emb. front for $1.50; Boys', do., in white and colored for $1.15, regular price is $1.35.

SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7½cts; Colored window Scrim 9cts, regular price 12cts; Linen crash 5cts; Unbleached table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

WE have left a few Cotton-striped Skirts, will close out cheap. Our 50ct style for 39cts; our 75ct style for 60cts; our $1 style for 75cts. Our 65ct Boys' Percale Waists for 55c. Our 85c do. for 75c. Besides numerous other bargains not mentioned here.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE*.

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. 5-18-tf **EDSALL'S.**

WE HAPPEN TO HAVE

LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

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SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in Plainfield Post Office for the week ending JULY 19, 1888.

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Applegate, Mr J H	Morse, Chas
Allen, Miss E E	McDonald, Mrs A C
Adams, Miss Minnie	Martin, Miss Alice
Ahlsborg, Miss Thea	Morse, Dr Bettinide
Armstrong, W	Moon, Mrs Sarah H (2)
Bergen, Mr John	Miller, S R
Brown, Fred	Miller, W G
Behm, Miss Fannie	Noonan, Miss L
Burrows, Mrs W	Pierson, Mrs Jane
Clarkson, Mrs M R	Parentean, Dorminean
Capistran, Mons Pierre	Poirrier, Narcise
Dentz, John	Pullin, R W
Davis, Chas	Quick, Hannah M
Dater, Mrs H R	Runion, Mrs Josephine
Eiter, Mr Joseph M	Reid, Mrs
Ellis, Mrs J T	Young, Miss Sallie
Ferguson, Miss E L	Schaffer, Mr Henry
Freeman, Mrs C	Smalley, J M
Frammer, Mrs Patrick	Southerland, J W
Foster, Mrs Scott	Smith, Jas G
Heding, Miss Ida	Smith, Mrs L
Hobowak, Miss Albird	Sewane, M
Healdon, Annie	Stone, Mrs Harry
Hansen, Miss Annie C	Simpson, Pat
Harris, Miss Matilda	Sutton, Willard
Hamilton, Mr	Wood, J A
Johnston, J F	Wilson, Dr J E
Johnson, Miss Lucy E	Witecuff, Mrs Charley
Kell r, Jacob	West, Mrs A H
Linsley, N E	Wersen, L E
Lytle, John	Willett, Lewis

Persons calling for the above, please say advertised. W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

HAHN—In Raritan, N. J., Eberhard, son of Eberhard Hahn, formerly of this city, aged 8 yrs. Service at 10 A. M., to-morrow, in the German church. Interment will be made in Presbyterian cemetery, North Plainfield.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under his heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

WANTED—A first-class Laundress. Must be well recommended. Apply at No. 46 West Eighth street. 7 25-tf

LOST—Small Black Satchel, containing pair of gloves and keys. Owner rewarded by leaving it at PRESS office.

FOR SALE—Goat, 2 years old, suitable for wagon. Address, F. J., PRESS office.

WILL Gertie Sigler or Gertie Gay, send her address to Post Box 612. Oblige G. 7-24-2

FURNISHED Room to Let at 36 Park avenue. 7-24-3

$225.00—$10 Cash and $5 a month—will buy a lot on Webster Place, near Putnam avenue. Apply to V. W. Nash, 53 Park avenue. 7-19-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

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THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, '88.

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That marks the collar's purity;
The ties that tell of base ball skill;
The ties that music scores do fill;
But best of all, no sage denies,
Is in THE PRESS—the adver-tise.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Haffner, of Dunellen, died at its parent's residence, last evening.

Mr. J. B. Dumont and family of Broadway and Sixth street, are Summering in the White Mountains.

Mrs. Geo. Demarest of Warren street, North Plainfield, has returned from a few weeks' visit to friends in Brooklyn.

Mr. D. M. Moore and family of East Fifth street, are absent at the seashore. Their present location is at Asbury Park.

Mrs. Lutkins, Mrs. Hummer and son, and Miss Florence and Maggie Hurlburt, are rusticating at Boynton Beach.

Our venerable townsman, Manning Vermule, is spending a few weeks at Boston, as the guest of his daughter, Mrs. F. E. Keep.

Mr. David Snediker, of Grove street, North Plainfield, is about again after quite a serious illness, bordering on peritonitis.

Major Z. K. Pangborn, of Jersey City, will be the speaker at the Republican banner raising in North Plainfield, to-morrow evening.

Mrs. Herbert Ryno of this city, will leave to-morrow for Whitehall, N. Y., where she will join her husband, who is engaged in business there.

Mr. A. Venino leaves to-night for the Adirondacks, where he will spend a short season of recuperation at Ray Brook, in the very heart of the wilderness.

"The Gleaners," Mr. J. H. VanWinkle's Bible class in Trinity Reformed Sunday school, and a few of their friends, about 20 in all, are today picnicing at Boynton Beach.

Dr. C. M. Field, after a brief and enjoyable visit at his home here, left Plainfield again, last week, for a trip to Canada. His condition gives every promise of a complete recovery of health, eventually.

Eberhard Hahn, the eight-year-old son of Eberhard Hahn, formerly of this city, died at Raritan, yesterday, of sunstroke. The funeral will take place to-morrow at ten A. M., as per notice elsewhere.

Mr. Wm. H. N. Cadmus of Searing's Farm, lost his cane on Monday morning coming from said farm to the Plainfield station. The finder will please leave it at this office and receive the thanks of the owner.

Funeral services were held in this city, yesterday, over the remains of three young men, George N. Burdick, Edwin Marshall Adams, and Charles Edward Hughes, who were each in their twenty-third year, and all victims of the same disease—consumption.

Mr. J. W. Symons of Forrestdale, Vt., a former resident of this city and always a subscriber to this paper, writes offering to "bet the cigars that Harrison & Morton will carry Vermont." Mr. Symons is a good Republican who seems full of the courage of his convictions.

On Friday of last week, at Newark, Mrs. Annie E. Dunn, daughter of Mr. Daniel J. Marshall of this city, was married to Mr. Isaac Vanderveer Bond, son of the Rev. Mr. Bond, deceased, a former pastor of the First Presbyterian church of Plainfield. The Rev. F. M. Clendenin, of Washington, D. C., a cousin of the bride, officiated.

The funeral of the late George N. Burdick, who died on Monday, took place from the residence of Mr. C. Potter, Jr., on West Seventh street, yesterday afternoon, and was largely attended, the employees of the Potter Press Works being present in a body. Rev. Dr. Lewis officiated and paid a fitting tribute to the deceased. The body was taken to Adams Centre, N. Y., for burial.

Saturday's Trotting.

Another series of interesting trots took place on the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association on Saturday afternoon. The judges for the day were Messrs. Johnson. Mason and Williams.

The programme opened with a race between Mr. Osborn's "Dry Dock" and John Chandler's "Rambler." The former horse won two straight heats in 2:46½ and 2:48.

J. W. Johnson's "Lady Thistle" then trotted two one-mile heats with Wm. Van Syckle's "Sagwah," winning both heats. Time, 2:42½.

Mr. A. C. Vail drove his team "Betsy Bobbitt" and "Farindale," a trial heat in 2:46½, and Mr. John Stelle drove his horse "Tramp" two one-mile heats in 2:40½ and 2:37. This concluded the day's sport.

Milk Thieves.

Robbing the milk pails, is the latest of the many depredations committed by tramps. A few mornings since a lady esiding on West Fifth street noticed that her milk pail had been robbed of its contents. The lady decided to place a watch over the pail and this morning early, she was rewarded by seeing a tramp advance to the stoop, and confiscate the money from the pail. The lady gave an alarm, but the tramp only remarked that he was leaving a receipt, and left the premises.

WESTFIELD.

(The PRESS is for sale by W. W. French.)

Mrs. Isaac L. Scudder and her mother, Mrs. Frazee Hetfield, started on Tuesday for Asbury Park for two weeks.

THE HANDWRITING ON THE WALL.

Lack of Enthusiasm For the Republican Platform, the Same at Scotch Plains as Everywhere.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:

There was no very great enthusiasm shown at the organization of the Republican Club at Scotch Plains on Monday night. A dozen or so of men well-known in the place, with two or three boys interested in the subject, were all that were on hand.

It is a little curious that the call for the meeting had seventeen signatures, and that was almost exactly the number present on Monday night. Clearly, the "Chinese Wall Idea" seems to have but little leavening power. It is a significant fact that in a town with over two hundred voters, where the Republicans have rolled up handsome majorities at all the recent elections, a glowing circular signed by many well-known townsmen and very widely distributed, could only draw together less than a score of men.

It must be said that all the gentlemen who have come to the front are perfectly sincere in their support of the Republican policy, but there is none of that enthusiasm or confidence which a more magnetic leader or a more progressive platform would have called forth.

The same fatal mistake of the "Protectionists" which has estranged men like SETH LOW and DR. STORRS, is forcibly brought home to us when an ardent appeal for workers in a town like Fanwood, results in a meeting of only eighteen men!

REPUBLICAN.

Wool Growers and Free Wool.

Texas has 4,500,000 sheep and her entire delegation in Congress—11 in all—voted for the free wool tariff bill.

Pennsylvania has 950,000 sheep, and cast 20 votes against the free wool tariff and 6 in favor of it.

Michigan has 2,100,000 sheep, and cast 5 votes for the free wool tariff and 6 against it.

Rhode Island has 20,000 sheep and cast her solid vote of 2 against a free wool tariff.

Minnesota has 300,000 sheep, and cast 4 votes, including one Republican, for a free wool tariff and 1 against it.

Missouri has 1,100,000 sheep and cast 12 votes for a free wool tariff and 2 against it.

Massachusetts has 60,000 sheep and cast 8 votes against a free wool tariff and 4 in favor of it.

Georgia has 500,000 sheep and cast a solid vote of 10 in favor of a free wool tariff.

Maine has 500,000 sheep and cast a solid vote of 4 against a free wool tariff.

North Carolina has 500,000 sheep and cast 7 votes for a free wool tariff and 2 against it.

New Hampshire has 200,000 sheep and cast a solid vote of 2 against a free wool tariff.

Tennessee has 500,000 sheep and cast 8 votes for a free wool tariff and 2 against it.

Indiana has 1,000,000 sheep and cast 6 votes for a free wool tariff and 7 against it.

Illinois has 800,000 sheep and cast 14 votes against a free wool tariff and 6 in its favor.

Arkansas has 220,000 sheep and cast a solid vote of 5 in favor of a free wool tariff.

New Jersey has 100,000 sheep and cast 5 votes against a free wool tariff and 2 in its favor.

Alabama has 300,000 sheep and cast a solid vote of 3 in favor of a free wool tariff.

These facts, exhibited by the vote on the new tariff bill in the House on Saturday, certainly show that the demand for taxed wool does not come from the woolgrowers, but from partisan demands for taxes on the necessaries of life to sustain monopoly control of taxation upon consumers.

Middlesex County Prohibition Convention.

The Prohibition voters of Middlesex county are requested to assemble in their various townships and wards, and choose delegates to a County Convention to be held at Columbia Hall, Sons of Temperance, foot of Church street, New Brunswick, on Tuesday, August 7, at 3 o'clock P. M., for the purpose of nominating county candidates, and to transact such other business as may be brought before it.

The basis of representation will be one delegate for every twenty-five votes, or fractional part thereof, cast at the election of 1886, providing that every township, ward and precinct shall be entitled to at least one delegate.

It is suggested that delegates be also chosen to a Congressional Convention to be held at Asbury Park, July 30, 2:30 P.M. The same basis of representation will be observed.

CORTLANDT L. PARKER, Chm'n.
T. W. BURGER, Sec'y.

A Total Loss By Fire.

At 12:45 o'clock this morning, the barn of Patrick English, a section foreman in the employ of the Central railroad, was totally destroyed by fire together with its contents—about seven tons of hay, two cows, one horse, wagons and agricultural implements.

The barn was situated on the Fanwood township line, one mile south of Westfield. The loss is $1,000, and no insurance. The Westfield fire department promptly turned out, and in ten minutes Bucket & Engine Co. No. 1 had a stream of water on the blazing building. The fire had gained such headway, however, nothing could quench the flames.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

DEMOCRATS.

The National Executive Committee in Session in New York.

NEW YORK, July 25.—The members of the Democratic National Executive Committee were slow in reaching headquarters this morning, although a call for a meeting had been issued. Chairman Boice was on hand, however, before 10 o'clock. He did not wait for his colleagues. He went at once to his rooms on the second floor, and, with his secretary, began his day's work. Nothing seems to weary him. He directs a national canvass, looks after his vast financial interests, answers hundreds of applications for clerkships, and has to deal with hundreds of bores who frequent headquarters every day, and yet he never loses his look of serenity.

About noon the executive committee went into sessions and did not adjourn until 5 or 6 o'clock. The exact purpose of such a long session could not be ascertained, but the wiseacres about headquarters say that the object is to make arrangements for obtaining direct communications with the committees in different states and to consider arrangements for getting speakers for the campaign.

Senator Gorman's confirmed absence from headquarters causes some comment. He is not disgruntled because another man was made chairman of the executive committee. He has gone down to West Virginia to look after his railroad interests there. He will be in town by the end of the week.

Yesterday Congressman W. L. Scott secured a week's leave of absence from Congress and arrived here to-day.

Among the visitors to-day were ex-Congressman Benjamin Le Eevre and G. McClellan.

GRAVE BLUNDERS.

Troops Sent Into a Region Swarming with Hostile Indians.

OTTAWA, Ont., July 25.—There has been some terrible blundering in forwarding troops to Skeena Forks, the scene of the Indian uprising in British Columbia, which, according to advices from the Pacific to-day, may result in the complete annihilation of the expeditionary force now on their way up Skeena River.

Too late the militia department here discover that they have made a most serious blunder in the route of transport in sending troops up Skeena River, which has to be undertaken in canoes through a country reported to be literally alive with hostile Indians armed with repeating Winchester rifles and strongly entrenched all along the river in the high impregnable bluffs which bound it on either side.

The Nass River route would have taken the expedition through a country not infested with hostile Indians up to within a short distance from where it was expected the first engagement would take place.

It is stated by traders recently down from the scene of trouble that the Indians are actively preparing to resist an attack, and have entrenched themselves all along the river, from which position twenty Indians could wipe out the whole detachment without fear of losing a man.

ROYALTY.

After Lunch the Kaiser Steams Away from the Czar.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 25.—The Czar and Czarina were the guests of the Emperor William yesterday at an elaborate breakfast served on the German imperial yacht Hohenzollern.

The table was spread in the saloon of the vessel and glittered with a magnificent display of gold, silver and glassware. The whole affair was as informal as was possible in the presence of so distinguished a company, and the Czar and Emperor again exchanged the heartiest expressions of good wishes.

At the close of the breakfast the farewells were cordial in the extreme and when, shortly after, the Czar and Czarina left the vessel, the monarchs saluted each other profoundly.

Preparations were then made for the sailing of the Hohenzollern, and very soon afterwards she steamed away for Stockholm amid the salutes of the surrounding fleet and fortresses.

Actors in a Wreck.

WINONA, Minn., July 25.—A passenger train on the Cannon Falls Branch of the Milwaukee road carrying Stetson's "Uncle Tom's Cabin" Company, about 1.30 yesterday afternoon struck a cow about ten miles out of Red Wing and three cars, including one passenger coach, went down a twenty-five foot embankment.

W. A. Clark of Hurley, Wis., was crushed to death. Two ladies, members of Stetson's troupe, were injured, one having her leg broken. Others sustained sprains and bruises.

Another account says that two men were killed and the train was a complete wreck.

Canal Captain's Missing Boy.

ELIZABETH, N. J., July 25.—Willie Kirk, aged 12, is missing from his father's canal boat, which laid at Perth Amboy coal docks. The boy wanted to go to a ball match at Amboy, and being being denied permission ran away. He has not been seen since.

Baseball Games Played Tuesday.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT BROOKLYN.

Athletic	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1—5
Brooklyn	0	0	0	0	0	0	4	0	0	0	0—4

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Philadelphia	3	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0		0—5
Washington	4	2	1	1	5	0	0	0	1		1-14

AT CINCINNATI.

Cincinnati	0	1	2	0	0	1	0	0	0		2—6
Kansas City	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0		0—4

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 24, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Chicago	44	26	Brooklyn	48	27
Detroit	43	26	St. Louis	46	24
New York	42	27	Athletic	42	28
Boston	36	36	Cincinnati	45	27
Philadelphia	33	34	Baltimore	32	40
Indianapolis	26	42	Louisville	26	46
Pittsburg	26	39	Kansas City	21	49
Washington	25	45	Cleveland	26	45

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Del. Lack. and West	135¾
Lake Shore	93½
Missouri Pacific	78⅝
N. J. Cent	83⅛
New York Central	106½
New York Lake Erie & West	46⅞
New York & New England	43¾
Philadelphia & Reading	63½
Pac. Mail	86¾
St. Paul	86¾
Union Pacific	79½
Western Union	79⅛
Oil	83¾

WHEAT, 89¼; CORN, 53¾; OATS, Ungraded. mixed, 30¼; FLOUR, patents, $4.60@$5.00; extra $3.50@$4.75; LARD $6.60; BUTTER, creamery, 18@21; dairy, 17@19; CHEESE, cream 6@7¼; skim, 2@5; Eggs, 17@18.

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There's one thing 'bout the church affairs
  Has always puzzled me,
That's why it comes so hard to raise
  The preacher's salaree;
It takes donations, sellin' quilts,
  An suppers, fairs and sings,
Excursions, 'an I'll never tell
  How many other things.

The butcher's an' the baker's bill,
  By which we're earthly fed,
Are met with cash, we only squirm
  To pay for hev'nly bread.
The tailor 'an the dry goods man
  Git coin for what we wear;
But "chips an' whetstones" fer the robe
  We hope to have "up there."

The lawyer's paid that 'tends our case
  Here in the court below;
But fer the higher court above;
  The preacher's pay is slow.
The doctor gits the dollars too,
  Who cures our body' colds,
The pastor gits donation truck
  For savin' of our souls.

You think his sermons lack in fire;
  His study does, it's true.
You say he's poor an' out of style;
  His board an' clothes are, too.
An' so you'll find most of his faults,
  An' that is why I say,
If we don't pay the preacher, then
  The devil is to pay.

—[Omaha Herald

The Point of View.

What funny things these Foreigners are!
Ann Gaikoku Jin wa Honni Okashine!
(Which, being translated, means the same as above)
[Puck.

Too Previous.

A worthy man, a retired grocer, had been sent out by his wife to make a few purchases for the household. On his return, as in duty bound, he gave an account of hts stewardship and handed the change to his wife.

"Well, I never, James!" exclaimed the latter, who was not gifted with the best of tempers, "if you haven't gone and taken a counterfeit quarter."

"You don't mean it?"

"Yes, a lead one. Look!"

"Yes, I see; I was in too great a hurry to grab the change. Oh, the thieves."

"Well, its no trouble to cheat snch idiots as you. What made you in sueh a hurry to pick up the change!"

"Because I thought they'd paid me ten cents too much."—[Judge.

Hospitality.

Herbert—Really, Miss Herbert, I am very sorry I kissed you. I didn't think what I was doing. It is a sort of temporary insanity in our family.

Miss Edith—(pityingly)—If you ever feel any more such attacks coming on you had better come right here where your infirmity is known, and we will take care of you.

—[Judge.

Qualified.

Mrs. Smith (engaging servant)—Can you write?

Servant—Yes, Ma'am.

Mrs. Smith—Well, here is a card; write my name on it.

(Servant writes "Mrs. A. B. Smythe.")

Mrs. Smith (looking at it)—You are engaged.—[Time.

Feline Sagacity.

"Bridget, has Johnnie come home from school yet?"

"Yis, sorr."

"Have you seen him?"

"No, sorr."

"Then how do you know he's home?"

"'Cause the cat's hidin' under the stove, sorr."—[Time.

He Lost Heavily.

First swell—You are not looking well, old fellow. You seem to have lost some.

Second swell—Yes, I lost a hundred and twenty pounds last month.

That's not possible.

Yes, it is. My wife ran off with a music teacher.—[Siftings.

She Understood That Volapuk.

She (poking her head out of the window at 8 A. M.)—Is that you, John?

He—Yeth, m'dear. Wishyou'dcomedownan fixthishk'hole.

She—Well, stop talking Volapuk and I'll be down in a minute.—[Judge.

Money Thrown Away.

Mrs. Doleful—The paper says this morning that there's no prospect of cholera coming this summer.

Mr. Doleful—Just my luck.

What do you mean, John?

Got my life insured the other day.—[Siftings.

His Position.

Father: Well, Thomas, you have graduated from college and are now ready for your life work. What will be your field?

Son (thoughtfully): Well, to tell the truth, sir, it's a little hard to decide between Left and Centre.—[Time.

The Cause.

Gazzam: Hello, Cumso, you look entirely fagged out. What's the matter?

Cumso: Oh, nothing! A week's rest will set me up. Just back from my vacation. —[Time.

One Wasn't Enough.

Barber—(purely from force of habit)—Have a hait cut, sir?

Bald-headed Customer—Yes; three or four of them—I guess I've got that many left.

—[Judge.

Looked Like an Editor.

Stranger—Is Editor Hull stopping here?

Hotel Clerk—Well, there was a gentleman whose trousers bagged at the knees came here this morning. Front, take this card up to 112.

—[Judge.

On His Wedding Tour.

Husband: I want rooms for myself and wife.

Hotel Clerk: Suite?

Husband: Of course she is—perfectly lovely. The sweetest girl in America.—[Time.

At the Theatre.

She (ironically)—Did you see your friend when you went out?

He—Yes.

She—What did he cost you—fifteen cents?

He—No; thirty cents. I met two.—[Time.

Unsuccessful Flattery.

Aunt Louisa (who can't see very well, and is always making mistakes): What a beautiful face your child has, Mrs. Hyperoft; and the perfect image of his papa, too.—[Time.

EDITOR AND REPORTER

THE LIFE AND WORK OF BOTH IN THE METROPOLIS.

The Editors Must Not Be Ignored. Everybody Writes About the Reporter Though the Editors Are a Potential Factor in the Making of New York Newspapers.

NEW YORK, July 24

SOMEBODY has been writing about the reporters. Somebody is always writing about the reporters, but nobody writes about the editors. Only last week a letter sent from New York was printed all over the country in which the faithfulness, heroism and general merits of the reporter and everything about his work were treated at length. But nothing was found about the editor. Good! If the work of New York correspondents is to be considered final, the editor is a cypher.

But the editor isn't a cypher. As one of that vast fraternity of workers I raise a wail. The New York editor is a living, thinking, breathing entity; even though the letter writers persist in ignoring him entirely.

The reporter puts the ideas of the editor into execution. He is told to do and he doeth it. He looks jaunty and no doubt feels that way as he smokes a cigar, metaphorically at least, and impresses the world with his importance without a care on his mind but the work that has been mapped out for him. His hours for work are short and his pleasures are many. He is brought in direct contact with the great moving, thinking, pulsing flow of humanity with its ever changing characteristics, while the editor sits in his sanctum a calm student of affairs and an on-looker.

There is nothing jaunty or impressive about the appearance of the editor. He smokes a pipe, also metaphorically perhaps, he works hard and never has the satisfaction of knowing that responsibility and the cares of the day are ended. His plans of the night are executed by day; he is one that knows all about tedious campaigns but litile of their glory.

Of course there is The Editor and the editors. There is a great difference. One is the gentlman who does not know much about newspaper business in detail, but who can fatten on the results of detail executed by others as well as anybody in the world. The editors are the men who make the newspapers of New York what they are—the greatest in the world.

I don't believe that the public care to hear much about The Editor, but surely the men who are responsible in the real management of the great newspapers of New York City are worth thinking about once in awhile. A flighty young reporter who knows what I am writing, remarks to me that the editor individually and collectively is a reporter gone to seed, not a bad definition by the way, so I will take him at his word and admit that the editors of New York are its mature reporters, for most of them were reporters some time or other or still are.

THE REPORTER.

There is infinite variety in this editor fellow. He may be editorial writer, managing editor, news editor, night editor, city editor, assistant city editor, literary editor, dramatic editor, sporting editor, military editor, religious editor, agricultural editor and dear knows what all else, but in nearly every case it will be found that he has had experience enough in the department he represents and in life generally to make most people decidedly weary. Usually he is a man of good judgement and habits who has made it the business of his life to study this old world and the world's wife in all their phases and as few men have studied them. When he tells the reporter to prepare an article on a given subject, ten chances to one that share of the public represented by the editor making the assignment, is interested in the matter. And when that article comes to the editor it may be as dull and heavy as lead but the public don't see it in that shape. It comes to them abridged or drawn out, brightened here, dulled there and making in its completeness just what the people want to see. As like as not the reporter would not know his original manuscript if were shown him. It would resemble the map of China more than the sheets of copy he had turned in to his superior. But the man at the desk who made the story of value don't get the credit, but the reporter's chest swells with gratification when he is congratulated by his associates on the fine account he turned in of some great event which the editor planned and almost made.

Of course there are reporters and REPORTERS.

Every New York newspaper has a few men who are relied upon to report events in some department without the brightening influence of the blue pencil. But such men are editors more than reporters, whether called that or not. They are reporters gone to seed as my young friend expressed it.

Nearly thirty daily newspapers in different languages are printed in New York City. Thousands of men combine to make them what they are. Think over the names familiar to you of the men engaged in newspaper work here. Perhaps you can name ten, and of that ten it is not at all likely more than half are those of the men who made the papers what they are. They are either owners or writers—not the men who not only plan but who do a great share of the work necessary in making a newspaper—the editors.

Judge, then, of the editor's unselfish characteristics and self abnegation. He lends himself as a stone for the scythe of other men's ambitions.

The salaried editor of New York earns more money than most reporters, though it is a fact that a few writers here are the best paid members of the newspaper profession. Joe Howard, as an example, is supposed to earn about $20,000 annually, and George Alfred Townsend gets more yet, probably $25,000. And it must be remembered that the men who attain to $5,000 salaries as editors would earn $50,000 if they were elected President of the United States, and there are not a few or them at $5,000 salaries with as much ability the as average run of men who have filled such exalted trusts as the Presidency. The New York doctor, lawyer, or preacher with no greater ability than has the $6,000 editor, will earn five or ten times as much money.

The reporter works under a great stimulus. Some day he may do something that will make his name familiar from one end of the country to the other, and assure his reputation as a news writer at least. The editor may do his work capably and efficiently all his days, without securing the rewards of fame.

Have you ever tried to enter the editorial rooms of a New York newspaper? The experience is as provoking as amusing.

After winding your way through innumerable halls and climbing as many stairs, you may find an ante room where an attendant will take your card to the gentleman you wish to see. Usually you will be required to state your business in writing on the card sent, nine times in ten you will receive your answer by the attendant.

There will be no circumlocution about the answer. The editor you wish to see may scrawl something on the card you send in or he may request you to find a warmer climate or suggest that you come at some other hour. Any way the reply will always be to the point and when you obtain an audience with him he will expect directness from you.

Don't try to cultivate him; state your business and get out. The reporter has need for hastily made friends, but the editor finds them a nuisance.

Hundreds of people flock to the newspaper offices of course and annoy the people there with their importunities about this, that and the other so that something must be done to protect the editorial force from intruders. But in addition to these reasons the editor don't want to be slugged, caned or horsewhipped. Without some way of keeping aloof from outsiders, some such misfortune might happen any day, so they keep men or boys at the doors, and have as little to do with the public personally as possible.

And when horsewhippings are in order Mr. Reporter is never around. He is not half so important an individual as he is when somebody is writing about his bravery, faithfulness, etc. It is the editor who must face the music and perchance take the horsewhipping.

And who ever heard of an editor being paid for broken bones? Though as a rule his hours of labor are not oppressive, his employers never think to compensate him for the uneasy hours of lost sleep that his schemes for their advancement have cost him. As like as not they forget that their editors are pale, fagged out and in need of rest or that they deserve increased compensation. But the reporter works "on space" and his earnings depend on the vigor and excellence of his work. Then he is in the open air much of the time and does not require the recreation that his gone-to-seed brother needs, for his duties are less arduous. Each day brings change and recreation for him while the editor wearily turns the crank of the newspaper mill in some department with an unending and unvarying grind.

A western congressman said to me one time that he felt he could always thank Providence for two things, no matter how discouraging were the circumstances with which he was connected, namely: that he had not been born a girl nor been obliged to be a printer. Had he added a New York editor to the list, the thing would be yet more complete.

Yet the editor may find some grains of comfort in his chosen lot. He may turn the crank without great advantage to himself but he has the assurance that he is doing something for other people while satisfying ordinary temporal wants and he may feel pride in the fact that however limited the returns in a financial sense from his labors part of his individuality has gone to make not only the papers of New York but those of the United States the wonder of the world.

The salaries of editors on the New York papers vary of course. Some of the best paid men hold their positions partially as a matter of favoritesm or friendship, but as a rule every tub stands on its own bottom.

The editors-in-chiefs of several papers draw $12,000 to $15,000 annually and have charge of the editorial writing corps of their papers. The routine work of the sheet is left to a managing editor who as a rule is paid about $5,000 and who is usually the man to see on any ordinary subject connected with the editorial business of the establishment. The managing editor has one or two assistants.

City editors are paid all sorts of salaries—from $40 to $100 a week, the former figure on afternoon papers. They have assistants also—two or three of them and the same things can be said both as to salaries and assistants of telegraph and dramatic editors. I think the salaries of good intelligent editors on a grand average to include all the places and papers, morning and evening, will run at say $50 for about 8 hours actual work. The average pay for reporters on the same plan would be perhaps $30 though some of the best men make $75 with much less work than an editor of the same ability in his line.

What are the requirements of a good editor? That depends on what he has to do, of course. The financial editor must know the meaning of every ebb and flow in stocks and most of them have been practical operators on the street and know a broker a mile away. The dramatic editor has a similarly intimate knowledge of the people he is brought in contact with and the city editor has the faculty not only of estimating news at its true value but of making news. He puts this and that and the other circumstance together and sees that the combination makes a startling piece of news. He must be a student of human nature too and learn just what work his reporters are adapted to and apportion his assignments accordingly. The political editor must have general acquaintanceship with public men that he may interpret their moves, and he has specially educated himself for the duties he essays. The assistants are authorities on the value of news and the proper manner of treating each happening. The odor of a libel suit reaches them afar off, and a sensation is appreciated at a glance.

So it goes throughout the list. The reporter is a mighty interesting and useful fellow, but so is the editor when one gets acquainted with him, and he won't make any fuss about it either.

CLARENCE CHADWICK.

Women's Sleeping-Car Rights.

A recent traveller who is a close student of the tricks and manners of womankind declares that the sleeping-car rights of men are in jeopardy. There is a custom lately come into vogue for women who have purchased upper berths to ask men who have been fortunate enough to secure lower ones to exchange with them. They rely on choosing whatever whatever berth they wish when they board the train, and so will accept anything at the office.

This requisition upon the comfort of the unknown and helpless male traveller is made by the woman with the smildg assurance of getting what she wants. The man gives up his check, crawls up to the top shelf, swelters as long as he cans tand it, and probably ends by taking himself and his smothered blasphemy into the smoking-car for the rest of the night. Three men were victimized in this manner recently, and they formed a sort of protective league during the indignation meeting to which they adjourned in the wee sma' hours of the ensuing day, and agreed never agatn to give up their berths.—[Exchange.

JOE GERHARDT says that "Snapper" Lang, of Jersey City, is the best short stop in the profession. "I have seen the best men in that position play, both in the League and American Association," he said, "but Lang is superior to Glassock, Ward, Smith, Williamson or anybody."

MEN'S MANNERS.

HARRISON smokes but never drinks.

THE Mayor of Chicago boasts of fifty-seven pair of trousers.

MARION CRAWFORD has black hair, blue eyes and a good figure.

ALEXANDER DUMAS requires from eight to nine hours repose.

THE Thakore Sahib of Sohdam has married his fifty-first wife.

DR. WILLIAMS, of London, has a copy of the Bible in shorthand.

ROGER Q. MILLS has a passion for the collection of old walking sticks.

ELISAH GIBBONS, of Irontown, Ohio, is 105 years old and frisky as a boy.

GIOVANNI MORISINI is a great collector of mediæval and ancient armor.

EDGAR SALTUS is dark as an Indian and wears his hair carefully straight.

ROBERT BURNS NILSON, the Kentucky poet, is a tall and handsome young fellow.

THOMAS BAILEY ALDRICH has a splendid pair of dark eyes and a carefully waxed moustache.

W. H. BISHOP and Sydney Luska devote some of their spare hours to amateur photography.

LAWYER MARBURY recently made a speech thirty-five hours long in a Baltimore court room.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND wears a pepper and salt business suit at the White House Monday receptions.

SIR JOHN MACDONALD, the Canadian Premier, has been compelled to part with his wisdom teeth.

BRAYON IVES, has probably the most valuable collection of manuscripts and rare books in America.

EDWARD GEORGE WASHINGTON BUTLER is the oldest living graduate of the West Point Military Academy,

ROBERT LOUIS STEVENSON is now in San Francisco making preparations for a voyage to the South Seas.

ROBERT HOE, the printing press man, spent a fortune in his library, his taste running to rich and valuable bindings.

OLIVER P. RHAME, who made $250,000 out of the invention of the self-scratching match, had a dream which suggested the device.

AFTER leaving his office, Jay Gould goes to his library and studies out the questions of the day from a historical and literary point.

MARK TWAIN is an enthusiast regarding baseball, and attends all the games played at Hartford. He is studying that department of American humor which deals with umpires, but finds that it offers but little inspiration.

PRESIDENT CLEVELAND called on Attorney-General Garland a few days ago and told him to leave Washington and take a long rest. Mr. Garland is thoroughly run down, and is at present unfit for work. He will soon go to Homlay Hill, Ak., for quiet and recuperation.

PROF. RUDOLPH VIRCHOW, upon whom Emperor Frederick recently conferred the Order of the Red Eagle, is the possessor of eleven decorations, including the Iron Cross and two memorial crosses of the war of 1870-71. His learned colleague, Prof. Theodor Mommsen, wears seven decorations, among them the Order of the Crown.

SULLIVAN G. COMSTOCK, of Moorehead, Minn. whom the Republicans have nominated to succeed Representative Knute Nelson in the House, was born in Maine. In 1871 he went to Moorehead as a day laborer on the Northern Railroad. To-day he is worth a quarter of a million dollars. He laid out all the towns along the line of the Manitoba Railroad, and thus had a chance to make money in real estate. He studied law in Omaha, Neb., and is an able man. Knute Nelson wants to be either Governor of Minnesota or United States Senator from that State.

AROUND THE BASES.

UMPIRE JOHN KELLY has adopted a snow white uniform.

AL SPALDING has so far signed fourteen players for the Australian trip.

PITCHER MOFFETT has been released by Indianapolis and Catcher Farmer by Pittsburg.

THE Cleveland management is trying to buy catcher Jack Boyle's release from the St. Louis Browns.

EVERY club in the New England League has at some time this season held the leading position in the race for the pennant.

"OLD CAL" MCVEY, once a star ball player and associate of Al. Spalding, is playing second for the San Diego Club, of the California League.

WHITNEY denies that he has withdrawn his suit against the Detroit Club, and says that he will not do so, though Detroit has offered to compromise.

PITTSBURGERS are rather taken with Knell. their new California pitcher. Wildness in delivery is his main fault, but on the whole he promises to be a success.

RAMSEY has shown marked improvement in his pitching of late, and if he continues his present control of his arm and habits Louisville will not release him.

CATCHER KINSLOW, formerly of the Detroits, but now of the London, Ont., Club has caught a greater number of games than any other player in the business.

WITH the "only" Kelly demoralized, Clarkson in a huff and lame and Nash and Ray injured) the present outlook for the Boston Club is not very encouraging.

CHICAGO'S new club room is finely carpeted, is light and airy and contains, besides a file of all the leading papers, billiard and pool tables, easy chairs and lounges.

MR. KETCHAM, a millionaire, is now the sole owner of the Toledo team. He says he is willing to strengthen the nine if a place is made for him in the American Association.

JOHN MANNING has been released by Nashua at his own request. The veteran is in good shape and will probably soon join a Western League or International Association club.

YOUNG lady at a base ball game in the last half of the ninth inning (to escort): "Tell me, Harry, what is that man in the middle of the square all the time throwing that ball at the man with his back to us for?"

VALENTINE has withdrawn his resignation as umpire. He says he proposes to stick until removed by President Young, and that he will see to it that Anson behaves like a gentleman in all games he umpires.

AFTER several weeks of estrangement the baseball public in Pittsburg is taking kindly to the local team again because of the recent victories of the club, and at present baseball enthusiasm is just as high as it ever was.

ONE of the Philadelphia catchers is responsible for the statement that if Harry Wright suspects one of his players of imbibing too freely, he will open a confidential conversation with the idea of smelling the player's breath.

BATES, of Harvard, now pitching for the Staten Island Athletic Club, says it is all talk about his pitching for Yale next year and that he will positively pitch for Harvard. He is going to spend his summer at Staten Island.

IN an interview at St. Louis Bobby Caruthers denied that he had ever said anything against the players or the management of the St. Louis Club, and expressed the most complete satisfaction with his surroundings and treatment.

AL SPALDING is keeping his muscle hard this season by playing lawn tennis, riding the bicycle and participating in other light sports. He is a great tennis player and contemplates a contest with the champion amateurs of America.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 8.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.46, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.33, 1.21, 2.25, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.25, p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.28, 9.23, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.00, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.00, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a. m. 2.02, 3.35, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.58, 8.08, 8.17, 9.38, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.12, 10.14, a. m., 12.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 8.50, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.20, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.92, 5.57, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12 a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.25, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6.58, 9.24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.57, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton. 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45, 6.09, 8.17, p. m., 3.15, night. Sunday—9.30, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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Ninth and Green streets, 7.30, 8.30, 9.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 5.30, 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.20, 9.05, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.35, 8.00, 9.00, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.25, 5.52, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 6.15, p. m.

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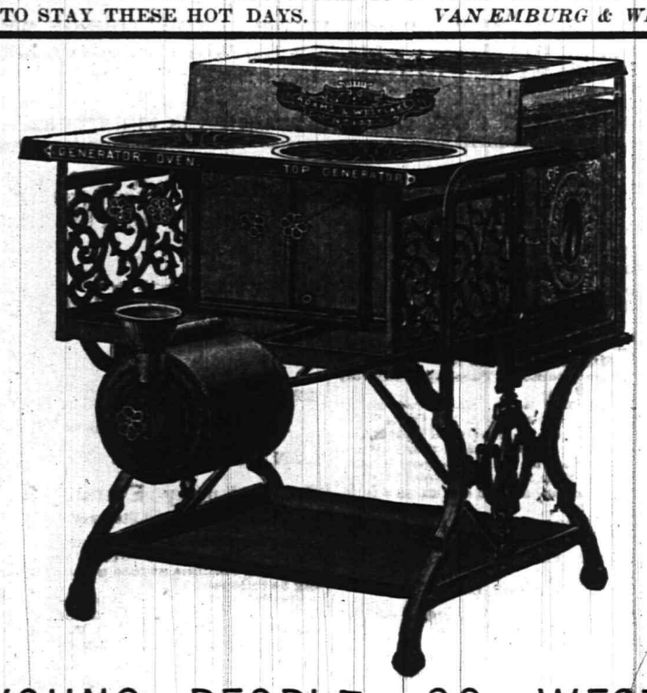

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SHAKING THINGS UP.

An Investigation of the Immigration Question.

FOREIGN LABOR PROBLEMS.

The Congressional Committee's First Session—Steamship Agents Testify About the Business of the Lines They Represent—How the Steerage Business is Conducted.

NEW YORK, July 26.—The special committee appointed by Speaker Carlisle, of the House of Representatives, on the resolution of Congressman Melbourne H. Ford, of Michigan, to inquire into the methods in operation at Castle Garden, held their first session in room 18 at the Westminster Hotel to-day.

The committee is composed of Mr. Ford, chairman, Gen. Francis C. Spinola, of this city; W. C. Oates, of Alabama; W. W. Morrow, of California, Richard Guenther, of Wisconsin.

Messrs. Spinola and Oates were detained at Washington and did not participate in to-day's proceedings. They arrived here this evening.

Among the witnesses present under subpœna to-day were E. L. Boas, of the Hamburg steamer line: Louis Contenci, president of the Italian Emigration Society, and Jacob Judelsohn, originator of the Jewish Emigrant Protection Association of New York and Philadelphia.

Mr. Boas was the first witness and Chairman Ford examined him, eliciting the information that the boats of his company plied between New York and Hamburg. There are twenty-nine steam vessels, with two arrivals each week.

The vessels brought over 53,057 steerage passengers in 1883, 56,184 in 1884, 38,943 in 1885, 29,782 in 1886 and 27,352 in 1887.

One-third of the emigrants coming over his line engage passage through emigration commissions in Germany, and two-thirds of them go to places outside of this city, by the original contract on which their tickets are purchased.

They buy tickets to their final destination, and are obliged to leave Castle Garden within twenty-four hours after their arrival in order to receive the benefit of the special rates extended to them by the Hamburg line.

Agents of the company receive 11 per cent. of the selling price of the tickets, and every person applying for a passage ticket is required to show a Government passport stating that he has never been convicted of any offense.

To Mr. Guenther, who is himself a German, Mr. Boas said that though the passport afforded no information regarding the mental state or physical ability of the emigrant, the agents of the company made careful inquiry as to these matters, and persons who might become paupers in America were rejected.

Mr. Boas admitted that twenty-five or fifty emigrants arriving from Hamburg had been returned by the Emigration Commissioners as persons liable to become paupers, but declared that no criminals or lunatics had ever been found among the steerage passengers on his line.

To Mr. Morrow Mr. Boas explained that a person in Germany desiring to emigrate must apply to the magistrate in the town for permission. He must show that he is not liable to military service, and the magistrate then issues the passport.

Able-bodied men from eighteen to twenty-one years of age, are liable to military service, but if one is physically imperfect, or has been dismissed from service, he may obtain a permit to emigrate.

"Then the certificate is in security against the emigration of physically imperfect men?" asked Mr. Morrow.

"None. The only safeguard is the anxiety of my company not to bring over any emigrants that will be sent back."

To Mr. Guenther, Mr. Boas declared that he had never heard, except in American newspapers, of any society in Germany which had for its object, charitably or otherwise, the promotion of emigration to America.

His company had been called to account once or twice for violation of the law which limits the number of passengers to be carried by the steamers, but the excess was never more than ten or twelve, and the Secretary of the Treasury, being satisfied that only a technical violation had occurred, dismissed the matter without the imposition of the $5,000 fine.

The company has Bohemian, Polish and Hungarian agents in this city, and they have blocks of fifty tickets in blank. They sell these tickets on their own judgment.

The Hungarian emigrants are in the main part common laborers. The Bohemians are about equally divided, being laborers and agriculturalists, and the Poles are common laborers as a class. Buffalo and Chicago are centres for the Poles.

William Coberly, the agent of the Anchor and other lines, was next called. Prepaid tickets to Naples cost $23, and the same price from Naples to this port by that line. Since 1883 steerage passengers have been landed by this line as follows from Naples: 1883, 10,337; 1884, 2,458; 1885, 3,146; 1886, 6,691; 1887, 11,128.

The tickets are usually sold to families and friends of immigrants, but there are some Italian agencies that sell their own tickets to their agents in Naples. The agencies buy the tickets to protect themselves. Mr. Coberly said that 90 per cent. of the immigrant tickets were sold by the so-called Italian bankers and brokers of Mulberry street. About 50 per cent. of the Italian immigrants come to this country on prepaid tickets.

"I should say that 75 per cent. of the Italians remain in New York," said Mr. Coberly.

"If a man wanted to get 500 common laborers from Italy," continued the witness "he could go to the Italian brokers and get the tickets and the steamship companies could not prevent it."

"But are they not induced to come over by stories of high wages and the happiness in store for them when they get here?" asked Mr. Ford.

"Well, said Mr. Coberly, "a ship load of passengers is 600 or 800, and we haven't time to hear every man's reason for coming."

John M. Kirk, the passenger agent for the Inman line, was next examined. His line runs five steamers from Liverpool and Queenstown for emigrant business, and the persons brought over are English, Scotch, Irish, Norwegians, Swedes and a few Germans. The price for emigrant tickets is $20. The general office in Bowling Green sells about 75 per cent. of the tickets and the agent sells about 25 per cent. The company has only five or six agents in the city. The number of prepaid tickets sold is about 33 per cent. Immigrants were landed by this line as follows: 1883, 22,750; 1884, 20,162; 1885, 21,185; 1886, 25,659; 1887, 27,264.

About 80 per cent. of the passengers on this line go west and 20 per cent. mostly Irish remain in New York city and vicinity.

Mr. Kirk said that his company always returned insane persons, when they had landed or not. Mr. Gunthear said that he knew that skilled laborers came here every year and worked during the summer, and went back in the winter. Mr. Kirk did not know about this.

CONSPIRACY.

A Plot to Murder Prince Ferdinand Discovered.

VIENNA, July 26.—A plot has been discovered, the object of which was to take the life of Prince Ferdinand of Bulgaria.

Two Russians against whom suspicion was directed have been arrested in Rustchuk by the Roumanian police.

On their persons and in their domicile documents were found revealing a conspiracy to assassinate Prince Ferdinand, overturn the Bulgarian Government and place Bulgaria under Russian control.

The men will be brought before the police authorities for further examination before an open hearing is given.

There is much excitement in Rustchuk over the disclosures. The Roumanians are indignant that Russian emissaries make their country the hot bed of conspiracies against the Prince.

Arrested at His Wedding.

PATERSON, July 26.—Lewis B. Stackhouse, a Newark young man, was arrested here last night, just as he was about to marry Hattie Grafton, of 115 Pearl street.

His bride, a pretty girl of 18, was left weeping and disconsolate at her father's house.

Stackhouse retained Richard Randall as his lawyer. The attorney pronounced the arrest an outrage, and said that it would be advisable to sue Justice Demont, Officer Quinlan and the complainant, Mrs. Charlotte Bush.

This woman says Stackhouse obtained $30 from her under false pretense. Stackhouse says he simply owes her a board bill of $20. He is 22 years of age, and is a piano and organ agent.

WASHINGTON.

Senators Still Differ on the Course to Pursue on the Tariff.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—There are very important differences of opinion among the Republicans of the Senate as to the proper course to be pursued in regard to the tariff.

There are three sets of opinions. Some of the Senators believe that the proper thing to do is to leave the Mills bill with the Senate Committee and to make no report upon it until next winter.

The second opinion is that the most politic thing to do is to perfect the bill, report it to the Senate, debate it enough to show the differences between it and the Mills bill, and then adjourn, leaving both the Mills bill and the Senate substitute unacted upon.

The third proposition is to perfect the Senate bill, pass it, and send the two bills to a conference committe, and then adjourn, leaving the issue in dispute between the two houses in a conference committee which it is to be assumed would not agree.

The illness of Representative Scott of Pennsylvania is not serious. He expects to go to New York very soon to enter upon his work in connection with the Democratic National Campaign Committee.

Discussion of a number of unimportant bills consumed the time of the Senate yesterday. In the house debate was in order on a bill to establish a United States land court for the settlement of claims in Arizona, Colorado and New Mexico.

For Arthur and the Strikers.

CHICAGO, July 26.—Chicago Division No. 10, Brotherhood of Locomotive Engineers, which is composed of representatives of all the roads entering Chicago except the "Q," Rock Island and Northwestern, has resolved to continue aid to the "Q" strikers, though the organization is opposed to a boycott. Chief Arthur is endorsed.

Great Crops of Grain and Hay.

BELVIDERE, N. J., July 26.—There has not for a decade of years been known a better yield of grain and hay than has been gathered by the farmers of Warren and Sussex counties. The barns are overflowing and immense stacks have been erected to contain the unusual crop.

Emperors to Meet in Rome.

LONDON, July 26.—A dispatch from Rome says the Italian government has been officially notified that Kaiser Wilhelm will visit Rome, and that it is probable that Emperor Franz Josef will come at the same time.

Luther's Manuscripts Found.

BERLIN, July 26.—Prof. Tschaker, of the Konigsberg University, has discovered, in the library numerous hitherto unknown manuscripts of sermons and commentaries written by Martin Luther in the period from 1519 to 1521.

Germany and the Socialists.

BERLIN, July 26.—The Cologne Gazette denies that the German government intends to protest against the socialist congress which it is proposed to hold at Paris during the exhibition there next year.

The End of Natural Gas.

PITTSBURG, July 26.—Selwyn Taylor, a prominent local mining engineer and coal expert, says that the outlook of the coal industry is brighter than ever, and prophesies the exhaustion of natural gas in two years.

Gov. Alger Buys a Gold Mine.

ISHPEMING, July 26.—Gen. Alger and other capitalists have decided to take a controlling interest in the Ropes gold mine, they paying for it $125,000.

Two Unfortunate Princes.

BERLIN, July 26.—The deaths of Kaiser Wilhelm I. and Kaiser Friedrich have cost the Princes of Thurn and Taxis feudal contributions amounting to 2,000,000 marks.

Rains in Southern Russia.

LONDON, July 26.—The crops in Southern Russia are being spoiled by heavy rain.

FRIGHTFUL ACCIDENT.

A Gallery Full of Working Girls Gives Way.

THE BODY OF ONE FOUND.

Awful Panic Among Female Employees of a Printing House and Bindery—Tons of Machinery and Debris Crashing Downward, Carrying the Girls With Them.

NEW YORK, July 26.—A shocking accident occurred late yesterday afternoon in the building known as "The Arsenal," corner of Elm and White streets. One young woman was crushed to death, and a score or more had very narrow escapes from being killed in a most horrible manner.

The second floor is leased by the McWilliams Printing Company. This concern occupies the entire second floor, and covers a space fully seventy-five feet square. There is no floor above, but all along three sides of the printing shop is a crudely constructed gallery about twelve feet in width. This portion of the building is occupied by Charles W. Lovell, a bookbinder, who has in his employ about seventy-five young women.

Shortly after 4 this afternoon a rumbling, crackling noise was heard. For a moment the building seemed to tremble as if from the effects of an earthquake. The female employees were frightened at first, but as no further disturbances followed they settled down to ther book binding machines.

A few minutes later there came a crash.

A portion of the falling ceiling on the north side of the structure gave way, and with its human freight, as well as the heavy machines, went thundering down to the floor below.

The portion carried down in the crash was fully fifty feet in length, and the hole made in the descent to the cellar through the second floor was fully as large.

A panic ensued among the hundred or more employes of both establishments, and there was a wild flight for safety. Through the only exit available scrambled and tumbled down fully one hundred human beings, many of the females shrieking and not a few going into hysterics.

An alarm was sent out and soon a reserve force from the Sixth Precinct, under Sergeant Donovan, was on the scene. It was reported that three girls, two boys and one man were buried under the ruins, so a call for the Fire Department was sent in, which brought Trucks Nos. 1 and 8 into active service.

In the rear portion of John Simmons' shop was dumped perhaps 100 tons of paper. Mixed in with the stuff were plenty of ponderous machines. The debris reached higher than the ceiling, which it had carried away. Mixed in or under this tremendous weight, it was said, were several human beings.

The firemen, assisted by volunteers, set to work to recover the bodies or rescue the persons, as the case might be.

It was a hopeless task, but all hands worked like Trojans. Finally a faint cry was heard. It was the pleading and piteous voice of a girl begging her would-be rescuers not to give up their task.

Bundles of paper, each weighing 100 pounds, were dragged out, and bits of timber and the iron from the broken machinery thrown on one side.

The voice appealing for help grew fainter, but the firemen stuck to their task, and in a little while Jeremiah Moriarty, one of the volunteer rescuers, shouted out: "Here she is!"

A heavy beam, one end of which fortunately caught in the joint above, had kept the tremendous weight off of the unfortunate victim.

She was finally dragged out of her precarious position and proved to be Minnie Hayes, 19 years old, of 123 Lake street, Jersey City.

She had been carried from the gallery to the basement, and miraculously escaped without a scratch or bruise.

She was quite sure that some of her associates must have been killed, but she did not know their names.

While firemen were searching for bodies on the ground floor, other members of the departments were engaged in a similar search on the floor above.

They found a lifeless body a short distance from the wrecked gallery. It was that of Miss Maria Bagnell, aged 22, of 23 Van Brunt street, Brooklyn.

The unfortunate woman had been literally crushed to death, and when found her remains rested under a machine weighing a ton. Several others were badly injured.

Their Golden Jubilee.

LONDON, July 26.—Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone celebrated their golden wedding to-day.

They were the recipients of hundreds of letters and telegrams congratulating them upon the event and also numerous presents in commemoration thereof.

At the reception given by Lord Spencer, at his residence, Mr. and Mrs. Gladstone were presented with magnificent portraits of themselves. That of Mrs. Gladstone was by Herkomer, and that of the ex-Premier by Holl.

Lord Granville presented the portraits in a short address appropriate to the occasion. The couple were presented with three large silver cups and a handsomely illuminated adres, signed by 150 persons, whose names figure prominently in English circles.

No Longer an Infidel.

SPRINGFIELD, Ill., July 26.—The professed conversion to christianity at yesterday's Faith Cure camp meeting of A. G. Wood, aged 82, who was Bob Ingersoll's first instructor in the doctrines of unbelief, will be made the subject of a special praise and prayer meeting this afternoon.

Against Democrats and George.

OSHKOSH, Wis., July 26.—The State Labor Convention refused to fuse the party with the democrats, and declined to put Henry George's idea of a graduated income tax into the platform. Straight labor nominations were made.

Silver Shiners Galore.

SPOKANE FALLS, W. T., July 26.—The discovery of a rich quartz mine six miles from the mouth of Ruby Creek and fifty miles from the town of Palouse in the famous agricultural and blue grass valley of the Palouse has caused much excitement in the neighborhood.

A small expedition set out for the scene of the discovery, and some of the quartz was brought to Palouse. The assay report gave seventy-two to seventy-eight ounces of silver.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The firm of A. M. Vanderbeek & Co., are still at the old stand (Chautauqua Building), with a full line of fishing paraphernalia; also, bicycles, musical instruments, sporting goods, etc.

—There will be no encampment of the Grand Army of the Republic in New Jersey this year. The Council of Administration, at its session at Newark recently, postponed the matter indefinitely.

—The members of the Tippecanoe Club are arranging for an excursion on August 7th. The excursionists will sail out to Sandy Hook, and meet Hon. Jas. G. Blaine, who is expected to arrive from Europe on that date.

—Some miscreant set fire to a large stump in front of Mr. J. W. Yates' residence on Seventh street last evening, and for a time the flames threatened to ignite with the fence. A few pails of water put out the fire.

—At a special meeting of the Borough Council held on Tuesday evening, the ordinance relating to the establishment of a fire department, was considered at length and adopted. Provision was made for the collection of money to maintain the fire department, and also for street lighting purposes.

—Gentlemen who wear the proper thing in furnishing goods, and the correct and latest styles in scarfs and ties, deal exclusively at Horton's, No. 5 West Front street, opposite Somerset. A full line of those fine French flannel shirts that are so extensively worn this season on all occasions, can be found at Horton's, and everything for head-wear from the blazier cap to the silk tile.

—Next Wednesday morning at 8:25 o'clock, the popular excursion conducted every year by Mr. Edward Nelson and Mr. Eugene Laing, will leave Plainfield for Long Branch and Ocean Grove, returning at 7 o'clock in the evening. It is not necessary to say a word in praise or favor of this particular excursion, as the public is thoroughly aware that no other excels it for convenience, comfort and entire satisfaction.

—The case of The City vs. Rothenhausen, came up before City Judge Suydam at 10 A. M., today. The charge was a violation of the peace and order ordinance. John H. Jackson, Esq., (who appeared for the city in the absence of Mr. Marsh), was on hand with a number of witnesses, but the defendant, who was represented by Hon. John Ulrich, decided not to conduct any and entered a plea of *non vult* and was fined $15.

Mr. George Sanders' Bird Wins the Long Fly.

Although the other members of the Plainfield Homing Club have been having the past races all to themselves, yet they have always felt somewhat aware that the day was coming when in a long fly Mr. George Sander's loft would reap honor and glory.

Such is at last the result. Tuesday of last week birds belonging to Messrs. Hervey and Charles Doane, George Sanders and Sydney Dorman, where shipped by express to Charlotte, N. C., 500 miles from Plainfield. They were consigned to the U. S. Signal officer at that place, with instructions to release them the first pleasant and favorable day. Yesterday morning at 5:19 o'clock the birds were let off. The sky was as clear as a bell, and the wind was with the birds. This morn- just as the clock was strking nine, Mr. Sanders' "Independence," who was started in the race, arrived home, tired out but victorious.

Newspaper Credits.

(From the Central Times.)

We are glad to see that the *Daily Press* is careful to give credit for articles copied from other papers. It intended to do the right thing on Tuesday, when it credited the Elizabeth *Journal* with the compilation of New Jersey pensions. As that article was compiled for the TIMES in the particular form in which it appeared, the Elizabeth paper, which copied it from us, is not entitled to credit. The one who first collected the figures from official sources is the person deserving of the principal credit. But he is not known. We take pleasure, however, in commending the *Press* for its intentions to do right. Some newspapers are unconscionable thieves in their course of appropriating original matter from other papers without giving due credit.

SLOW BUT SURE.

THE CLOUDS THICKEN AROUND THE WESTFIELD MURDER MYSTERY.

Nellie Conners Identifies the Clothing as That Worn by Miller—The Murdered Man's Sister Becomes Hysterical on the Witness Stand—Additional Information Brought Out at the Inquest Yesterday—Adjourned to August 2.

The inquiry into the death of the murdered man found in the woods at Westfield, on Sunday, July 15, was continued in the Town Rooms at that place, before Coroner Miller and a jury, yesterday afternoon. The evidence brought out slowly but surely links the chain of circumstantial evidence, which is fastening itself around Frederick Baldwin and another man, both of whom are thought to have been directly implicated in the deed, or to know something about it. Assistant Prosecutor Swift of Elizabeth conducted the examination.

As usual the rooms were filled with a crowd of curiosity seekers, most of whom were obliged to remain standing through out the session.

At 2:25 P. M., Coroner Miller called the roll, each of the eleven jurors responding to his name.

The first witness was William Dallas, recalled. He testified to seeing a wad of pulpy paper taken from the left hand trouser pocket, and also to the arrangement of the clothing. The victim he said, wore drawers, and the shirt was not disarranged. The suspenders were buttoned at both ends. The coat was of blue serge cloth, and was evidently clean when found, except where the decomposed matter had come in contact with it.

William S. Welsh, a juryman, was next called, and testified to finding the victim's hat on Thursday, the 19th inst. He was in company with Detectives Keron and Marsh. The hat was found about 40 feet southeast from the body, in a direct line with Trask's barn. The hat was water soaked, and had evidently lain there for some time. When found, the hat was lying rim up, and a quantity of leaves under it were bright and dry. The leaves around it were wet. Witness said he first showed the hat to Mrs. Lawrence, who was in doubt whether Miller wore a straw hat or not. She, however, was positive that he wore a light hat. The hat was also shown to the two hired girls, and one of them, Nellie Conners, remarked: "That's Miller's hat." Witness was within five or six feet of the hat when he discovered it. It could not have blown to the spot where it was found, as the leaves and trees would have prevented it.

Nellie Conners, a prepossessing brunette, dressed in black, next took the stand. She testified substantially as follows: Have lived at Mr. Lawrence's since February. Two men, Edward Miller and Patrick Cronin were employed on the place. Miller came after I engaged with Mrs. Lawrence. Miller wore a straw hat and blue suit. Witness said she recognized the hat by the peculiar straw. It had faded, and was not new. She had seen pencil marks on the lining. (Witness was shown the hat, when she positively identified it as that worn by Miller.) Referring to the shirt, she said he sometimes wore a white one, and at other times wore a white shirt with pink stripes, and collar to match. Saw Miller the day he left Mrs. Lawrence's: saw him that evening standing in front of Pierson's store. When Mrs. Lawrence paid him off, he went in the direction of Trask's barn; he was carrying a valise which he brought to the place with him and usually kept it in his room. Mrs. Lawrence paid him $28.

Miller left no clothing; the valise locked with a key, but the witness stated that she never saw the key. She described the satchel as about two feet long, black, and not very expensive. A satchel was produced, but the witness failed to recognize it. She also described the pearl handled pocket knife found with the body, and identified the one shown her by Chief Keron. She was of the opinion that Miller had false teeth, because he would always put his hand on his right cheek when eating, as though the teeth were falling out. The witness could not identify the necktie worn by the murdered man, but recognized a white handkerchief with a red border. Miller scarcely ever wore gloves. One Sunday he wore a pair of dark brown gloves, which the witness thought were kid. The shirt produced she said, was the one worn by Miller on the day he left Mrs. Lawrence's. He also wore blue coat and vest and brown pants. Miller had a whole suit of blue. (Witness here identified the clothing shown her.) She described the shoes as being small, with laces, and tipped at the points. Miss Conners stated that she positively recognized the articles of clothing shown her. She described Miller as a delicate-looking man, with slight moustache, blue eyes, brown hair, medium height. She added that Miller had some slight difference with Mrs. Lawrence before leaving.

Miller had no visitors; he was in the habit of talking to Baldwin, and on several occasions the latter came over to Mrs. Lawrence's. On Sunday Miller usually went to church or out for a walk. He was also seen talking to Mr. Tice's man, Edward McDonald. At one time, Miss Conners stated, she heard *they* had been in Trask's barn. Miller was quiet in his manner, although at one time the witness said, she had a quarrel with him about some pigeons. He objected to having her order him around.

Mary Augusta Miller, a sister of the victim, was next led to the witness stand, and several times while she was giving her testimony, she became hysterical. Miss Miller stated that she lived with an adopted aunt between Old Bridge and South River; her parents were dead; and besides herself there is but one living sister; Edward L., was the only brother; she saw her brother last on Sunday, June 3, when he visited her and remained from 12:30 o'clock until six or seven o'clock in the evening. He came over the night before from Westfield; he wore a black prince albert suit, and white straw hat with a dark band; he left with same clothing on. After leaving the house, Miller went to Sayerville, about 1½ miles distant, ostensibly to get some clothing from Peter VanDeventer, who reared him and brought him up from an infant. Miss Miller never saw her brother afterward. He then wore a white shirt with a red stripe; he had one false tooth an the left side in front; he was under size, sickly and complaining; had mustache, just started; was 26 years of age, last fall. Witness stated that Miller was three years her senior, and that he visited her either in February or March last; he made his home at Van Deventer's, and had a trunk there; he had a gold watch, but no chain; the watch was stolen about two years ago, but was subsequently returned. Her brother, she said, worked in the Summer time and studied for the ministry in Pennington Seminary during the Winter months. At this point in the proceedings, Miss Miller was shown some of her brother's manuscript, which she recognized. It was in the shape of a letter written to a Mrs. Cross on April 24th, 1877, and stated that the writer had been paid and had taken his clothes from Van Deventer's. The paper was signed "Edward Mellen."

Mrs. Ervilla C. Lawrence, was the next witness called. She described the location of her residence and told of her engaging Miller at an intelligence office in New York city. Miller, she said, had told her that he was an orphan, and belonged near New Brunswick. He was very reticent about himself, and was never quarrelsome; he was intelligent and industrious. Witness said she used to pity him, on account of his delicate condition. Considerable time was taken up by Prosecutor Swift in ascertaining whether or not Miller had ever been instructed by Mrs. Lawrence regarding the planting of egg plants, but the latter did not distinctly remember telling him. She admitted, however, that she purchased some egg plants from a Mr. Woodruff, which she took home, and told Miller to set out.

Mrs. Lawrence also identified the hat as that worn by the murdered man on the Saturday, (June 23,) she paid him his wages. Miller told her he was going to stay in Westfield until the following Monday, and she asked him if he was going to stay at "Fred's," meaning Baldwin's. He replied that he was: this was about 9 A.M. Between that time and noon, when she paid him, Miller removed all of his effects.

In answer to a question from Prosecutor Swift, as to whether anyone knew that Miller had received his wages, she replied: "I presume the whole neighborhood knew it; that's generally the way in Westfield," (Laughter.) The witness corroborated the testimony of the other witnesses as to Miller's physique, and stated that when he returned from South River, he brought a bundle of clothing with him. The resemblance between Miller and his sister was very striking. Mrs. Lawrence had some conversation with Miller about leaving, but the two parted in pleasant spirits; when she paid him he came direct from Trask's barn. She had heard that he visited a Justice's office during the day. The denomination of the bank note bills were two tens, one five, a two and a one. In all Miller had been paid about $52.

Patrick Casey, the morgue-keeper, testified to his taking charge of the body and effects. He found that the buttonholes on the vest had been cut. He saw no bundle of pulpy paper; no roll of bills.

The inquest was then adjourned until Thursday of next week.

Let's All Go!

The First Baptists, their Sunday School and Mission will take their annual "plunge" in Old Ocean to-morrow, and invite everybody to go along on the usual terms. The train, in two sections, will leave Plainfield at 8:30 A. M., and Ocean Grove at 7:30 P. M. Plenty of time to get ready in the morning and a ride home in the cool of the evening. A baggage car on each section will convey the lunch baskets which owners will find at the Excursion House on Wesley Lake, when wanted. The Congregationalists are going along. Let's all go!

I. O. O. L.

An organization of the Independent Order of Odd Ladies, the first in this State, has applied for a transfer of its charter to this city from Massachusetts. The membership of the Order is confined to the wives of Odd Fellows, and the above branch was brought to Plainfield by the families of employees in the Pond Tool Works.

Trotting In August.

The State Association of Trotting-Horse Breeders will hold a meeting on the Fair grounds at Somerville, on Aug. 15 and 16. There will be four races each day. The different classes are all filled and there will not be a single walk-over. The best trotting progeny of the State will appear in the lists.

—Margaret E. McLaughlin recently transferred to Herman Hansen, property in North Plainfield. The consideration was $150.

SPECIAL "CUT" PRICES!

COMMENCING SATURDAY, JULY 21st, and will continue for a *few days only*. *Bargains* in nice *new* goods that can be relied on as the best quality and latest styles.

PURE Silk Mits, our 50ct grade for 39cts; our 60ct grade for 50cts; our 75ct grade for 60cts; our $1 grade for 80cts. Ladies' Linen Chemisetts at 20cts regular price is 25 to 30cts. Our 8ct folding Jap. fans for 4cts. Colored border, hem-stitched handkerchiefs for 5cts; Linen, do., for 9cts., regular price is 12 to 15cts. Ladies' Bal. Hose, regular made, for 15cts., regular price 20cts. The "Brewster" and "Silk Fitting" Corsets for 75cts., regular price is $1. India Linen, 15cts., regular price 20cts.

BICYCLE and Tennis Shirts reduced. Our $1.25 style for $1; our $1.75 style for $1.50; our $2 plain and French-striped for $1.75; our $1.75 in plaid and striped for $1.50; our $2 white emb. front for $1.50; Boys', do., in white and colored for $1.15, regular price is $1.35.

SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7½cts; Colored window Scrim 9cts, regular price 12cts; Linen crash 5cts; Unbleached table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

WE have left a few Cotton-striped Skirts, will close out cheap. Our 50ct style for 39cts; our 75ct style for 60cts; our $1 style for 75cts. Our 65ct Boys' Percale Waists for 55c. Our 85c do. for 75c. Besides numerous other bargains not mentioned here.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE.*

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BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

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SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window. Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 25, 1888.

Ahlsborg, Miss Dora	Muhli, Mrs.
Anderson, Augustus	Monroe, Miss Sarah
Abbot, Miss E. R.	Marsh, W. J.
Ashworth, Robert	McKinley, W. G.
Boutin, A. C.	Moore, Miss Maria
Brown, Mrs. T.	McDanald, M.
Brokaw, Miss Mary	Morris, Mrs Jas. T.
Benton, W. S.	Missen, Christian
Bloomfield, Miss Lulu	Oakley, Miss Sadie
Carolan, Mr. J.	Phillips, Mrs. Hattie
Clark, Mrs. Jas	Randolph, Mrs. E.
Crooke, G. L.	Rannon, Miss Florence
Davenport, Mrs. W. E.	Randolph, Mrs. Sarah 2
Dickson, Mrs. Thos.	Runyon, Mrs. S. R.
Fllerson, Mrs. Sophie	Ramsey, Harry K.
Evans, Miss May	Savage, Miss Ellen
Everetts Sr, Everetts	Stewart Jr, Edward W.
Evans, Miss H. D.	Strauli, Frank
Gardner, C. H.	Soule, C. W. 2
Guild, Miss Angie R.	Strow, Miss Ida
Gindy, Miss Maggie	Smalley, H. F.
Grogan, Miss Maggie	Strow, Mrs. Hulda
Horton, F. C.	Thorp, Emily
Hill, Mrs. Jennie	Thorn, Miss Eva
Hillyer, Miss J.	Willston, Miss Alice
Husbner, John	Weber, Miss Alma
Haviland, M. J.	Williams, Master Robie
Janson, Alf 2	Wilbust, Mrs
Kiernan, Jas F.	Weseon L. E.
Kelley, Miss Grace	Werner, Miss Jennie
Morris, E. M.	

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

HAFFNER—In Dunellen, July 24, William Ellsworth, infant son of Frank P. and Nettie B. Haffner, aged 7 months, 17 days.
Funeral services from the residence of his parents, Grove street, Dunellen, on Friday at 11 o'clock, A. M. Interment in Greenwood.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under his heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

BOARDERS taken at No. 210 W. Front street—opposite Potter's and near Pond's works. 7-26-6

TWO Gentlemen can be accommodated with large pleasant room and board, at 31 West Second street; also two table boarders. 7-26-tf

A SWEDE girl wants a situation to do general housework. Has references. Call at Peterson's nursery, Peace street, near station.

FOR SALE—The smallest young cow in the state. Half thoroughbred Jersey; kind, gentle, easy milker; a fine lawn cow—weighs about 200 pounds. Is in good condition; calf 4 weeks old. Address C. E. Sage, PRESS office.

FOR SALE—Two young dog (mastiffs.) Enquire 35 LaGrande avenue.

WANTED—A first-class Laundress. Must be well recommended. Apply at No. 46 West Eighth street. 7 25-tf

FURNISHED Room to Let at 36 Park avenue. 7-24-3

$225.00—$10 Cash and $5 a month—will buy a lot on Webster Place, near Putnam avenue. Apply to V. W. Nash, 33 Park avenue. 7-19-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7-tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

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FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

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ATTENTION, DEMOCRATS!

The Democratic Association of the city of Plainfield will meet at Democratic Headquarters, No. 28 West Front street, on *FRIDAY EVEN'G, JULY 27*, at 8 o'clock. A full attendance is desired, as matters of importance will be considered.

JAMES E. MARTINE, Pres.
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At ST. GEORGE, Staten Island, via

CENTRAL R. R. of NEW JERSEY,

On Saturday Evening July 28,

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On above date Special Excursion Tickets, including admission to "Nero," will be sold from following stations at rate named for train leaving as follows:

Special train leaves Dunellen, 7:05, Evona, 7:07, Grant Avenue, 7:09, Plainfield, 7:13, Netherwood, 7:16, Fanwood, 7:19 P. M. Returning immediately after the performance.

Fare for Round Trip, including admission, **$1.00.** Don't forget the date, **Saturday, July 28, 1888.** 7-24-4

TENTH ANNUAL EXCURSION

Of Engine Company No. 2,

To **Cold Spring Grove,** Long Island Sound, Steamer LONG BRANCH, and Barge *Susquehanna*,

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, '88.

TICKETS, (adults)..... $1.25
" (children)..... 90c

For sale at Sherwin's shoe store, West Front street, George A. Moore's butcher shop, North avenue, Mosher's segar store, North avenue, B. F. Moore's butcher shop, corner of Park avenue and Second street, Haberle's segar store, 17 Somerset street, and any member of the Company.

Ten pieces of Music for Dancing, led by Prof. S. D. Frazee. Refreshments on Boat by Charley Smith.

Train leaves Plainfield at 7:30 A. M., "sharp," stopping at *Fanwood only.*

Committee—Thomas Carty, chairman; Horace Sherwin, Treasurer; Hiram Voorhees, Secretary; Edward Mosher, Financial Secretary. 9-21-td

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TO

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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

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Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-td

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ADMISSION..... 25 Cents.

Tickets to be had at the door. 7-23-7

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PARTICULAR MENTION.

Corporation Counsel C. A. Marsh sails from Liverpool for America, Saturday next.

Miss Mamie Wallace of Trenton, is the guest of Mrs. S. A. Wallace of West Fifth street.

Mrs. Wm. B. Ostrom, of Ninth street, has gone to Michagan, where she will visit her son, Mr. Walter A. Freeman, for a few weeks.

Mrs. M. Bellis and daughter of Annandale, and M. T. Mulford's family of North Plainfield, spent yesterday pleasantly at Boynton Beach.

Mrs. J. P. Homan, son and daughter, Miss Nettie, of West Fifth street, started today for a two weeks' sojourn at the Albion Hotel, Asbury Park.

Counsellor and Mrs. John H. Jackson are happy again over the second advent of a boy. The younger one only arrived on Monday noon, but he has already made himself heard in the world.

Mrs. Jacob W. Schenck, of New Brunswick—widow of the eldest brother of the Rev. Cornelius Schenck—accompanied by her daughter Florence, is a guest of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Dumont of Sixth street and Broadway.

Mr. John McGuire and Miss Nellie Savard, both of South Plainfield were united in marriage by the Rev. Father Canfield, at St. Francis church, Metuchen, on Tuesday. A reception followed at the residence of the groom.

Secretary John H. Manning of the Y. M. C. A., has returned from his vacation, looking, if possible, in better health than ever, and with plenty of energy to spare for the coming Winter work of the Association that under his care has so widened its field and increased its influence.

Mr. Ernest R. Ackerman of this city, has something to say against a reduction of tariff on cement; but as he is of a family that has been "protected" until it has made millions by its "industry" in cement, his regret that future profits will be restricted, will not be shared by the consumer.

The death occurred on Monday last of Catherine Rutgers Bedlow, widow of Luke Lincoln, and formerly a resident of this city. The funeral took place this morning, at eleven o'clock, from the residence of the deceased's son-in-law, Mr. Andrew Bache, at Morristown, N. J. Interment will be made in Elizabeth.

A. D. Mellick, Jr., of this city, read by request before the New Jersey Historical Society, at Trenton, Jan. 24, a paper on "Hessians in New Jersey; Just a Little in Their Favor." It has since been published in pamphlet form—a most interesting defence, showing the dexterity of a cultured mind and the eloquence of a fluent pen.

Blaine's shrewd and faithful Lieutenant, Stephen B. Elkins, send us a copy of his essay on American Civilization, endorsed with his "compliments" and autograph. Among the bits of political wisdom it undoubtedly contains, this is alas one of the truest: "Political economy rests on nothing higher than selfishness in individuals and in nations. It takes no account of humanity."

President F. E. Marsh of the Common Council, has a young son who already displays acumen of character chipped from the old block. After an impressive Sunday school lesson on spreading the gospel among the heathen, Master Marsh was asked if he did not want to give his penny to buy a Bible for some poor little savage, and he generously offered instead to let the heathen have *his* Bible.

On the list of boarders at the Banner Cottage, Ocean Grove, are the names of several Plainfielders who are enjoying the hospitality of Mrs. J. R. Truell, the hostess, whose highest ambition seems to be the gratification of all her guests. Those present from this city are: Manager Moore, of the Electric Light Company, wife and child; Mrs. Spicer; Mrs. Edward Mosher; Miss Jackson and the Misses Rocap; and Messrs. Harry Coward and Frank Flagg.

Mr. Wm. S. Bosworth, who was steward at The Netherwood during the last year of the former management, is now acting in the same capacity at the Glen House and Annex cottages, Shohola, Pa. There are few better fitted by experience, activity and enterprise for the position of hotel steward, than Mr. Bosworth. The Netherwood *cuisine* during his reign had not been equalled, and pleasant memories still remain of his skill in the accomplishment of a clam-bake—that triumph of culinary art.

Mr. Ernest Marx of this city, has been making a specialty of the photographing of animals in motion, and by the use of the latest improved apparatus and costly lenses, combined with experience and artistic skill, he has secured results never before attained. A set of photographs that THE PRESS has received of the startings and finishes of several of the Brooklyn Jockey Club races, are as sharp and clear as can be and show the horses in positions that were never imagined possible, let alone, probable.

Prohibition League To-Night.

This evening at 7:45 o'clock, at the rooms of the Crescent Glee Club, the Young Men's Prohibition League will hold its regular weekly meeting. After business of a brief nature has been disposed of, Mr. Wm. Lunger will present a conclusive argument giving fundamental reasons why he is a Prohibitionist. The public are cordially invited.

Presidential Statistics.

In 84 G. Cleveland won,
In 5 his term's begun;
In 8 he runs again,
In 9 once more he'll reign.

FOUND GUILTY.

Fined Thirty Dollars for an Alleged Violation of the Health Ordinance.

As stated in yesterday's PRESS, David Jones was arraigned before Charles E. Austin, Esq., Justice of the Peace, on three charges, for violation of the ordinances made by the Board of Health of the Borough of North Plainfield, concerning the dumping of cesspool matter in the Borough limits.

Counsel for the defendant, Walter L. Hetfield, Esq., challenged the jurisdiction of the Court under the following section of the Constitution of the State of New Jersey, Article 7, Section 2, Paragraph 8—"Provided that the commission of any Justice of the Peace shall become vacant upon his ceasing to reside in the Township in which he was elected." The Justice having admitted that he had moved out of the Township wherein he was elected about a month ago, the last complaint having been made about a week ago. The others were made before his removal out of the Township, but not to be moved until another complaint was made. The question was whether the Justice had jurisdiction at all.

Chas. A. Reed, Esq., the Counsel for the Board of Health, contended that he had jurisdiction, and the Justice decided that he had in all the complaints. The defendant was then tried upon one of the complaints, found guilty, and was fined $30 and costs. The defendant did not make any defence, but filed an appeal bond today. The trial on the other complaints was set down for August 13th next.

HIS NAME IS DENNIS.

A Colored Man Caught Rumaging in a House on Elmwood Place—Neighbors Give Chase, and Capture Him as He is Fording Green Brook.

Ned Dennis, a coal black negro, who claims to have come from "Meridan," Somerset county, entered the residence of Mr. James Smith on Elmwood place, about ten o'clock today. He entered through a cellar window, and made his way to the sleeping apartments of Mr. Smith's son, where he was surprised to find the latter lying on the bed. Mr. Smith jumped up and gave chase, but the negro escaped through a window.

Mr. Geo. Leland, who was in the neighborhood at the time, and some of the neighbors followed the robber and overtook him near the Potter Press Works, after scaling several high fences. The prisoner was placed in a wagon, and driven through Front street on the way to the lockup. At the corner of Front and Grove streets he again escaped, by jumping from the wagon. Mr. Leland and others followed him, and caught him as he was fording Green Brook in the rear of the Baptist church. Again he escaped and ran into the water, but he was finally captured and turned over to Chief Carey.

The prisoner had in his possession, a ring, two studs, a collar button and two ladies breastpins, supposed to have been stolen. He stated that he was looking for food.

Alderman Watson's Residence.

Plans have been completed according to the taste and desires of Coucilman G. Warren Watson, for the alteration of the residence now standing on the East Front street property recently purchased by that gentleman. Specifications will be drawn up at once, and contracts for the work of remodeling and reconstruction will be awarded and begun as soon as possible thereafter. When completed, there will be no residence in the city better equipped with the conveniences of modern times and all the comforts that wealth can purchase.

The property is situated just beyond Leland avenue, on the northerly side of Front street, where a barn was struck by lightning and entirely consumed, some time ago. The frame of the present house will alone be left, and from it will be run out extensions, balconies, bay windows, towers and spacious piazzas. The exterior plans show an attractive elevation, and the interior will be in keeping.

The main entrance hall will contain an old-fashioned fire-place with seats within. On the lower floor will be parlors, library, reception and dining rooms, and the culinary department, with the laundry below stairs. The upper floors will be devoted to bed chambers, dressing and toilet rooms, and billiard room. One room, perfectly round in shape, will be fitted throughout with Japanese hangings, wall decorations and furniture; and others will be furnished in the characteristic styles of Italy, India and other foreign countries.

He Did Not Give the Countersign.

A party of boys from Mount Holly, N. J., went down Rancocas Creek to the Forks Monday to camp out in "real Indian" fashion. In order to add to the warlike delusion it was decided that one of the party should do guard duty each night, and the first night a boy named French, was "accidentally" shot in the leg for advancing without obeying the sentry's order to give the countersign. The injury is not dangerous.

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General Telegraphic Despatches.

INDIANS DIVIDED.

The Sioux Not in Haste to Sign the Treaty.

STANDING ROCK AGENCY, D. T., July 26.—Yesterday the roll call at the Agency showed that of 1,100 male adult Indians on the Sioux reservation less than 100 were absent, and in all probability they will be brought in to-day. Notwithstanding the good impression created by the Government Commissioner it is evident that the Indians are opposed to the proposed treaty, and that to-day if the proposition is submitted they will refuse to sign.

The Indians were in private council last night, and it is believed an attempt was made to change the minds of those who were inclined to sign.

Sitting Bull has not been brought back to the reservation, and it is reported by the Indians that he will not arrive for several days, although private advices to the agent indicate that he will be here to-day.

It is denied that Sitting Bull has lost his influence with the Indians, and he is believed to have inspired a great deal of the opposition to the treaty, as it is well known that he is opposed to it.

It is also stated that Red Cloud, the great chief of Pine Ridge Agency, is opposing the scheme, and that several letters from Red Cloud are now in the possession of the Commission, showing that he not only opposes the treaty in his own vicinity, but that he is endeavoring to increase the opposition among the Indians here.

The only ground for hope is that the Commissioners will overcome the prejudice of the Indians.

ANARCHISTS.

Another Chicago Dynamite Conspirator Under Arrest.

CHICAGO, July 26.—The drag net of the law enmeshed to-day another of the anarchists who sought revenge upon the representatives of the law in the persons of Bonfield, Gary and Grinnell. A gunsmith named Rudolph Sebie was arrested before daylight this morning and is now behind prison bars under bonds of $7,000. He is charged with being the person who furnished dynamite to the conspirators who intended to assassinate the three officers most prominent in the Haymarket prosecution.

Sebie acknowledges that he has been illegally dealing in dynamite, and that he has sold more than fifty pounds of the explosive to various persons within a year. He will only admit having sold ten pounds to persons in Chicago, and asserts that he either never knew or cannot remember who they were.

Sebie claims ten pounds of the twenty-five went to a farmer in Nebraska. On the 3d day of June he purchased twenty-five pounds more, which he claims to have sold to a farmer in Minnesota, but is unable to give his name or to locate him.

Fat Boy at Forty-Eight.

READING, July 26.—Word was received yesterday of the death of Henry D. Boyer, of this city, at the National Soldiers' Home, Hampton, Va. Boyer was formerly one of the best known characters in Reading.

He was nicknamed "Fatty," and up to his last illness weighed 350 pounds. He served throughout the war, and although about 48 years of age, he kept himself clean shaven and was exhibited as the champion sixteen-year-old fat boy.

Laid Waste by Hail and Wind.

WATERLOO, Ia., July 26.—Reports regarding Sunday's storm are just coming from the surrounding country, and show it to have been very severe. At Four-mile Grove, about sixteen miles south of here, hail fell, and the crops on a strip of territory about two miles wide were destroyed. One man had fifty hogs killed. At Jefferson the storm was the severest ever known. Many farmers lost all they had.

Scared off a Burglar.

MOUNT VERNON, July 26.—A burglar entered the suburban residence of the Hon. Columbus Delano, ex-Secretary of the Interior, last night, and his noise aroused the household.

The secretary, now in his eightieth year, arose, procured a revolver, confronted the intruder and drove him from the premises.

No Truth in the Story.

MONTREAL, July 26.—The statement contained in a special dispatch sent out from Three Rivers on the 20th inst. to the effect that fourteen men had been drowned in the rapids of the Mattawan River, about fifty miles above Piles, proves to have been entirely without foundation.

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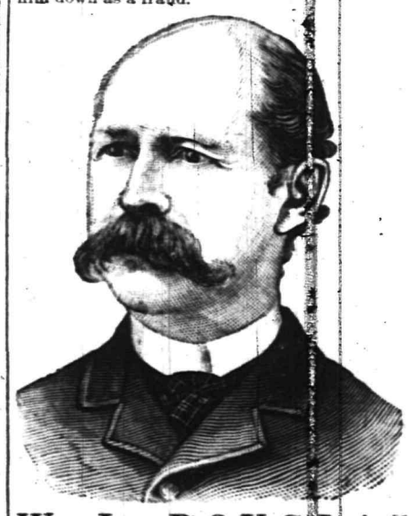
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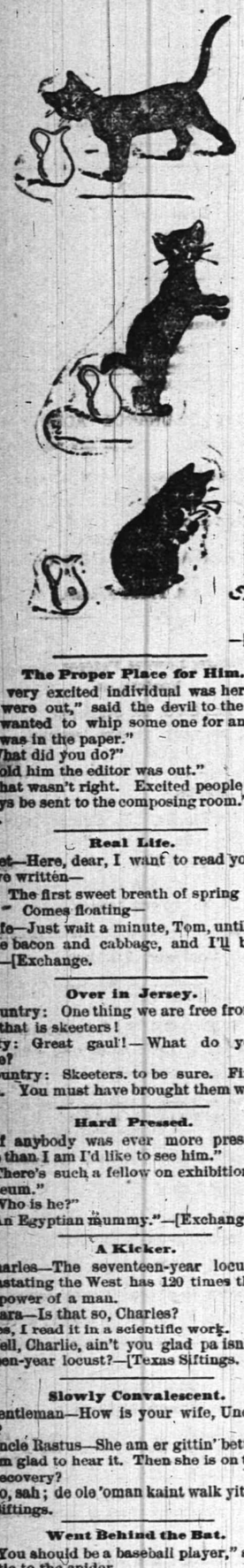
REMINISCENT.

I said I loved. You thought I would forget
When time had intervened and I had met
Some other maid who would much kinder
be.
How strange is fancy! Why, the very smile
With which you put me off did but beguile:
I loved the more, and who could censure
me?
In those young days I felt and said that naught
Could work a change. You filled my every
thought.
Your smiles awoke my hopes—your frowns
my fears.
Am I the same? Well, hardly, I confess.
I later loved another. Can't you guess?
Yes. I've been married nearly twenty
years!

—[Judge.

The Result of Having a Large Head.



—[Life.

The Proper Place for Him.

"A very excited individual was here while you were out," said the devil to the editor. "He wanted to whip some one for an article that was in the paper."

"What did you do?"

"Told him the editor was out."

"That wasn't right. Excited people should always be sent to the composing room."—[The Idea.

Real Life.

Poet—Here, dear, I want to read you what I have written—

The first sweet breath of spring
Comes floating—

Wife—Just wait a minute, Tom, until I look at the bacon and cabbage, and I'll be with you.—[Exchange.

Over in Jersey.

Country: One thing we are free from here, and that is skeeters!

City: Great gaul!—What do you call these?

Country: Skeeters. to be sure. First I've seen. You must have brought them with you.

Hard Pressed.

"If anybody was ever more pressed for time than I am I'd like to see him."

"There's such a fellow on exhibition at the museum."

"Who is he?"

"An Egyptian mummy."—[Exchange.

A Kicker.

Charles—The seventeen-year locust now devastating the West has 120 times the kicking power of a man.

Clara—Is that so, Charles?

Yes, I read it in a scientific work.

Well, Charlie, ain't you glad pa isn't a seventeen-year locust?—[Texas Siftings.

Slowly Convalescent.

Gentleman—How is your wife, Uncle Bastus?

Uncle Rastus—She am er gittin' better, sah.

I'm glad to hear it. Then she is on the road to recovery?

No, sah; de ole 'oman kaint walk yit.—[Texas Siftings.

Went Behind the Bat.

"You should be a baseball player," said the beetle to the spider.

"Why, so?" inquired the latter.

"You're so good at catching flies."

"True, but I'd fall a victim to the fowls."

And he went behind the bat.—[Life.

Melancholy.

He (tenderly)—You are melancholy to-night, my darling.

She (with a sigh)—Ah, yes, George dear, I fear it is the croquettes I ate at dinner.—[Life.

An Actor's Child.

First small boy—My papa is a great hunter. He's killed bears and panthers.

Second small boy—Huh! That's nothing. My papa is a lady-killer.—[The Idea.

The National Game.

[As reported by the Shade of Wm. Shakespeare.]

ANSON: Come on, sir!

EWING: Come on!

[They play.]

UMPIRE: One!

ANSON: No.

UMPIRE: Five dollars.

ANSON: Judgment!

UMPIRE: A hit, a very palable hit.

EWING: Yea, by my troth, a very sockdolager of a hit.

That e'en might scrape the planets from the skies.

CONNOR: A plan it's well to follow in such cases.

WELCH: Marry, but I should smile.

[He smiles.]

[Multitude applauds, drums beat within.]

CONNOR: Give me the bat.

EWING: It is the hoodooed bat.

Yea that

With which he oft hath sawed the incorporeal air

Three several times.

CONNOR: I'll hit it now.

EWING: I do not think it.

UMPIRE: Two strikes.

EWING: Come for the third, great Roger, you but dally.

I pray you, hit with your best violence;

I am afeard you make a wanton of me.

UMPIRE: Out!

CONNOR: Out, and by Pfeffer out!

False, fleeting Pfeffer that spiked me in the leg

By second base.

EWING: O Treason! We're undone.

Look, Roger, look! the Mascot's changed this chewing gum.

TOM HALL.

ADVANCE OF SCIENCE.

NEW ELECTRIC LIGHT POLES THAT THE CITY OF BERLIN ADOPTED.

The Germans Beautify their Chief Cities in a way that Americans would do Well to Follow—The Tehuantepec Ship Railway—The Only Way a Boy Can Learn a Trade is to be Sent to a Reformatory.

THE CENTRALBLATT DER BAUVERWALTUNG publishes the accompanying design for electric lamp posts designed [illegible] used in several [illegible] streets and parks of Berlin—the famous "Unter den Linden," the "Lustgarten," and "Kaiser Wilhelm" street—which are to be lighted by electricity. The styles of posts were chosen from competitive designs, and, says the ENGINEERING NEWS, will be generally admitted to be quite as handsome as any of those which adorn the streets of America.

Each post has a base of cast-iron, ornamented with symbolic designs. The shafts are of wrought-iron. The Lamp is hung in a funnel-shaped reflector, which is rigidly connected with the post so as to prevent swaying. A chain running over a pulley connects the lamp with a counterweight in the hollow shaft.

For lowering the lamp a somewhat clumsy device is used. The attendant is provided with a telescopic staff, which has a hooked end, with which he catches a ring beneath the globe and this draws it down within reach. The counterweight is made sufficiently heavy to raise the lamp to position again. The wires carrying the electric current run from the lamp down to the middle of the shaft. The posts are about 10 metres (33 ft.) high.

These are used also on "Unter den Linden," which has a middle path, bordered by trees, for pedestrians.

In order to prevent heavy shadows from these trees, and at the same time to have the path unobstructed, the lamp is suspended over the centre of the footway from a chain connecting a pair of posts—one at each side of the walk. It is lowered as in the single posts, the counterweight being in the shaft on one side, and the wires on the other.

The price of the smaller posts was limited to 650 marks ($156) and for the double posts 1,200 marks ($288); whether the cost of these is to be as high as that or not does not appear, but their great height and highly ornate character naturally tends to make them somewhat costly. It will be generally admitted, we think, that the design is exceedingly graceful and ought to make us in America a little ashamed of our own plain and often ugly lamp posts. The lights in all cases are to be 26 1-4 feet above the ground and 134 feet apart.

To Irrigate a Desert.

THE government proposes to reclaim a portion of the unproductive lands west of the one hundredth meridian, by a system of dams and artificial lakes, from which large portions of this area can be irrigated. Not only will lands be reclaimed, but the storage of this water will probably do something to prevent the floods, which pour down the affluents of the great rivers that thread our Western plains. Congress has been appealed to, and something may be done before long. The area included is of one million three hundred thousand square miles, and it is proposed by Major Powell to procure from Congress two hundred and fifty thousand dollars with which to begin the preliminary work of selecting the sites for dams, reservoirs and canals ascertaining the amount of water susceptible of storage and the loss by evaporation, and estimating the value of lands to be reclaimed and of the crops which they would produce. Of the whole area of one million three hundred square miles, it is thought that at least one-eighth could be made absolutely productive and immensely valuable. The rain fall in this large region varies from five inches in the driest plains to thirty inches on the mountains and even to seventy-five or one hundred; and it is thought that the average rain fall of the region to be reclaimed is from fifteen to twenty inches a year. The canons which it is proposed to dam are deep and narrow clefts in the rock, and can be easily used as artificial reservoirs. There is a good deal of hopefulness about this scheme, but it will take several years to bring it into actual realization and cost much money.

The Tehuantepec Ship Railway.

THE directors of the company formed under the leadership of Captain Eads to construct a ship railway across the Isthmus of Tehuantepec, Mexico, between the Mexican Gulf and the Pacific Ocean, met on June 9, in Jersey City, and gave the contract for the construction of the road to the Atlantic and Pacific Railway Company. The work is to be completed in five years. William Williams and Colonel John Andrews, of Pittsburg, were authorized to negotiate the bonds in America and Europe. The Mexican government has made liberal concessions. Vessels will be lifted in cradles and drawn on the track by steam engines. This ship railway may yet be in successful operation before the De Lesseps canal is completed.

To Tan and Color Sheepskins with Wool On.

TAN in alum dissolved in water. Proportion: 1 pound alum to 1 gallon water. Then wash wool clean with warm soap. To color, use aniline of any shade you desire. Dissolve 1 pound aniline in 2 gallons water; strain before using; then flat skin in a dye box, wool down. See that they lie flat, and let remain till color or shade you desire comes; then take out and run through clear cold water, and hang up in a hot room to dry. For plain white, wash the skins well, after tanning as described above. If not white enough, hang up in a small room and bleach with powdered sulphur. Set in a pail in centre of room burning. Be careful to have no escape of the sulphur fumes, and have the room air-tight.

A Disgrace to Civilization.

THE Chicago JOURNAL OF COMMERCE states three newsboys of that city, guilty of no misdemeanor, were arrested last week at their request and sent to Bridewell. Their reason for wishing to go there, as stated to the police justice, was that they wanted to learn a trade. Under the laws of the trades unions, there is almost no chance for the American boy to learn a trade in any shop or manufactory outside of a house of correction.

A Chance for the Ingenious.

THE French government has organized a competitive exhibition of machines for decorticating ramie, to take place in August next at Paris, and 30,000 francs have been appropriated to defray expenses.

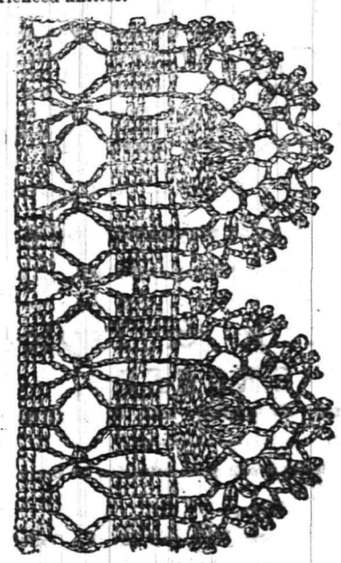
CROCHET TRIMMING.

HOW TO MAKE A NEW AND PRETTY PATTERN.

The Knitting of Trimming a Popular Diversion Among Ladies—Fashionable Folks Catch the Craze Too—A Design that any Knitter can Make with but Little Trouble.

Dapper fingers are always ready to linger over new and pretty patterns in knitting, especially with trimming for feminine belongings.

The accompanying illustration shows one of these. It is a favorite with fashionable ladies but is easily made even by an inexperienced knitter.



This pattern is worked shortwise. Make a chain of twenty-six stitches.

1st Row: Pass over the six stitches of chain, work one treble into each of six next stitches, four chain, pass over four stitches, one double into each of two next stitches, four chain, pass over four stitches, one treble into each of four next stitches, turn.

2nd Row: Three chain, one treble into next treble, six chain, pass over five stitches, one single into each of four next stitches, six chain, one treble into the two centre stitches of six treble, six chain, one treble into the third of six chain, turn.

3rd Row: Six chain, pass over two chain, one treble into each of six trebles, four chain, one double into the two centre stitches of four singles, four chain, one treble into each of four end stitches, turn.

4th Row: Three chain, one treble into each of five next stitches, eleven chain, nine trebles over trebles of last row (see design) six chain, work back one single into the end of last of nine trebles, turn.

5th Row: Five chain, four double trebles under the six chain, keep the top loop of each on the hook and draw through altogether, five chain, one double under six chain, six chain, three double trebles under loop of six chain, draw through all the loops on the hook together, three double trebles under same chain, keep the top loop of each on the hook and draw through all together, six chain, one single under loop of six chain, five chain, four double trebles worked as before under six chain, five chain, one double under six chain, six chain, pass over two trebles, one treble into each of six next stitches, three chain, two doubles into centre of eleven chain, six chain, one treble into each of four last stitches of row, turn.

6th Row: Three chain, one treble into second treble of last row, five chain, four singles over two doubles, five chain, two trebles into centre of six trebles, four chain, one treble into end treble, * four chain, one double into top of double trebles, four chain, one double into the side of two next clusters of double trebles together (see design), repeat from * twice more, pass over two rows of centre, work along the top of next with three singles, turn.

7th Row: Six chain, one treble into next double of last row, * five chain, one treble into next double, repeat from * four times more, six chain, one treble into next treble, two chain, pass over two stitches, one treble into each of six next stitches, five chain, two doubles into centre of four singles, four chain, one treble into each of four last stitches, turn.

8th Row: Three chain, one treble in next stitch, eleven chain, nine trebles over six trebles (see design), one chain, * two trebles, two chain, and two trebles under next chain, repeat from * six times more, work along the top of next row of centre with three singles, turn.

9th Row: Three chain, * one treble under two chain, three chain, one double into the first, repeat from * twice more, one treble under same two chain, three chain, one double under one chain, three chain, repeat from first * six times more, one treble into first of nine trebles, two chain, pass over two stitches, one treble into each of six next trebles, five chain, one double into the two centre stitches of eleven chain, four chain, one treble into each of the four last stitches, turn.

10th Row: Three chain, one treble into the four next stitches, four chain, pass over six stitches, one single into each of four next stitches, seven chain, two trebles into centre of six trebles, five chain, one treble into last treble, turn.

11th Row: Six chain, pass over two stitches, one treble into each of six next stitches, five chain, one double into each of two centre stitches of four singles, five chain, one treble into each of the four last stitches, turn.

12th row: Three chain, one treble in each of the next four stitches, eleven chain, nine trebles over trebles of last row (see design) turn.

13th Row: Six chain, pass over three trebles, one treble into each of six next trebles, five chain, one double into each of the two centre stitches of eleven chain, five chain, one treble into each of the four last stitches, turn.

14th Row: Three chain, one treble into next stitch, four chain, four singles over the double, seven chain, two trebles into centre of six trebles, four chain, one treble into centre of six chain, turn.

15 Row: Six chain, pass over two stitches, one treble into each of six next stitches, four chain, two doubles into centre of the singles, five chain, one treble into each of the four last stitches, turn then repeat from the fourth row.

Soups for Summer.

MANY housekeepers omit soup from the summer bill of fare, but this is a mistake. It is, of course, difficult to keep soup stock in hot weather, as hot soups made from a meat stock are as especially palatable in the warm season, especially if there be a suspicion of grease about them. But these are winter soups. Summer soups form a class by themselves, and are altogether different in their nature.

Suppose for instance you have a few green peas left from dinner to-day. You look at them doubtfully, but don't give them to the cat or throw them away. Just set them into the refrigerator, where they will keep nice and cool without souring or drying up, and next day make a delicious soup from them in this way:

To one pint of the peas add a pint of hot water, and let the peas get heated through to soften them. Then mash them in this water, and rub them through a fine strainer or "hair" sieve. Every bit of the pulp must be squeezed through and only the hard hulls left behind. Put on to cook again. Melt a tablespoonful of butter in a little saucepan, and when it bubbles add a tablespoonful of flour; cook them together, taking care not to brown the mixture. Stir this into the boiling soup, and season with a little salt, a half-teaspoonful of sugar, and pepper. Add at last a half-pint or cupful of milk, which has been heating meanwhile, and you will have a delicious soup. Serve oyster crackers or "croutons" with it. This is a good way to use peas which have become a little too old and hard to serve in the ordinary way.

The regular pea soup is nice for summer also. Mrs. Lincoln's rule for the simplest form is to wash a cup of died peas, whole or split, soak over night or for several hours, and boil in three pints of water till the peas are very soft, adding more water as it boils away, and keeping about three pints in the kettle. Rub through a strainer and put on to boil again; add water, milk, cream, (or stock in winter) to make it of the proper consistency (a thick puree), thicken with a tablespoonful of flour, cooked in the same quantity of butter as above, season with salt and pepper, and serve with fried dice of bread.

If a pea soup is not thickened in this way it will separate as it cools, whereas it should be smooth and creamy in consistency.

Bean soups which are generally made like the pea soups described above, without the milk or cream, and are quite as good. Some make a "bean broth," in which the beans are left whole, but this is not so good a way as to make a regular puree for the hulls are hard and contain no nutriment.

A black bean soup is made very nice by cooking a small onion in it, and when the puree is done pour it over a lemon and two hard-boiled eggs which have been cut in slices and placed in the soup tureen.

Some add tomatoes, or a little salt pork or remnants of bones and meat, as in the case of pea soup.

Many people are fond of potato soup. For this use three potatoes boiled soft in salted water or a pint (two cupfuls) of mashed potato left from dinner. Cook a small onion and a stalk of celery with a pint of milk in a double boiler, add to the potatoes with salt and pepper, celery salt and a pinch of cayenne pepper, rub through the strainer and put on to boil. Thicken with half a teaspoonful of butter, and let it boil five minutes adding more hot milk if too thick and serving very hot.

An ornamental effect and an agreeable flavor to many is gained by adding a tablespoonful of finely choped parsley just before serving.

There are many forms of tomato soup, but one of the nicest is made by putting a quart can of tomatoes, a pint of water, a tablespoonful of sugar, a teaspoonful of salt, four cloves and a saltspoonful of white pepper on to boil in a porcelain or granite-ware saucepan. (Don't use tin or metal for tomatoes.) Put a tablespoonful of butter in a small saucepan and when it bubbles put in a tablespoonful chopped onion another of parsley, and fry five minutes, taking care not to burn it. Add the cornstarch, stir all into the soup, rub through a strainer, add more seasoning if necessary, and serve with plain boiled rice, croutons or toasted crackers.

Green corn soup is one of the most delicious of vegetable soups for summer. Scrape or cut the thinest possible shaving from each row of corn on the cob, and with the back of the knife press out the pulp, leaving the hull on the cob. There should be about a pint of this pulp. Break the cobs and put on to boil in enough cold water to cover them, boil thirty minutes and strain. There should be about a pint of this corn water, and when it boils again add the corn pulp and cook fifteen minutes. Add salt, pepper, a half teaspoonful sugar and a point of boiling milk or cream. Thicken with a teaspoonful of flour cooked in a tablespoonful of butter. Boil a minute or two and serve at once.

FOR HOUSEWIVES.

WASH all marble daily with ammonia and water in place of soap-suds.

THE flesh of fresh fish should be firm, the gills should be light red and the scales silvery.

YOUNG veal may be told by the bone in the cutlet. If it is very small the veal is not good.

A WINEGLASS of strong borax water in a pint of raw silk will make collars and cuffs stiff and glossy.

WASH mirrors in warm suds, then dust with whiting from a muslin bag and polish with chamois skin.

IT is false economy to buy stale anything, the freshest is none too good, especially at this season of the year.

BUY perfectly fresh fruit and vegetables free from sprouts and only in quantities that admit of immediate use.

RUB your lamp chimneys after washing with dry salt, and you will be surprised at the new brilliance of your lights.

To clean ornaments of alabaster dissolve borax in boiling water and apply with a cloth or soft brush, rinse carefully and dry in the sun.

GOOD eggs may be quickly designated by their dull shell and clear appearance. An old or stale egg, as a rule, has a dull porous-looking shell.

GOOD articles always command a fair price, excepting at the close of the market, when a dealer will sell at a reduction rather than risk the keeping.

VISIT the market yourself rather than order by mail and messenger; be more interested in your own welfare, and you will supply your table with better food at one-half the expense.

To raise the pile of plush or velvet, dampen on the right side with clean cold water, then hold tight across the face of a hot iron and rub up the crushed spot with a clean stiff brush.

PIGEONS are good when the breasts are plump and red-looking. The flesh of an old one is dark, and the breast is not so plump. Squabs are plump, soft-skinned, with almost pink flesh.

To keep green vegetables for a day or two, sprinkle with water and place them on a cellar floor. Fruit should not be kept in the cellar, but put out singly and stood in a dark, dry, cool place.

GREEN corn and Lima beans deteriorate more quickly than any other vegetable; they should be spread out singly on the cool cellar floor as quickly as possible after they come from the market.

PONGEE silk must be washed in tepid lather; soap must never touch it, as it makes it harsh; hang to drain without wringing after being well rinsed, then folded while very damp, rolled in a cloth and ironed after twelve hours.

TWENTY drops of carbolic acid evaporated from a hot shovel will go far to banish flies from a room, while a bit of camphor gum, the size of a walnut, held over a lamp till it is consumed, will do the same thing for the festive mosquito.

CLEAN oilcloth with a wet towel pinned over a stiff broom, and rub with long sweeping strokes. Matting should be washed with strong salt water and a clean cloth, and do it if possible at midday, to insure quick drying, which prevents discoloration.

To renovate velvet, free from dust by laying face down and whipping smartly; then brush with a camel's hair brush, damp on the wrong side with borax water and hang pile inward in the sunshine to dry, taking care that there is no fold, or wrinkle on the line.

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Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.00, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p.m. Sunday—8.50, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a.m. 2.02, 2.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.30, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.13, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.25, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 9.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.05, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.02, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.35, p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6 58, 9 24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

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5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m.—for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m.—for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua, Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

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For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.37 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.37 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton, 5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45, 6.58, 8.17, p. m., 1.15, night. Sunday—9.38, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.22, night.

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From Third and Berks streets, 8.30, 9.00, 10.30, a. m., 1.00, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.30, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.30, 8.00, 9.00, 10.10, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.35, 5.00, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 4.15, p. m.

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ITALIAN IMMIGRATION.

Vice-Consul Monaco's Interesting Testimony.

THE CONTRACT LABOR EVIL.

No Way to Prevent the Landing of Laborers Under Contract—Most of Them are Brought Over for Work on Railroads—How Contractors Bleed the Immigrants.

NEW YORK, July 27.—The investigation into the immigrant business was resumed this morning at the Westminster Hotel by the Congressional Committee. It had been reinforced by the arrival of Congressman Oates.

John B. Cortis, of the Cunard line, was the first witness. Like his predecessors, he was provided with an array of statistics. His testimony showed the amazing increase of immigration from 1883, when the line brought 11,558 immigrants here, to the present year, when during the first six months 21,194 steerage passengers were landed.

Mr. Cortis insisted that no more than ten or twelve tickets had been sold to one person at a time, but like the steamship agents who had preceded him he admitted that there is no sure means of preventing the landing of persons employed under the contract labor system.

He gave some idea of the extent of the traffic in prepaid tickets vended to immigrants when he admitted that from July '87 to July '88, 4,200 of them were sold. During that year 28,000 steerage passengers were landed here by the line which the witness represents.

They were chiefly English, Irish, Scotch, and Scandinavians, with very few Italians. Occasionally an immigrant comes over whom it is necessary to return. The number averages twelve or fifteen a year. He said that the Irish Emigrant Society is one of the agencies of his line.

At this juncture Congressman Guenther took a hand in the investigation. He said that he had heard that the Irish Emigrant Society was organized not particularly for benevolent purposes like other similar organizations, but with the aim of making a profit out of immigrant business. Mr. Cortis said that he did not know whether or not this is true.

Vernon H. Brown, general agent of the Cunard line, was the next witness. His testimony was in the main corroborative of what had been adduced from previous witnesses.

He explained that the great rush of immigrants this year has been due to the unpromising condition of the crops. An impending war in Europe always causes an increase of immigration.

Attilio Monaco, the Italian Vice Consul, a slender man with a thick black beard carefully trimmed to a point at the chin, was the most interesting witness of the day.

He spoke in a mild tone, and told about the deplorable condition of the contract labor system as carried on by unprincipled Italians, who deceive their victims with false reports as to the alleged prospective condition of affairs here.

He admitted that a large number of Italians come here penniless. Thirty per cent. of them are skilled laborers, fifty per cent. are farmers, and the rest common day laborers.

He said that he has frequently to furnish money to destitute Italians, and that his government recently cabled $1,000 over to Baron Fauva at Washington to be distributed among indigent Italians here.

The Vice Consul said that the Italian Premier does not restrict him as to the funds he shall dispense among the indigent immigrants of his nationality.

He related a deplorable state of the doings of the contractors who import immigrants from Italy. Many of them have banks at Mulberry Bend, with a saloon in the rear.

The men come in herds and have to pay the contractors from $4 to $25 above the cost of their passages. This must come out of their first wages.

Most of the new comers are single men or have left their families in the old country. They have to pay exhorbitant shanty rent when at work on railroads, and are assessed for doctors' fees whether sick or not. A number of bricklayers and men of that class come over to work here during the busy season, and return to Italy in the fall.

It is a common occurrence for contractors, having lured Italians here and collected the outrageous fees demanded by them, to discharge their victims and leave them stranded. Hundreds of the men imported by these unprincipled contractors are, the Vice-Consul said, unable to get work at all, and during his three years' service here he has had to assist 4,000 or 5,000 destitute immigrants.

He admitted that he knows the names of the contractors who have thus imposed on their victims, but he refused to give them.

He gave some interesting facts about the banking system as practised by some of the Italians here. He said that his countrymen are frugal and have faith in savings banks.

"But," said he sadly, "it often happens that the banks run away. These banks are not governed by State laws. Three have failed this year. There was De Yoanne: I don't know where he is now. Duranti, another banker, went to that popular resort, Canada, and Mastrevalerio, who was swindled by the other two bankers, is now in New York."

Vice-Consul Monaco declared that the Italian immigrants are peacable and that the impression that they are too ready with the stilleto and other weapons of warfare is unfounded. In the earlier days of the traffic some rather tough characters came over and to their conduct must be attributed the criticisms which have been passed on the Italian immigrants in general.

At least one-half of them can read and write, and the majority come here with the intention of remaining. The witness was sorry to admit that the people from the South of Italy are more ignorant than those from the North.

"The dangerous characters," said the bland Vice-Consul, "frequently come here on first-class tickets."

As an illustration of the crowded condition of the Italian quarter, the witness said that 25,000 people of his nationality are crowded into the cramped area of Mulberry Bend. There arrive here every year about 30,000 Italian immigrants, and from 2,000 to 3,000 are now out of work. The witness said that the average immigrant from his land will live here on 50 cents a day.

"Do you know of any considerable number of your people having been imported here at one time under the contract system?' asked Congressmen Ford.

"Yes, 300 or 400 at a time. A great many are employed on railroads. They pay a commission of $3, $4, or $5 a head to the agent for hiring them. Thus the latter often makes $8 per capita in the business. Of the 70,000 Italians here about 15,000 are voters.

"The Italian Government has taken steps to prevent the impositions that are practised on its subjects by contract labor importers. The padrone system here has been entirely broken up."

INGERSOLL'S TRIBUTE.

Great Oration at the Funeral of Courtlandt Palmer.

NEW YORK, July 27.—There was a great gathering this morning at the funeral services over the remains of Courtlandt Palmer, at his late residence. The hour set for the services was 10 o'clock, but long before that hour the large parlors began to fill up with well-known people, members of the Nineteenth Century Club, spiritualists, free thinkers of every grade, anarchists, socialists, members of New York's best society, actors and actresses, knights of the brush, and free lances of the pen, lawyers, doctors and clergymen of many faiths, Jewish rabbis, and atheists. They filled all the lower rooms of the house, they stood shoulder to shoulder in the marble-floored hall, they crowded the vestibules and occupied the stairways.

Robert G. Ingersoll delivered the funeral oration. He began his address in a slow, solemn, deliberate mode of delivery, every word reaching with great distinctness the most distant auditor. He began as follows:

MY FRIENDS—A thinker of pure thoughts, a speaker of brave words, a doer of generous deeds has reached the silent haven that all the dead have reached, and where the voyage of every life must end, and we, his friends, who even now are hastening after him, are met to do the last kind act that man can do for man; to tell his virtues and to lay his ashes in their place of rest and peace.

"Some one has said that in the open hands of death we find only what we have given away. Let us believe that good deeds and brave words have endless fruit.

"Let us believe that good thoughts can never die. Let us believe that a noble, self-denying life increases the moral welfare of man.

"Nothing is more inspiring than a fearless, independent man who gives and asks reasons; one who demands freedom alone who refuses to be slave or master.

"Such a man was Courtlandt Palmer. He was an honest man. He gave to others the rights that he claimed. To give his thoughts to others was not only a privilege and a right, but a duty and a joy.

"He protected the children of the brain from the Herod of authority. He preserved the realm of the brain from the brute force of superstition. Majorities were nothing to him.

"No error could be old enough, plausible enough, or profitable enough to sway him or to keep his conscience still.

"He believed in a fair exchange of thought, in good mental manners, in the courtesy of the conscience. He believed that each should strive not for victory over others, but for the discovery of truth.

"He knew that truth loves the day. He believed in the morality of the useful. He knew that consequences determine the quality of action, and that man mows that which he reaps.

"The clouds have fallen from his life. He knew that the human race for countless ages has struggled towards the ever-living light.

"He knew that the living are debtors to the noble dead and he strove to repay that debt by giving better than he had received. This was the religion of duty per se.

"It was a religion without mystery. It was a religion understood by the head and approved by the heart.

"This is the gospel of man and the world. It is the religion of humanity. A philosophy not of scorn but of pity and of love.

"He denied the supernatural, and believed only in the religion of pure thought and honest deed.

"History was his prophet, duty his guide; the happiness of all, the end. He was the wisdom glorified by love, the saviour of our race.

"He lived and labored for his fellow men. He sided with the weak and the poor against the powerful and the rich.

"He welcomed light. His face was ever toward the East. The world was his country, mankind his religion. This was the creed that glorified his life and made his death sublime.

"He was afraid to do wrong, and therefore he was not afraid to die.

"He knew that night had come, and yet his soul was filled with light, for in that night the memory of his generous deeds shone out like stars."

Mr. Ingersoll spoke for twenty minutes, and then the Rev. Heber Newton conducted simple religious ceremonies.

Mr. Palmer's body was taken to the crematory at Fresh Pond, where it was reduced to ashes this afternoon.

Convention of New Jersey Democrats.

TRENTON, July 27.—A convention has been called of all Democratic clubs and societies of New Jersey, to be held here on Wednesday and Thursday, August 22 and 23. The purpose of this convention is to organize a state association in accordance with the action taken at Baltimore in forming the national associations of Democratic clubs.

The representation to this convention will consist of five delegates from all clubs and societies, with two additional delegates for every fifty additional members over one hundred.

Watching the Exiled Queen.

LONDON, July 27.—The movements of Queen Natalie are carefully watched. Her presence at any point becomes, or is represented to become, a center of political intrigue.

It is announced now that the Queen is going to Odessa in September to visit the tomb of her father.

Several influential members of the Russian Court are seeking to bring about an interview between the Czar and the Queen.

Trenton's Excise Excitement.

TRENTON, N. J., July 27.—Chief-Justice Beasly yesterday granted a writ of certiorari in the cases of the saloon keepers who were day before yesterday sentenced to six months' imprisonment for an alleged violation of the Excise law. The writ liberates the prisoners under bail.

It is believed that the Supreme Court will set aside the verdict of the Police Justice and direct the passage of a new ordinance covering excise violations.

Plenty of Canned Peaches.

BALTIMORE, July 27.—It is estimated that eleven hundred thousand dozen cans of peaches will be packed in this city during the present season.

THE TARIFF DECISION.

Republican Senators Take an Unexpected Stand.

CAUCUS AT EVARTS' HOUSE.

Bill to Equalize the Tariff to be Framed at an Early Day and Submitted to a Senate Caucus—The Session May be Indefinitely Prolonged—Differences of the Solons.

WASHINGTON, July 26.—It was a busy day about the Senate yesterday in regard to the tariff, and it was soon learned that the Senators had received notice to meet in caucus at the house of Senator Evarts.

The different views which the Republican Senators have entertained upon the expediency of considering the tariff at this session found very full expression at the caucus.

Among the most pronounced in favor of taking affirmative action upon some bill were Senators Aldrich, Hiscock, Jones of Nevada, and Allison. Mr. Aldrich has been the active working member of the sub-committee which has been giving attention to the subject. Mr. Hiscock has co-operated with him more than any member of the sub-committee, owing to the fact that Mr. Allison, the other working member, has been occupied much of his time with his duties as chairman of the committee on appropriations.

Mr. Aldrich and Mr. Hiscock were quite clear in their opinion that it was the duty of the party not to adjourn without having placed itself on record in favor of some affirmative tariff legislation. They considered the question of the surplus too important to adjourn without presenting an affirmative proposition with respect to it. Not only, they said, should a bill be passed which would propose to reduce the revenue by the reduction of tobacco taxes, the tax upon alcohol used in the arts, and at least half the duty upon sugar, but they deem it expedient to go further than that and take up the schedules one by one to remove certain inequalities, as they are termed, and make possibly some reductions, and also some increases, but at all events to do something which could be called revising the tariff.

Mr. Allison was willing to go part way in this direction, but was not quite so positive as the other members of the committee, and was not quite so sure that it would be expedient to enter upon a general tariff debate.

Mr. Sherman, who is a member of the Committee on Finance, did not agree with his associates as to the expediency of entering into so extended a discussion as they proposed. He thought that, at best, it would not be wise to go further than to propose a simple tax-reduction bill which should embrace only the articles of tobacco, alcohol in the arts and sugar.

The caucus lasted from eight o'clock till midnight. Nearly all of the Senators were present, and those who were not were represented by their colleagues or by some one duly authorized to speak for them.

Riddleberger gave what may be called a proxy to Don Cameron, and said he would cheerfully support whatever the majority of the Republicans might determine upon. The decision of the caucus was, therefore, the unanimous verdict of the Republicans of the Senate.

That decision was that a bill to reduce the surplus and to equalize the tariff shall be framed at the earliest practicable day by the Committee on Finance; that the bill so framed shall be submitted to a Republican caucus, that its general terms may be approved, and that the thirty-nine Republicans will agree to consider, to vote upon, and to pass the bill upon which the majority of the Republicans of the Senate in a caucus hereafter to be called shall agree.

Senator Quay, who was not present, caused it to be known that in his judgement it was practically inexpedient for the Senate to consider the tariff, and that it would be to the advantage of the party to have the issue as it now stands. But at the same time he stated that he yielded his judgment to that of the Senators from doubtful States.

An effort had been made during the day to secure some expression of opinion from Gen. Harrison upon the subject, but the effort was unsuccessful. A person who is very near to him stated that in his opinion Gen. Harrison is opposed to further debate. Mr. Sherman had been opposing the bill which the Senate Committee is preparing upon some grounds; but in the caucus, to the surprise of some of his associates on the Committee, he stated that he had come to the conclusion that the tariff debate had better proceed and that the Committee should go on with its work.

Senator Chandler made a very earnest speech in favor of passing a bill. He said that it was necessary to do this, and that it would have a good effect to submit to the people a measure which would have the support of the thirty-nine Republican Senators. He pledged the votes of all the Republican Senators without reservation to the support of a bill.

Nearly all of the Senators took part in the debate. The vote upon the motion to proceed to pass a tariff bill was taken standing, and every Republican Senator rose, voting aye.

Perhaps the most significant fact connected with last night's caucus was that the first subject discussed was the probable action of President Cleveland, in the event of Congress adjourning without taking any action upon a bill to reduce the surplus.

It was stated at the beginning of the conference that certain Republicans have received information within a few days which they regard as reliable that if the Senate should decide not to act upon a tariff bill, and Congress should adjourn without taking any action upon the surplus, the President, within three weeks, would issue a proclamation convening Congress in extra session for the purpose of passing some law to dispose of the surplus, and that in the message convening Congress he would make a campaign document which would have a very serious effect in some Northern States.

"What effect will this decision have upon the length of the session?" Mr. Allison was asked after adjournment of the caucus. He answered, "The session will be prolonged until October."

One of the Senators said: "The bill will not be a mere skeleton proposing a reduction on tobacco, sugar, and alcohol in the arts, but it will go into all of the schedules of the tariff. The free list, which has already been nearly prepared, will be longer and larger than the free list of the Mills bill. Every proposition of the Mills bill will be considered and an-[illegible]"

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The usual weekly meeting of the Reform Club was well attended last evening. Judge Harper presided.

—A regular monthly meeting of the Board of Chosen Freeholders, will be held at Elizabeth, on Thursday next.

—The Democratic voters of the city are requested to meet at the Democratic headquarters on West Front street, this evening, to consider important measures.

—Officer McCue last evening, arrested a drunken man named Hoagland, who came down from Bound Brook during the day and imbibed freely. He was locked up for the night.

—Corporation Counsel C. A. Marsh will assist Mr. Walter L. Hotfield, Esq., in the matter of the North Plainfield Board of Health vs. David Jones, when the next case comes up for trial.

—The colored people of this city held a picnic in Wooden's Grove, last evening. The picnic was largely attended, and was greatly enjoyed by the dusky damsels and their gallant escorts.

—It is anticipated that within two months Lehigh Valley Railroad trains will be run over the new tracks connecting the Lehigh and Central road between South Plainfield and Roselle.

—A meeting of the Directors of the Plainfield Building and Loan Association, was held in Messrs. Jackson and Codington's office, on Tuesday evening. Only business of a routine nature was transacted.

—There are a good many worthless curs about town, which are becoming a nuisance by running after people, barking at and biting them. These dogs never would be missed if somebody would cut their tails off close behind the ears.

—The bell-boys of the Hotel Netherwood played a ball game against the waiters, yesterday, and did the latter up in three innings by a score of 12 to 4. Christ pitched for the boys and J. Smith caught; Martin and Kelly were the battery for the men; and Mr. Hudson was umpire for both sides.

—Yesterday was the fortieth anniversary of the death of Bandiora, who was the first Italian to accept the rights of citizenship in the United States. He left Italy because of political persecution, and came to this country and was naturalized. The day was celebrated by Italians in the larger cities.

—Mr. J. Hervey Doane's "Ancient Mariner" is another of the homing pigeons that started in the 500 mile race from Charlotte, N. C., Wednesday and arrived home at its loft the next day. Mr. Sander's bird, reported yesterday, and Mr. Doane's, are the only ones that have so far returned.

—The Elizabeth *Journal* claims that the name of the murdered man found in the woods at Westfield, is "Robert Edward Mellen," and that he was adopted from an Orphan Asylum in that city, in 1868, by Mr. Peter VanDeventer of Sayresville. Two years later his sister Gussie was taken from the asylum by Mr. Bijah Snedeker of South River, with whom she now lives.

—Travellers by the Central Railroad find a desirable feature in the Woodruff parlor car service. The company has placed adjustable pillows, or head rests, to the chairs of the short line service, which afford great ease and an opportunity to have a comfortable sleep. Blankets are provided and every effort made to insure a luxurious ride to their patrons. This can be had at one-third the cost of a berth.

A Serious Fall.

George Moore of North Plainfield, a slate-roofer in the employ of Joseph Odam, fell off the roof of a house on Sixth street, between Broadway and Washington street, this afternoon. He struck on his back, and although conscious there is great probability that he is injured internally. The fall was about thirty feet, and the ground where he landed was covered with broken brick and slate.

The Negro Committed.

The colored man named Dennis who was discovered ransacking the house of Mr. James Smith on Elmwood place, yesterday morning, and who was subsequently captured after a long chase, was arraigned before Justice Nash last evening. The prisoner admitted his guilt and Justice Nash committed him to the County Jail, to await the action of the Grand Jury.

BANNER RAISING IN NORTH PLAINFIELD.

The Republican Demonstration Successfully Carried Out—An Address by Major Pangborn of Jersey City.

The Republican voters of North Plainfield held a public demonstration in the lot on Race street, last evening, that was attended by an audience of several hundred persons. Previous to the meeting, the members of the "Tippecanoe" club of this city, and other Republicans marched over to North Plainfield, preceded by the colored fife and drum corps, and after a few appropriate words of welcome from Mr. Charles A. Reed, President of the U. S. Grant Republican club of North Plainfield, under whose auspices the demonstration was given, a beautiful Harrison and Morton banner was unfurled to the breeze. The banner was suspended from two upright poles, directly in front of the club's headquarters on Somerset street, and was loudly cheered, when unfurled.

The throng then adjourned to the vacant lot on Race street, where an improvised platform had been erected for the speakers. The cornet band was present, and discoursed national airs during the evening. On the platform there were present, President Chas. A. Reed, Hon. Charles Place, Assemblyman Ulrich, Mayor Cooley, President F. E. Marsh of the City Council, ex-Councilman B. F. Coriell, Borough Councilman B. A. Hegeman, Jr., besides Major Z. K. Pangborn, of Jersey City, the speaker to be announced, and the reporters.

Mr. Reed opened the meeting by welcoming all. He then introduced Dr. H. K. Carroll, LL., D. The doctor began by stating that to some it may appear strange why these clubs and so many people had gathered about the platform on this occasion, except that it was to express their confidence in a great principal. The Republican party, he said, was continually fighting for a great principal; in 1861, the principal of anti-slavery was the issue; in 1864, it was for the preservation of the Union; in 1868, the principal fought for was that of re-construction. In all campaigns the Republican party is fighting for a principle against a class. The learned doctor divided the people into three classes—two classes the producers, and one the consumers. He then quoted some verses from Exodus, relating to Jethro's instructions to Moses, which he said he had taken the liberty to suggest to Gen. Harrison. He read a letter from Gen. Harrison, stating that the latter would this week enter upon a series of receptions, and that the General was not averse to meeting delegations.

In presenting Major Pangborn, Dr. Carroll said that in 1863 the Major and three others organized in New Jersey a movement for the benefit of the party. This movement he helped to carry through to success. The Major was a member of the convention in 1860 that nominated Abraham Lincoln for the Presidency. Dr. Carroll then introduced Major Pangborn of Jersey City.

Maj. Pangborn said, in beginning his speech, that he was glad to see such a large gathering present, at this early point in the campaign. The audience, he said, was not composed exclusively of Republicans, but included many Demorats. He considered it a wise plan for men of political differences to come together; what is good for one class of people is good for all classes. The Republicans throughout the country have joined hands and are working solidly and harmoniously for the election of the Republican candidates; there is not one word of dissention in the ranks. The mugwumps have not disappeared in thin air, but the good men have returned to the Republican party. The present campaign will not be one of personal abuse, and both of the great parties will meet the issue squarely and decently.

Harrison, the speaker said, was a man of unstained character, and unquestioned integrity, and the Republican party never had a candidate more capable of being their leader than he. Levi P. Morton is also both well and favorably known; he is a man of great generosity. During the civil war the banking firm of Morton & Grinell was wrecked, and the creditors were obliged to accept 50 cents on the dollar in settlement for the claims. A few years later, Levi P. Morton had again amassed a fortune; he invited his creditors to a dinner party, and on each man's plate was a check for the amount due him, together with interest. When the call for help came from the suffering of Ireland, Morton was the first to give his check for $50,000 to buy food.

On several occasions the speaker playfully alluded to the Democratic party, as the party of many sins. He said he did not intend to catalogue the Democratic sins, but talk of Republican virtues.

The Republican party, he continued, established the American protective tariff—a tariff to protect American industries and American labor. The Republican party is in favor of protection for protection sake. Gen. George Washington first recommended it to Congress, and said it was necessary to foster and protect American industries; the Republican party is simply following in the steps of the Nation's first President. The free trade policy was first established in the South. The Mills bill, Major Pangborn considered, had been pigeon-holed after passing the House, and thought its only chance of ever going into effect was in the event of several of the Republican Senators dying. The issue in the present campaign is a distinct one; the character of the Democratic policy is published in about all the papers, which are continually praising the Democratic administration. The free trade policy is intended to cheapen the labor of American products. The more diversified industries the Nation pursues, the wealthier becomes its people; the United States today possesses more aggregate wealth than any Nation on the face of the Globe; the protective system makes competition possible. The ultimate result of a protective tariff is to cheapen the products. The cost of living to the laboring man is about 26 per cent. more in Philadelphia than it is in Manchester, Eng. and his wages are increased about 110 per cent.

Concluding, Major Pangborn advised the Irish voters to vote the Republican ticket. He said the Britishers Boasted that the only way they could use the Irish voters was when they came to this country and voted the Democratic ticket. What he wanted to see was the Republican party redeem its promise to protect every Amertcan citizen in all his rights and at all times.

The Band played "Marching Through Georgia," and after a vote of thanks was tendered Major Pangborn, and three cheers given for Harrison & Morton, the meeting adjourned.

See Next Monday's PRESS.

We have received a number of answers to the "Biblical Problem" published in these columns of Saturday last. Some are right, and some are wrong. The following is from a puzzled worker:

DEAR SIR: There has been quite some discussion raised about parts of the Biblical problem published in last Saturday's PRESS. The questions on which we differ are the number of times the Israelites compassed Jericho and the number of each kind of clean beasts that went into the ark.

I have taken the spirit of the question of the Israelites compassing Jericho, which I take means the number of days, which would be seven; and the number of kinds of clean beasts to be the pairs, which would also be seven.

With these figures the answer would be *seven* boys in the class. Now if you take 13 times around Jericho and 14 beasts the answer will be 9½ boys, which surely could not be. If 14 times around Jericho is taken and 7 beasts the answer will be 97, which would be too large a class, except an infant class.

QUERIST.

Westfield, N. J., July 26, 1888.

A Great Game, To-morrow.

Probably the most exciting ball game of the season in Plainfield, will be one of great local interest, to morrow, on the Y. M. C. A., grounds, when the "Crescents" will meet the "Machinists."

The Cadmus brothers will be the former's battery, while Lord, of the Pond Works, will pitch for the Machinists with Condon as catcher. The Crescents, the pride of the grand stand, will have a piece of work laid out for them to achieve a victory, for THE PRESS can assure them that the aggregation that has been organized to meet them has a quantity of good material in its make up.

The contest, however, will be friendly though fierce. The members of both nines belong to the Y. M. C. A., base ball contingent, and whichever wins, the glory will be for all. The grand stand was filled to its utmost capacity, last Saturday, and the sale of seats was necessarily limited, but to-morrow additional accomodations will be provided.

Hen Roost Thieves.

Mr. John Giles of Lake street was surprised to find, when he arose on Wednesday morning, that his hen roost had been visited during the night, and thirteen laying hens carried away. Of course there was nothing left that would lead to the culprit's identity. Mr. Giles also discovered that the thieves had entered his cellar and helped themselves to provisions, which they washed down with a pan of milk. There are altogether too many tramps in this city, and they should be weeded out.

She Pulled The Tail of Mr. Tracey's Dog.

The four-year-old daughter of Mr. Jas. Whitely was playing on the stoop, yesterday, when James Tracey's the boot repairer's, dog, joined her in seeming sympathy with her joys and amusements.

The companionship, however, was of short duration. The little girl pulled the dog's tail; then the animal bit her severely through the middle finger and walked away without sorrow and without shame.

Reform Hall Notes.

The four o'clock meeting in Reform Hall Sunday afternoon will be led by Rev. S. T. Hillman. Music by the Vanderbeek choir.

The 9:15 morning prayer meeting will be in charge of Mr. Quinby.

There will be good speaking in the Hall Sunday evening at 8 o'clock. All are welcome at these meetings.

Weak Fish but a Good Strong Story.

Councilman B. O. Bowers, Mr. Louis Ross, son of ex-Councilman Ross, and Mr. Bowerdash of Texas, went to Barnegat, Friday of last week, staid overnight and started in a boat for sport, the next morning.

The trio fished just two hours and a half, and swear they caught 359 weakfish.

—About a dozen heaps of cross ties piled up along the track near Netherwood, were burned on Wednesday afternoon.

No Time Like the Present.

One or two HAMBURG FIGS will put the bowels in healthy condition, and will prevent the development of serious trouble. 25 cents. Dose, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

SPECIAL "CUT" PRICES!

COMMENCING SATURDAY, JULY 21st, and will continue for a *few days only*. *Bargains* in nice *new* goods that can be relied on as the best quality and latest styles.

PURE Silk Mits, our 50ct grade for 39cts; our 60ct grade for 50cts; our 75ct grade for 60cts; our $1 grade for 80cts. Ladies' Linen Chemisetts at 20cts regular price is 25 to 30cts. Our 8ct folding Jap. fans for 4cts. Colored border, hemstitched handkerchiefs for 5cts; Linen, do., for 9cts., regular price is 12 to 15cts. Ladies' Bal. Hose, regular made, for 15cts., regular price 20cts. The "Brewster" and "Silk Fitting" Corsets for 75cts., regular price is $1. India Linen, 15cts., regular price 20cts.

BICYCLE and Tennis Shirts reduced. Our $1.25 style for $1; our $1.75 style for $1.50; our $2 plain and French-striped for $1.75; our $1.75 in plaid and striped for $1.50; our $2 white emb. front for $1.50; Boys', do., in white and colored for $1.15, regular price is $1.35.

SOFT-FINISHED bleached muslin 7½cts; Colored window Scrim 9cts, regular price 12cts; Linen crash 5cts; Unbleached table linen 25cts, regular price is 35cts; do., with red border at 45cts, regular price 55cts; Tennis suitings 9cts, reduced from 12cts; Best quality Satteens at 20cts, reduced from 25cts; All-Wool Bege Suitings 40cts, reduced from 50cts; Colored and White Albatross at reduced prices.

WE have left a few Cotton-striped Skirts, will close out cheap. Our 50ct style for 39cts; our 75ct style for 60cts; our $1 style for 75cts. Our 65ct Boys' Percale Waists for 55c. Our 85c do. for 75c. Besides numerous other bargains not mentioned here.

OUR Special Offer on Carpets for month of July is—all Carpets bought during the month will be *LAID FREE OF CHARGE*.

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5-18-tf

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LOUNGES FOR FIVE DOLLARS.

BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

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SOMERVILLE, EASTON, ETC., MAILS.

CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
ARRIVE—8.50 a. m. and 6.30 p. m.

SUNDAY MAILS.

Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 25, 1888.

Ahlsborg, Miss Dora	Muhlli, Mrs.
Anderson, Augustus	Monroe, Miss Sarah
Abbot, Miss E. R.	Marsh, W. J.
Ashworth, Robert	McKinley, W. G.
Boutin, A. C.	Moore, Miss Maria
Brown, Mrs. T.	McDanald, M.
Brokaw, Miss Mary	Morris, Mrs. Jas. T.
Benton, W. S.	Missen, Christian
Bloomfield, Miss Lulu	Oakley, Miss Sadie
Carolan, Mr. J.	Phillips, Mrs. Hattie
Clark, Mrs. Jas	Randolph, Mrs. E.
Crooke, G. L.	Rannon, Miss Florence
Davenport, Mrs. W. E.	Randolph, Mrs. Sarah 2
Dickson, Mrs. Thos.	Runyon, Mrs. S. R.
Ellerson, Mrs. Sophie	Ramsey, Harry K.
Evans, Miss May	Savage, Miss Ellen
Everetts Sr, Everetts	Stewart Jr, Edward W.
Evans, Miss H. D.	Strauli, Frank
Gardner, C. H.	Soule, C. W. 2
Guild, Miss Angie R.	Strow, Miss Ida
Gindy, Miss Maggie	Smalley, H. F.
Grogan, Miss Maggie	Strow, Mrs. Hulda
Horton, F. C.	Thorp, Emily
Hill, Mrs. Jennie	Thorn, Miss Eva
Hillyer, Miss J.	Willston, Miss Alice
Huebner, John	Weber, Miss Alma
Haviland, M. J.	Williams, Master Robie
Janson, Alf 2	Wilbust, Mrs
Kiernan, Jas F.	Wesson 11. E.
Kelley, Miss Grace	Werner, Miss Jennie
Morris, F. M.	

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

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Advertisements under his heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

ROOMS TO LET—New house, good location. Enquire at PRESS office. 7-27-2

COACHMAN wants situation. Best of city references. Address Box 983. 7-27-3

BICYCLE WANTED—54 inch. Call at THE PRESS office. 7-27-tf

BOARDERS taken at No. 210 W. Front street—opposite Potter's and near Pond's works. 7-26-6

TWO Gentlemen can be accommodated with large pleasant room and board, at 31 West Second street; also two table boarders. 7-26-tf

WANTED—A first-class Laundress. Must be well recommended. Apply at No. 46 West Eighth street. 7-25-tf

FURNISHED Room to Let at 36 Park avenue. 7-24-5

$225.00—$10 Cash and $5 a month—will buy a lot on Webster Place, near Putnam avenue. Apply to V. W. Nash, 53 Park avenue. 7-19-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

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CENTRAL R. R. of NEW JERSEY,

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By Special Train, and Steamer "Kill Von Kull."

On above date Special Excursion Tickets, including admission to "Nero," will be sold from following stations at rate named for train leaving as follows:

Special train leaves Dunellen, 7:05, Evona, 7:07, Grant Avenue, 7:09, Plainfield, 7:13, Netherwood, 7:16, Fanwood, 7:19 P. M. Returning immediately after the performance.

Fare for Round Trip, including admission, **$1.00.** Don't forget the date, **Saturday, July 28, 1888.** 7-24-4

TENTH ANNUAL EXCURSION

Of Engine Company No. 2,

To **Cold Spring Grove,** Long Island Sound, Steamer LONG BRANCH, and Barge *Susquehanna*,

THURSDAY, AUGUST 30, '88.

TICKETS, (adults)..... $1.25
" (children)..... 90c

For sale at Sherwin's shoe store, West Front street, George A. Moore's butcher shop, North avenue, Mosher's segar store, North avenue, B. F. Moore's butcher shop, corner of Park avenue and Second street, Haberle's segar store, 17 Somerset street, and any member of the Company.

Ten pieces of Music for Dancing, led by Prof. S. D. Frazee. Refreshments on Boat by Charley Smith.

Train leaves Plainfield at 7:30 A. M., "sharp," stopping at *Fanwood only*.

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TO

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WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-td

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DANCING will also be a feature of the occasion. Music by Prof. Cahill, of Elizabethport, N. J.

ADMISSION..... 25 Cents.

Tickets to be had at the door. 7-23-7

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"Merry-go-Round"

Has returned, and is located corner *FOURTH ST. AND PLAINFIELD AVE.* Courteous treatment for old or young.

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The balance of this Season's

EMBROIDERIES!

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SHOT DOWN!

We will sell for a

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Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.

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Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,

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Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

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2-28-tf

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11-26-tf

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MEATS OF ALL KINDS,

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Special attention given to the SHOEING of CUTTING, FORGING and LAME HORSES. 3-1-tf

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. B. M. Day and son of North Plainfield, leave for Beach Haven, today.

Miss Anna A. Moore of New street, has returned from a trip to Long Branch.

Mr. Rowland Cox and family will go to Loon Lake, N. Y., for the rest of the season.

Mrs. J. King, Miss Smith and Miss Hawkins, composed the choir at the Reform Club meeting, last evening.

Mr. and Mrs. William M. Stillman of this city are registered at the Eagle Mountain House, Jackson, N. H.

The family of Mr. J. W. Murray, Sr., will leave for upper New York State, next week, where they will spend the Summer.

Dr. D. G. Atwood and Frank Cokefair of this city were present at the Coleman House hop, Asbury Park, on Wednesday evening.

Mrs. B. R. Force and children have returned from Philadelphia, after a pleasant visit of three weeks with relatives and friends.

Mr. Roger Murray of Central avenue and Eighth street, is at Asbury Park. Masters Walter and James Murray are at Luzerne, N. Y.

Mr. Howard Fry, a machinist, who has been employed at Scott's Press Works, for the past two years, left on Tuesday for a position elsewhere.

Mrs. Joseph Swope of Philadelphia, accompanied by her daughter, are visiting at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. Charles Debele, on Duer street, North Plainfield.

In a recent ball game between Mr. John W. Murray's German American Insurance company and the Riverside Athletic club, Mr. H. W. Stover, of this city, played third base on the former nine which won by a score of 13 to 11.

At his home on Elmwood place, at seven o'clock last evening, occurred the death of Joseph O'Neill, aged 42 years. The deceased was a victim of consumption. The funeral will take place from St. Mary's church to-morrow morning.

The Young Men's Prohibition League at its meeting last evening, elected the following delegates to represent the prohibition voters of this city at the Congressional Convention to be held at Asbury Park, on Monday next, at 2:30 P. M.: Geo. F. Opdyke, Ethen Lamphear, W. L. Sperry, Wm. Lunger, H. G. Adams, John Dietrich, J. T. Odam, S. P. Hoffman.

One of the most completely and luxuriously finished houses in Plainfield, of any size, is that just purchased by Chas. H. Penfield, M. D., at the corner of Park avenue and Seventh street, erected by J. U. Fraley, Esq. The new owner, though one of the latest additions to the medical profession of this city, already stands in the front rank, which rapid advance in practice and personal popularity has been deservingly due to his skill and affability. The entire public, whose safety is more or less in Dr. Penfield's hand as an important and most active member of the Board of Health, will join in congratulation upon the Doctor's good fortune in securing so charming a permanent home.

A Surprise Only For Those Who Don't Know Pangborn.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE DAILY PRESS: The amount of "boiled crow" that will be masticated this evening at the Harrison & Morton banner raising, will be a surprise to those who have never known the expressions ventilated by the speaker, Major Z. K. Pangborn, at the late Anti-Saloon Conference in New York, at which he said:

"We are here as Republicans; to warn our party not to make a mistake—it needs to make a new advance, a warlike step."

"We are waiting to see what the National Convention will do to antagonize the saloon."

"If a mistake is made on this issue at Chicago, thousands will fold their tents and steal away, never to return."

"No party can afford to compromise any question of right for the purpose of securing power."

"The issue is to conquer or be conquered"

And after all, the party surrendered to Free Whiskey.

Yours respectfully,
REM ROFER.

Plainfield, July 26, 1888.

Postponed Until August 29.

Although this morning was eventually just the best kind for an excursion, yet at 8:30 o'clock lowering clouds and heavy rain effectually hindered the starting of the First Baptists for a good time at Ocean Grove. This was very unfortunate, as one of the largest crowds of the season had arranged to go, and Messrs. Field & Randolph had sold the seats of two entire parlor cars.

Mr. Rufus K. Case went at once to New York to secure a new date, and found the best he could do was Wednesday, August 29. Consequently the excursion must be postponed until then, but those holding tickets may, if they so desire, have their money refunded at the place of purchase. As all will be home from their Summer vacations by August 29, and it will be the last chance to go to Ocean Grove this season, the postponed excursion will undoubtedly be the largest that has ever left Plainfield. Everybody will go!

—The third annual meeting of the N. J. Association of Trotting and Horse Breeders will be held at Somerville on August 15 and 16. A specially attractive programme has been arranged and the entries are from the best stables in the State.

DEATH OF FRANK S. HOSSINGER.

Some Thoughts Thereon From the Pen of a Fellow Townsman.

The reflection of Mr. Parks, in his funeral sermon last Sunday, was a true one. Within the past year three of our townsmen have met with sudden death. Small though this number is, it is a remarkably large one for a small village like Scotch Plains, where each man knows his neighbor so well that any visitation becomes to almost every one a personal grief. In a quiet town like this, a sudden death casts a real gloom over the entire community. Every one has some incident to tell of him who is gone, and in the presence of such an awful event a hush falls on every voice. For a time the noisy street is still, and it is well that it is so. What a commentary upon our country and its institutions, was the life of our townsman, who has just been taken away from us. It is to be doubted whether there has ever been a funeral in this place where so many from the village have been present, and while this is not always a perfect test, yet we may fairly assume that when so many unite to do honor to the memory of the dead, there must be something more than a passing interest that brings the whole community to the side of an open grave. It may be truthfully said that while Frank Hossinger played a quiet, perhaps a humble, part in the affairs of the town, there was not one who will be more sincerely missed or whose place it will be harder to fill than his.

Mr. Hossinger passed his life in a retired part of the town and never aspired to any higher ambition than to be allowed to live in quiet and perform his duties as he had been accustomed to do. His townsmen elected him to their most important offices, and he always accepted and filled them honorably, but they were never sought by him. His occupation was that of superintendent of Glenside, as Feltville is now called; a position in which he proved himself invaluable. And this is what makes this case remarkable, for remarkable it is even in this republic. A man who always called himself a laborer and never cared to serve in any more exalted position than that of keeper of a park and superintendent of a country estate, becomes a trusted and honored leader among his fellows, and is followed to his grave by the whole sorrowing and bereaved community. Here, at last, every one is judged for what he really is, and that is why Mr. Hossinger received these universal tributes of honor from those who knew that he was worthy of them all.

Incidentally, we perceive the benefits of Societies. Mr. Hossinger was a member of the Odd Fellows, of the Royal Arcanum, of the Excelsior Hook and Ladder Co., and of several other organizations, including the Knights of Pythias, in which Order he held a very high rank. These Societies were all represented at his funeral, for he had been a prominent figure in all of them.

SUBURBAN SAUNTERER.

The Old Story.

The window-glass manufacturers join in the cry of the other seventy-year-old "infant industries" that "their business will be killed if the Mills Bill is passed."

These gentlemen tax the sunlight in the people's homes from 68 to 108 per cent. on every pane of glass that goes into a window. Many of them have become millionaires, while the wages of their workmen are 60 per cent. less than than they were in 1860. And yet when it is proposed to abate by ever so little these enormous war duties the members of the ring cry out that it means "ruin" to them.

It is the same story with all the beneficiaries of this inflated system. One would think, to hear these outcries, that not a sheep can be raised, not a stick of timber cut, not a pound of salt made, not a yard of cloth woven, not a ton of iron manufactured and that the country would relapse into a nomadic state with anything less than a tariff of from 50 to 100 per cent. to "protect" us from countries three thousand miles away.

It is an impeachment of American resources, enterprise, skill and industry to put forth any such plea of National impotence. And it is time that some of these hoary "infants" were put in the process of weaning to make them self-supporting.—*N. Y. World.*

Bishop Wigger's Latest Order.

Bishop Wigger, of Newark, has just put in operation a new rule among the Sisters who teach parochial schools in his diocese. He has appointed a board to examine the junior Sisters, that is, those who have been members of their orders only three years. The system is similar to the regulations that apply to the younger priests of the archdiocese of New York, and by its operation the Bishop hopes to secure an unusually competent teaching staff. The board is composed of the Bishop, Dean Flynn, of Morristown, the Rev. P. Cody, of Newark, and the Rev. Albert Von Schilgen, of Elizabeth. On Tuesday they began their work by examining the Dominican Sisters who are in charge of St. Dominick's Academy, Jersey City.

State Agricultural Society.

The Executive Committee of the State Agricultural Society held a meeting in their office in Newark on Wednesday afternoon. There was a large amount of routine business transacted. The date for the press lunch on the grounds was fixed for Thursday, August 23, at 3 o'clock. The next meeting of the committee will be held Tuesday, August 7.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

THE PRESIDENT.

Mr. Cleveland Off to Join a Yachting Party.

WASHINGTON, July 27.—The President left here this morning by the Pennsylvania Railroad for New York. He was accompanied by Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Folsom and Colonel Lamont.

The greatest secrecy is observed about the President's plans. The employes of the White House are under instructions to say nothing whatever on the subject. From other sources, however, it is learned that the President and the Postmaster-General will take a short yachting trip from New York, in company with a few friends who will join them in New York.

The trip will last two or three days. The president said before leaving that he would be at the White House again on Tuesday morning.

Mrs. Cleveland and Mrs. Folsom will leave the party at New York and continue their journey to Marion, Massachusetts, where they will remain several days, probably, as the guests of Mr. Gilder, editor of the Century Magazine.

Secretary Whitney intended to accompany the president, but changed his plans at the last moment.

New York's Centennial.

POUGHKEEPSIE, July 27.—The centennial celebration of the entry of the State of New York into the Union was held here yesterday.

The city was crowded with visitors from the outlying towns and cities of the State. Buildings, both public and private, in nearly every street, were decorated with flags and bunting.

Lieutenant-Governor Jones presided at the public meeting held at the Opera House.

The Hon. John M. Platt delivered the historical address. In the evening a grand pyrotechnic display was made from the east span of the Poughkeepsie Bridge. The fireworks were set off at an elevation of 270 feet above the water.

Poisoned by Drinking Buttermilk.

WICHITA, Kan., July 27.—Yesterday the household of Daniel McCarty, consisting of his wife, four daughters and a daughter-in-law, Mrs. Henshaw, were poisoned from drinking buttermilk. Five doctors have been laboring with them, and have succeeded in saving the lives of Mrs. McCarty and three daughters.

The old man Mrs. Henshaw and one daughter, it is believed, will die. It is thought that the milk had been allowed to stand in a copper vessel, and in this way became poisoned.

Married the Circus-Rider.

NEW YORK, July 27.—An Edinburgh dispatch announces the marriage of young William Walter Phelps Dodge to Miss Ida Lena Cooke.

Young Dodge is the son of Prof. D. Stuart Dodge and nephew of the New Jersey ex-Congressman, William Walter Phelps, after whom he is named.

The bride is the daughter of the veteran circus proprietor and is the principal bare back rider in Cooke's circus, which is now exhibiting through Great Britain.

France Is Alarmed.

PARIS, July 27.—Rumors were current yesterday that the troops on the Eastern frontier were to be reinforced.

They caused some trepidation on the Bourse and there was a general depression in prices.

The reports grew out of the fact that a number of generals have gone to make a tour of the frontier.

No Truth in the Story.

MONTREAL, July 27.—The statement contained in a special dispatch sent out from Three Rivers on the 20th inst. to the effect that fourteen men had been drowned in the rapids of the Mattawan River, about fifty miles above Piles, proves to have been entirely without foundation.

The Volunteer First.

MARBLEHEAD, Mass., July 27.—The yacht Volunteer arrived here at 4 o'clock this morning, having left Owl's Head yesterday.

The New York club will probably accept the invitation of the Eastern Yacht club and come to Marblehead. The remainder of the fleet is expected to-day.

Miss Ober is Now Mrs. Kline.

BLUE HILL, ME., July 27.—Miss E. H. Ober, who is well known in connection with the formation and early management of the Boston Ideal Opera Company, was married yesterday, in this, her native place, to Virgil B. Kline, of Cleveland, O. Mr. Kline is a lawyer.

Baseball Games Played Thursday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT NEW YORK.

New York	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0—8
Philadelphia	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	1—2

AT BOSTON.

Boston	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	0	0—4
Washington	0	0	0	1	0	1	1	2	x	—5

AT PITTSBURG.

Pittsburg	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	—3
Indianapolis	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	—1

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	—1
Detroit	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	—3

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT BROOKLYN.

Brooklyn	3	0	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	2—9
Kansas City	0	0	1	3	3	0	0	0	0	0—7

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Cincinnati	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	—2
Athletics	8	0	3	0	0	0	0	1	0	12

AT BALTIMORE.

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	—1
St. Louis	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	1	1	—5

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	—2
Louisville	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	2	0	—3

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 26, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost
Chicago	44	29	Brooklyn	49	27
Detroit	46	26	St. Louis	48	24
New York	45	27	Athletic	43	28
Boston	36	39	Cincinnati	45	28
Philadelphia	33	37	Baltimore	32	42
Indianapolis	28	43	Louisville	27	46
Pittsburg	27	40	Kansas City	21	50
Washington	27	45	Cleveland	26	46

An Extraordinary Suicide.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., July 27.—Ex-Sheriff Chas. Jansen committed suicide here yesterday in an extraordinary way. He tied a handkerchief from the toes of his right foot to the triggers of a double-barrelled shotgun. Both barrels were discharged, carrying away half of his head and splashing the ceiling with his brains.

He had gone to the hospital for treatment but escaped, drank heavily, then killed himself.

Emperors to Meet in Rome.

LONDON, July 27.—A dispatch from Rome says the Italian government has been officially notified that Kaiser Wilhelm will visit Rome, and that it is probable that Emperor Franz Josef will come at the same time.

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JOKELETS.

"Humor," said an old man, "is a pleasant lemonape."—"What would you term satire?" some one asked.—"Lemonade with the sugar left out," he answered.

"Pitch your voice in a low key," says a writer on etiquette. We presume etiquette can be temporarily dispensed with when trying to wake the boys in the morning.

Said a young doctor to a lady patient: "You must take exercise for your health, my dear."—"All right," she said; "I'll jump at the first offer." They were married in about six months.

Edith: Ma, that new maid is dreadfully stupid.—Mamma: What has she done? Edith: I wanted to practice a little, so I sent her for The Lost Chord.—Mamma: Well?—Edith: She brought me in the clothes-line.

"John, I wish you would rock the baby."—"Why should I rock the baby?"—"Because he is not very well. And what's more, half of him belongs to you, and you should not object to rock him."—"Well, doesn't half belong to you?"—"Yes."—"Well, you can rock your half, and let my half holler."

A sagacious young lady has made an important discovery. To prevent other ladies from borrowing her newest music, she just writes the name of her best admirer on the margin. She says the borrowers are afraid of the effect the sight of the name would have on their own young men, and don't ask for the "marked copy."

"My errand here to-night," said a young lawyer to a damsel, on whom he had called, "reminds me of the cry of an owl." "Indeed," said the maiden; "what is your errand here to-night?"—"Courtship. To-wit, to woo."

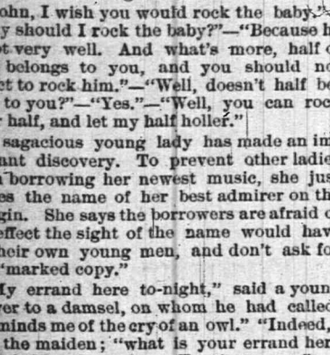
Landlady: The coffee, I am sorry to say, is exhausted, Mr. Smith.—Boarder: Ah, yes, poor thing! I was expecting that. I've noticed for some time that it hasn't been strong.

Miss Cronger: I'm sure, dear, she talked scandal the whole time she stayed.—Miss Lovelock: Not to herself, dear, I presume.

Old Friends in New Gowns.

The past—the mighty urn of countless yesterdays.
The future—an eternity of to-morrows.
Yesterday—our demon or our good angel, as we neglected or improved it.
To-day—a draft on the bank of Time that is always cashed at sight.
To-morrow—the evergreen tree in the garden of life.
Now—the crown jewel in the coronet of endeavor.
Moments—the playthings of forever, broken and cast aside as soon as tried.
Time—the servant of eternity.
Smiles—pearls of the heart.
Wit—the lighting of the mind.
Folly—wisdom on a holiday.

Force of Habit.



Louisiana Postmaster (who is assisted in his duties by his young bride)—Why, Mary, what are all these postal cards doing here? They should have gone in the last mail!

Young Bride (who was a Massachusetts school-mistress)—Oh, I have just put them aside until I should have time to correct them. [Puck.

Cause for Self Destruction.

Society Dame—No dear, there is no supper for you to-night, I am sorry to say. The cook left this morning.

Husband—My gracious! Well, let me have a glass of ice water; I'm nearly dead.

"Just about the time the ice was delivered the chambermaid, who was in the kitchen taking the cook's place, received a telegram calling her to the bedside of a sick relative and had to hurry off. I forgot about the ice and it all melted."

"Humph! Well I'll go up stairs and lay down."

"All the bedding was taken out in the yard this morning to air and as the nurse is away for a week, there has been no one to bring it in. We'll have to go to a hotel for a while. Such a time as I do have with servants. By the way, speaking of servants, the paper says a young man in Chicago killed himself yesterday because a servant girl refused to marry him."

"Well, to be refused by a girl who knows how to do her own housework is enough to make any man of sense commit suicide."—[Omaha World.

Her Only Secret.

A.—I met your mother-in-law at a woman's rights meeting the other night. She is a great talker.

B.—Well, I should say she was. She has talked almost incessantly all her life. She has only one regret, and that is that she couldn't talk much during the first two years of her existence.—[Siftings.

At a Medicinal Spring.

Cynical Guest—What's become of the landlord? I've not seen him for the last day or so.

Clerk—He is ill. He is confined to his bed.

He is, eh? Guess he must have made a mistake and drank some of the water. A man can't be too careful at these health resorts.—[Siftings.

She Wanted Time.

"It is so sudden, Mr. Peduncle," said the young lady, softly; "give me time to think of it."

"Certainly," replied the business-like commercial traveller: "I'll be around again in thirty days."

"I only wanted a moment," Harry, she said sweetly.—[Chicago Tribune.

Alarmed.

Bumptious youth—I tell you what, grandmother, I'll never marry a girl who is not my inferior.

Grandmother (severely)—Addison, do you want to marry an idiot?—[Free Press.

A Wider Experience.

Dumley (who has given Featherly a cigar from his private box)—I've smoked worse cigars than these, Featherly.

Featherly—Ye-es, Dumley, I s'pose you have; but you must remember that you are an older man than I am.—[Life.

Twenty Years Hence.

Wife—What did you mean by spending two hours in the conservatory with Miss Briggs?

Husband—You forget, my dear, that I am a candidate for the Legislature, and that Miss Briggs controls a number of votes.—[Detroit Free Press.

Hobson's Choice.

"What? Leave these cool breezes for a summer in Canada!"

"Well, my husband is there—and—"

"Goodness! The idea of his going there!"

"Well, he preferred Canada to Sing-Sing."

CURRENT QUEER THINGS.

In France the law compels the proprietor of a patent medicine to disclose the nature of its ingredients and to submit to an official analysis.

It is a much lesser crime in China to steal a neighbor's ox than to steal his dog. The former is simply personal property, while the latter takes the place of a man—a watchman.

A Liverpool justice recently sentenced a man to several years penal servitude, and his wife to the same punishment for life, for cruelty to their child, a little girl, whom they had kept imprisoned in a dark cellar and had beaten, burned with a hot poker and otherwise burned.

As an instance of what risks natives employed at the diamond-diggings in South Africa will run in order to conceal diamonds, it is stated that, on a post-mortem examination being made on a native who died under suspicious circumstances, a sixty-carat rough diamond was found in his stomach.

Thirty-three persons were killed and 647 injured by railway accidents in England last year. There were 31 collisions between passenger trains, in which 25 persons were killed, and 42 collisions between passenger or freight trains by which one person was killed. In 1886 12 persons were killed and 696 injured on English railway.

There is a wonderful brown and golden bird in Mexico, a species of bee-martin, which is a remarkable expert bee-catcher. He has a way of ruffling up the feathers on the top of his head so that his crest looks exactly like a beautiful flower. When a bee comes along to sip honey from this delusive blossom it is snapped up and devoured.

M. Jovis, a French aeronaut, is said to be building an air ship, in which he proposes to cross the Atlantic from New York this fall. It is to be called the "Atlantic," and will be 200 feet high, with a cubic measurement of nearly 100,000 feet. It will weigh 4,500 pounds and will carry the same weight of passengers and freight. M. Jovis thinks he can make seventy miles an hour in it.

A Pittsburg man has invented a glass conduit which he thinks solves the problem of underground electric wires. Plates of glass are grooved on the upper surface, and the wires are laid in the grooves and cemented there with pitch. Then other plates of glass are laid over the first, and wires put upon them in the same way. When all the wires are laid the whole is enclosed in a wooden box and embedded in cement.

A curious Oriental manner of determining land-tenure relates to small pieces of State lands situated between the boundaries of villages in Asia Minor. One of the villagers, standing upon the steps of a mosque, calls out at the top of his voice, the point beyond which his voice cannot be reached being the limit of the village property. At the neighboring village the same performance is gone through, and the land between belongs to the State.

Statistics show that the proportion of women engaged in aggriculture to those earning money otherwise, is one to thirty, and of those engaged in agriculture about one-fourth are in Iowa. Great numbers of women take up Government lands, more often unmarried women than unmarried men. Betrothed couples have been known to go from the East and after living on adjoining claims join the two by a marriage, and possess together a farm of 480 acres or more. Tree claims are also taken by women, especially in Dakota.

SPORTING NOTES.

Dave Rowe has resigned as director of the Kansas City Cow Boys.

Sullivan, late of the Binghamtons, is playing with the Kansas City team.

Brouthers heads the batting list in the National League. Anson is second.

Pitcher Nyce, formerly of the St. Louis Whites, is playing with the Hamiltons.

Tom Lynch, late of the Southern League, has signed as an infielder for Hamilton.

The Memphis club has dropped out of the Southern League after losing over $8,000.

A match is talked of between George Young and Charlie McCarthy in a twenty-four foot ring.

Hanlan says that Peter Kemp, who recently defeated him for the championship in Australia, is the best oarsman in the world.

At the Canadian Wheelmen's meet at Ontario, the other day, Fred Foster, the Canadian champion bicyclist, lowered the Canadian tricycle record for one mile to 3:18 4-5.

The Texas League has been admitted to the Southern League. Charleston has withdrawn, and the cities now represented are New Orleans, Dallas, Houston, Galveston, San Antonio and Biomingham.

An international horse show will be held in Paris next year, and $43,000 will be distributed in prizes. The classes agreed upon are thoroughbreds, Arabs, Anglo-Arabs, half-breeds, cart horses, mules and donkeys.

The champion oarsman, John Teemer, never used tobacco in his life, and he never drinks alcoholic stimulants. He eats rare-cooked beef, bread and butter, but very little pastry; sleeps from nine to ten hours, and worries as little as possible. As a result he is healthy and long-winded.

The Valencia Boat Club of Hoboken has challenged the Active Boat Club of the same city to row a two-mile championship race in four-oared barges. The race is to take place within six weeks, and the losers are to furnish the winners with a trophy and defray all the legitimate expenses of both clubs.

A syndicate of wealthy gentlemen of Montreal, Canada, have purchased sufficient ground near Lachine, thirty minutes ride from Montreal, for the construction of a race course, work upon which will commence at once. The track will be accessible by the Canadian Pacific and Grand Trunk railroads.

The report that A. J. Cassatt, who has been in Europe for several months, intends to establish a racing stable on the other side has created considerable excitement in turf circles in this country. It is probable, however, that he will continue his stable here, and while he attends personally to his English ventnre, will leave John Huggins in charge at home. Mr. Cassatt will not abandon American thoroughbreds, but will export a few of them to contest for the Derby and other English events.

RAILROAD NOISES.

The net earnings of the Erie for the month of May show a decided increase over all former years.

The Delaware, Lackawanna and Western people complain, happily, however, that they are overrun with church excursions.

The first railroad in this country was built in 1826 in Massachusetts, and it was run by horse power. It was two miles long.

The New York Central is laid with eighty pounds to the yard steel rail as far as Poughkeepsie. The rail is five inches high.

Henry Villard, who became so famous as President of the Northern Pacific, has been elected President of the Oregon and Trans-Continental.

The Delaware & Hudson Canal Company has completed five miles of its projected fifteen miles of double track on its Susquehanna Division.

Notwithstanding the immense amount of travelling done on the Fourth of July, the roads entering New York all report no accidents to any of their patrons.

ADVANCE IN SCIENCE.

THE REPRODUCTION OF ARTICULATE SPEECH AND SOUND.

A Simple but Curious Machine That is Already in Practical Use—The Cylinders of Paper, and so Light That They May Be Sent by Mail—How the Graphophone is Used.

The reproduction of articulate speech and sounds generally is one of the most wonderful feats of this inventive age. The graphophone is a curious machine and one of the latest invented for this recording and reproduction.

The graphophone was invented by Charles Sumner Tainter, and is the result of several years' experimentation and the subject of many patents, several of which were issued in May, 1886. The machine is an exceedingly simple thing.

The frame of the machine consists of end pieces connected by longitudinal rods. In the top of the frame is journalled a fine screw partly inclosed by a tube, the screw being driven through a train of spur wheels from the main shaft journalled in the lower part of the left hand endpiece.

The main shaft—besides carrying the gearing which moves the feed screw—is provided with a conical chuck.

In the opposite end of the frame is journaled a spring-pressed spindle, which also carries a conical chuck of the same form and size as that on the main shaft. The cylinder upon which the speech is to be recorded is received between these chucks, and in much the same manner as the bobbin is placed in the bobbin winder of the sewing machine, the cylinder being revolved by frictional contact with the chuck on the main shaft.

At the right hand of the instrument is arranged a small rock shaft, provided with a cross arm and two keys by which the driving wheel is thrown into and out of connection with the gearing of the machine.

Upon the tube which incloses the feed screw is placed a saddle, provided with a follower which enters the slot of the tube and engages the feed screw. The saddle carries a diaphragm cell, in which is arranged a diaphragm provided with a cutting stylus which engraves the record in the surface of the cylinder.

To the diaphragm cell is attached a bar or bridge piece of metal, which extends across the face of the diaphragm, but not in contact with it. This device rests upon the record cylinder a little in advance of the cutting stylus, and supports the weight of the diaphragm cell and its attachments. The depth to which the stylus penetrates the surface of the cylinder is regulated and maintained by this arrangement, and as the bridge piece bears upon the cylinder near the point of cutting, the apparatus follows all the irregularities of the recording surface, and perfect accuracy in the same, or centering for the cylinder, is rendered unnecessary. To the diaphragm cell is attached a flexible tube, furnished at its free end with a mouthpiece, into which the words to be recorded are spoken.

The record cylinder consists of paper wound in a peculiar way, to cause it to maintain its cylindrical form, the outer surface of the paper being coated with a specially prepared wax. Below the cylinder is arranged a pan for receiving the fine shreds of wax cut by the stylus from the cylinder in the operation of recording the message. The groove constituting the record is microscopic in size, it being only three thousandths of an inch wide and about two thousandths deep. One hundred and sixty grooves to the inch are cut on the cylinder. The saddle which holds the diaphragm cell is formed of two parts hinged together to facilitate its removal from the support.

RECORD CYLINDER.

After the complete record has been made, the cylinder is either removed and placed in another machine, or it is allowed to remain, and the recording diaphragm is replaced by the small reproducing diaphragm. This diaphragm is connected by a thread with a small rounded finger pivoted in the end of the arm which supports the diaphragm, and adapted to engage the groove and indentations made by the stylus of the recording diaphragm.

To the reproducing diaphragm cell is attached a flexible tube, which is branched and provided at its extremities with ear pieces similar to those of a stethoscope. The ear pieces are placed in the ears. The rotation of the cylinder containing a message causes vibrations to be set up in the reproducing diaphragm which produced the impressions upon the cylinder.

The machine is driven by the connection with any power having a fairly uniform speed. The paper cylinders are very light, perfectly portable, and may be transmitted by mail with the same facility as an ordinary letter. The cylinder will fit any graphophone without any adjustment of the instrument.

The graphophone has been in practical use for some time past, carrying on correspondence between New York and Washington, and in receiving dictations in every-day matters of business, the dictations being written out on a type writer by a copyist who listens to the graphophone.

Death by Electricity.

Dr. Richardson writes on this subject in the Asclepiad as follows: "In some researches on the application of the electric discharge for the painless extinction of the lives of animals to be used as food, the details of which I recorded in the Medical Times and Gazette for the year 1869, this mode of death was anything but certain in its effects. Sheep striken apparantly into instant and irrevocable death by electricity, after a few minutes showed signs of life, and if they had not been dispatched in the ordinary way by the knife would have been restored to consciousness.

"The same fact has been observed in attempts to kill dogs by the electric shock, and I once published an instance in which a large dog, struck into perfect unconsciousness by the stroke from a powerful battery, was submitted to a surgical operation while lying, to all appearances, dead, and was yet so little affected as to make an easy and sound recovery.

"It need not be inferred from such facts as these that the electric shock will not kill at one discharge—in most cases it will—but, exceptionally, instead of killing outright it will simply stun, and may induce the semblence of death instead of the real event.

"It will be only common humanity, therefore, for the authorities of New York, when they begin to give the coup de grace by the electric shock, to supplement the process by a post mortem examination of the victims, so that the act may not be crowned by burying the victims alive."

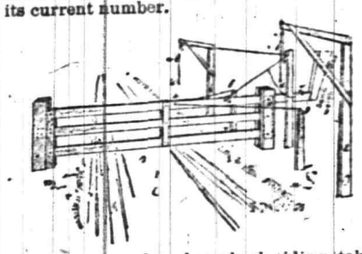
A NEW FOLDING GATE.

IT CAN BE OPENED BY A HORSEMAN MOUNTED.

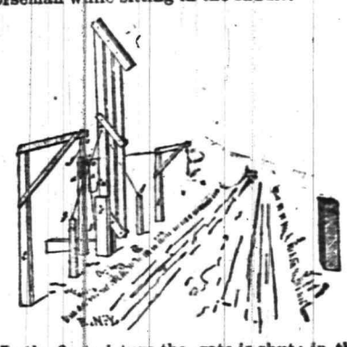
How It is Made and Operated and How It Looks Open and Shut—Gates a Serious Problem for the Farmer—New Versus Old-Fashioned Kinds—Invention of a Colorado Man.

Gates are always a problem on the farm. The old-fashioned kinds sag on their hinges and the posts fall out of line and the newer varieties are apt to have even more serious faults.

A Colorado man has invented a gate that the Rural New Yorker gives illustrations of in its current number.



In Colorado, where horseback riding takes the place of much of our carriage riding, a gate that can be opened without dismounting is a great convenience. This, as we understand it, is the main point of superiority claimed for this gate—it can be opened by a horseman while sitting in the saddle.



In the first picture the gate is shut; in the second it is shown open. The "philosophy" of the machine is this—A large box filled with sand forms a weight at the end of the gate. The gate turns upwards on a strong bolt at L. Stout wires run from b and b, the tops of the posts, to the point e on the gate. Two posts, h h, are set each 16 inches from the gate, with the gallows arm shown in the cut. At the end of these arms pulleys o o o o are placed, and a stout rope runs through each as shown in the cut. Another rope extends from b near the sand box to a point c on the rope which raises the gate.

With the gate shut, a horseman is supposed to ride to either post, h, and pull on the rope at d or d. This raises the rope to an angle of 45°, when the heavy sand-box will leave it.

Poultry Raising.

Does it pay to raise poultry? Of course it does. It is safe to say that no business averages so large a per cent. of profit on the capital invested as poultry raising. The trouble is that the amateur poultry man wants to make as much from a capital of $100 as the stockman does from a capital of $5,000. Ask James Rankin, A. C. Hawkins, H. S. Babcock, or Philander Williams if poultry raising pays? It only takes patience, brains and $100 to make a success of the poultry business.

What has been the result of this season's experience with incubators? The sale of incubators has fallen off considerably. The country is filled with wooden boxes with more or less complicated thermostatic appliances. These boxes might do for refrigerators, but they are of no use hatching eggs. There are however, good incubators and they have been run successfully. As the matter now stands, it will pay to buy a good incubator and raise spring chickens. In fact, there has never been a better time for going into the business.

Capons are being more and more appreciated in the larger markets, and there is money in raising them. Caponizing is such a disagreeable thing to do that there are few who care to go into the business. This will limit the competition. The demand for good capons is increasing faster than the supply.

Do not feed your chickens wet foot. A wet mash seems so palatable and the little chickens seem to like it so well that it is a temptation to give it to them. It is, however, not safe. We have had no trouble with little chicks since we abandoned wet feed.

It is never safe to feed sour, sloppy cornmeal. Probably more chickens are killed with sour mash than in any other way. Corn meal is good in its place, if it be scalded or cooked and fed in a dry, crumbly state. Sweet, dry food and plenty of water to drink are what chickens want.

Are Red Caps the coming fancy bred? There seems very little disposition on the part of breeders to boom them. They are an excellent fowl, but it is a question whether they are worthy of a boom such as the Wyandottes have had.

It is now about time to separate the cockerels from the pullets. This will prevent their fighting to any serious extent. It is well to separate the cocks from the hens until the moulting season is over. It doesn't pay to keep a number of roosters solely because they are all so fine you cannot decide as to which to kill and which to keep.

"Little and often" is a good motto for poultry raisers. It doesn't pay to feed the birds excessively one day and give them little or nothing the next. Young chickens are like other birds: if overfed or underfed they will die. Young broods should be fed as the mother-bird feeds her young—a little and often.

Ought poultry illustrations to represent the real or the ideal fowl? The average cut shows what a representative fowl ought to be but what it really is. A picture is but an individual ideal of a perfect fowl, but as such it may be educating. Such pictures can do no harm, if the fact that they are but an ideal is made perfectly plain.

In crossing fowls the male should be finer-bred and smaller than the female. There is no great advantage in breeding from a large rooster. It pays to buy a good thoroughbred rooster every year. The old custom was to keep the biggest rooster; the result was that every little while the hens would seem to get demoralized. They would lay double-yolked eggs, die of "broken eggs" or have deformed chickens. Trade roosters with your neighbor or buy one of some good breeder and look more to quality and pedigree than to size. The average flock of hens would be greatly improved by a purely-bred cock, either Hamburg, Leghorn, Black Spanish, or some similar breed.—[Rural New Yorker.

Advancement in Dakota.

The Dakota Agricultural College has a farm of 400 acres, a chemical laboratory with necessary equipments of farming utensils, and of shops for wood and metal work. They have purchased fine specimens of the leading breeds of animals, and are experimenting with grains, grasses, fruits, etc. The college is attended by both young men and young women, and to the latter is given instruction in household duties. The young men are enabled to partially pay their expenses by working on the farm. The college has an investment of about one hundred thousand dollars.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—3.30, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

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Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.30, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.10, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a.m. 2.02, 3.25, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.25, 8.08, 8.17, 9.33, 10.45, 12.48, p. m. Sunday—8.15, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.45, 6.47, 8.15, 8.50, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.32, 5.47, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 6.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.32, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6.58, 9.24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh; Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.47, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

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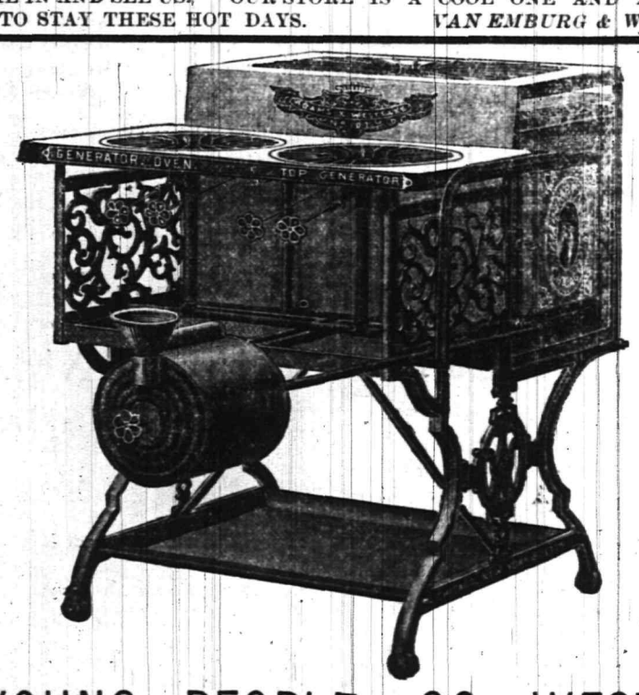

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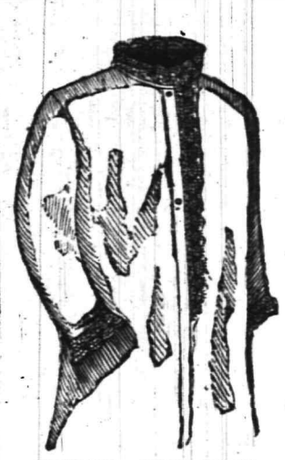

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ITALIAN IMMIGRATION.

Startling Testimony of the Castle Garden Investigation.

GROSS VIOLATIONS OF LAW.

Testimony of a Recent Importation on the Wants and Expectations of His Countrymen—They do not Come to be Citizens—Working for Seventy-Five Cents a Day.

NEW YORK, July 28.—The inquiry by the Congressional Committee into the evils of indiscriminate immigration to this country was resumed yesterday.

The first witness was Robert Marco, Superintendent of the Italian Immigration Society, who told about the acts of the contract labor agents, who import victims to this country, and gave a list of them.

Witness said that last May twelve or fifteen immigrants from his country came over on the steamship Entilla of the Italian Navigation Company.

They were engaged by Angelo Leo and consigned to a contractor in St. Paul named Ungaro. Their pay was $25, but they were compelled to pay $65 to Ungaro. Mr. Marco wrote to Ungaro protesting against the importation of contract laborers, but he said that he had never received any reply.

The evidence to the effect that the immigrants had been required to pay a bonus of nearly $50 over and above their fare to the person who imported them created something of a sensation. Mr. Marco believes that there are at least 3,000 Italians out of work here.

When asked what wages the farm laborers in the south of Italy receive, Mr. Marco said that it is an average remuneration of 30 cents a day and a gallon of wine.

"Do you not know," asked Congressman Ford, "that Italian women in this city are sewing ordinary pants at 10 cents a dozen?"

The witness was not positive as to this nor did he admit that he had heard of cases where Italians whose wives were working at those ruinous wages refused to work unless paid at least 75 cents per day.

The witness who followed Mr. Marco was a picturesque character. He was a silent, solidly built man with bronzed features and a generous head of black hair combed well down on the brow. He could talk no English. The witness said that he had worked in Italy as a mule driver at from 1 1-2 to 2 francs per day when business was brisk, but there were times when there was no traffic and he was obliged to work digging in the trenches at 10 cents a day.

The witness told with some difficulty how he and his companions went to Naples, and how they were conducted on board the steamer that brought them to this country. The was nothing new in this; the witness paid for his railroad ticket to Naples, and went through the usual formality of getting his passport at the Mayor's office, etc.

His ticket on the steamer cost him 115 francs; he had 100 francs of his own and he borrowed 50 francs from a friend, and he had about 30 francs in his possession when he landed in this country: he had not got a day's work since he landed; the farming was too far advanced to get work; some of his friends had obtained work because they were able to pay for it; some of them paid $2 and some paid more; they were told that $1 was for steamboat fare and the balance was for something else; he had no money now; he would not work for fifty cents a day, because that would not support his wife and family; they were in Italy now; they were living on Indian corn, etc., which they raised themselves; he was satisfied with his condition in Italy before he was told of the inducements to come to this country; of his companions who came here with him there were about fifteen out of work.

To Congressman Guenther a witness said he would work for him for seventy-five cents a day; he did not know whether any of his countrymen would accept the same terms; some of his companions paid money to get work in the country, and after working for a little while there had come back again, the work having come to an end; he had received aid and food from Italian benovolent societies in this city; he had received food from the Italian Emigration Society; he had picked up a little wood round the markets and sold it, and with it and the aid he had received he had managed to live since his arrival here; if he was working steadily he would not spend more than twenty-five cents a day for food and lodging for himself; he would not live very well on that amount, but he would live pretty well; he would, perhaps, have a little beer once a week: he would not spend any more if he earned $1.50 a day; his family were depending to some extent on charity at home now the same as he himself was doing here; he sold his mule in order to raise the money to come to this country; he received 110 francs for the mule, of which 10 francs went for brokerage.

The witness said that he did not go to the country for work because he had no money to go with; he did not come to this country with the idea of becoming a citizen of the United States, but simply to get work; he was living in the "Convent" on Elizabeth street, where there were several of his companions; they slept on boards; when he and his companions came here they expected to work here for about two years, and then to go home with the money they expected to save; the man Bartoni, who induced them to come, said there was plenty of work here; the witness could not tell whether Bartoni represented any steamship company or not or who he represented, if anybody.

To Take Political Action.

CHICAGO, July 28.—The proposed independent political club of railway employes meets with considerable favor from all classes of railroad men.

"There are enough railroad men in Illinois," said a member of the committee, "to hold the balance of power. I should estimate their number at 35,000. We propose to wipe the Pinkertons off the face of Illinois, and propose to do it in a peaceful, legal manner."

Boulanger's First Appearance.

PARIS, July 28.—General Boulanger rode out in a carriage yesterday for the first time since his duel with M. Floquet. He drove through the Bois de Boulogne, followed by sixteen carriages filled with newspaper reporters and admirers, who shouted until they were hoarse. The General's carriage was escorted back to Paris by an immense crowd of howling gamins.

PLANS FOR BATTLE.

What is Going on at Campaign Headquarters.

NEW YORK, July 28.—The first regular session of the Democratic campaign committee since its organization, will be held next Tuesday at noon. All the members will be present except, perhaps, W. L. Scott, who is confined to his room in Washington by a bilious attack.

The committee will remain in session for three or four days. They will have plenty to do. Hundreds of applications for documents are awaiting their attention, and reports from various State committees have to be acted upon.

Up to this time Mr. Brice and Mr. Barnum have done most of the work, but next week the other committeemen will have a taste of the labor attending the direction of a national canvass.

The object of Tuesday's meeting is said to be to prepare an appeal for contributions. None have come in yet and none will be needed until the work of distributing documents begins. It is reported that Mr. Brice will have ready a little check for $25,000 next Tuesday, and that William L. Scott will add to it to the same amount. The flow of checks is expected to start next week.

The Republican executive committee will spend most of next week in selecting documents for distribution. One is prepared already. It gives the favorable opinions of the English press of President Cleveland's message. This is counted on as a trump card.

At the headquarters of the Blaine reception committee, it was said that a program of the proposed demonstration would be ready August 1. All clubs will be notified that they must send in applications for a place in the parade by that time.

A Slave Owner and a Rebel.

DECATUR, Ill., July 28.—There is considerable feeling in prohibition circles over a speech said to have been delivered by John A. Brooks, candidate for Vice-President on the Prohibition ticket, at a camp meeting held here. Brooks admitted having been a rebel, a slave owner and a fire eating Democrat, but thanked God he had never been a Republican, and would never have to answer for that sin. He said that if the Democrats and Republicans did not join the Prohibitionists the devil would get them.

Steve Brodie Jailed.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Steve Brodie, the bridge jumper, and Gertrude Lord, a pretty sixteen-year-old girl from Albany were arrested at the former's saloon last night. Brodie is charged with abducting the young woman, and although they professed a desire to be married the bridge jumper was locked up and the girl taken to the rooms of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Children.

A Deputy Sheriff Lynched.

WAHPETON, Dak., July 28.—Before a thousand spectators Deputy-Sheriff E. S. Elmer was lynched yesterday on the banks of the river near here by a band of masked men, who took him from the jail. In pure wantonness, apparently, he murdered pretty Mollie Korbell Wednesday night.

Marlborough and Wife.

NEW YORK, July 28.—A private dispatch from London says that the Duke and Duchess of Marlborough have had the legality of their marriage established in England. They went before a registrar and had their marriage recorded.

Bad Break in the Erie Canal.

BRIGHTON, July 28.—A serious break has occurred in the three-mile level of the Erie canal, ninety-six miles east of Buffalo. Several boats were broken in two and the entire fleet of east bound boats is delayed again. The break was caused by rats.

Chinamen at $50 a Head.

MONTREAL, July 28.—Two Chinamen sent back to this city from Plattsburg, N. Y., on the ground that their papers were irregular, were forced to pay $50 each before being set free by the customs officers. It was declared that the men were in bond and dutiable.

Scandinavians Organizing.

BOSTON, July 28.—About twenty-five of the Scandinavian citizens of Boston held a mass meeting last night to protest against Senator Hoar's attack on the Scandinavian people and to form a political association to further the interests of the race in this country.

Suicide at a Prayer Meeting.

INDIANAPOLIS, July 28. — Eugene Zinges committed suicide at a prayer meeting last night by swallowing carbolic acid. He was depressed at the death of his parents.

Gen. Alger's Contributions.

CINCINNATI, July 28.—A dispatch from New York says Gen. Alger of Michigan has given the Republican National Committee a check for $100,000 for campaign purposes.

A Post-Office Robbed.

ORANGE, Mass., July 28.—Burglars broke open the safe in the post-office here Thursday night and took money, stamps and registered letters to the amount of $500.

Tobacco Brokers Assign.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Wollenberg & Ware, tobacco brokers at 230 Pearl street, have made an assignment to Herman Schoverling without preferences.

Zululand's War Will Go On.

LONDON, July 28.—Despatches from Cape Town report that there is no prospect of a settlement of the conflict in Zululand and the war must go on.

Death of Prof. Bonitz.

LONDON, July 28.—Prof. Hermann Bonitz, the German philologist, is dead.

Germany's Royal Baby.

BERLIN, July 28.—At 1.30 yesterday morning, in the Royal Palace at Potsdam, the Empress was delivered of a baby boy. Mother and child are doing nicely.

Orbit Wins the Eclipse.

LONDON, July 28.—The race for the Great Eclipse stakes of £10,000 came off at Sandown Park yesterday, and was won by Orbit, Ossorp second and Martley third.

Challenges the Strangler.

BUFFALO, July 28.—Dennis Gallagher, the wrestler posted a forfeit of $25 and has issued a challenge to Evan Lewis to wrestle side hold in harness for $200 to $500 a side.

Sheridan Holds His Own.

NEW BEDFORD, Mass., July 28.—Gen. Sheridan's condition is unchanged.

THE WHISKEY TRUST.

A Kentucky Manufacturer Called to the Stand.

OBJECTS OF THE AGREEMENT.

The Senate Consider the Fisheries Treaty in Open Executive Session—Pension Bills—Interesting Debate Expected on the French Spoliation Claims.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—At a meeting of the house Committee on Manufactures yesterday Chairman Bacon announced that the committee would proceed to the investigation of the so-called whiskey trust, and called J. M. Atherton of Louisville, Ky., president of the J. M. Atherton Company, as the first witness.

The company's headquarters, witness said, were in Lerue County, Ky. It was not engaged in distilling whiskey, but in handling the whiskey of a number of firms who do a distilling business in their own names.

The object of the agreement between them was to preserve the trade-marks of the firm, which were regarded as valuable. The production of these firms in 1882 was 50,000 barrels, but the production had fallen off. Since that time the yearly production was from 10,000 to 20,000 barrels.

There were, Mr. Atherton said, two classes of whiskey producers in Kentucky—those who made fine Bourbon whiskeys, and a number of firms located along the Ohio River who made cheap whiskeys, the difference being that the value of the Bourbon or Kentucky whiskey depended upon its flavor, and that it had to be aged before being sold, while the other was immediately placed on the market.

There was no business connection between the producers of the one kind of whiskey and the producers of the other grades, nor was there any connection between the Kentucky distiller and those who made substantially the same kind of whiskey in Pennsylvania and Maryland.

In Senate and House.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—The Senate bill to provide for trial by jury in the police court of the District of Columbia, was reported and passed by the Senate yesterday.

Among the bills reported and placed on the calendar of the Senate was the House bill for the establishment of a light ship, with steam fog signal at Sandy Hook, New York harbor; also several House bills for establishing lighthouses at various points.

The Senate then proceeded to the consideration of the Fisheries Treaty in open executive session, and was addressed by Mr. Saulsbury in favor of its ratification. Democratic Senators, he said, had not opposed the open executive session from any apprehension that the public discussion of the treaty would injure the Administration or the Democratic party.

In the House Mr. Matson asked consent that the order assigning last night's session for the consideration of private pension bills be so modified as to admit of the consideration of general pension legislation, but objection was made.

Mr. Townshend, from the Committee on Military Affairs, reported back the Army Appropriation Bill with Senate amendments, and it was referred to the Committee of the Whole.

The Inter-State Act.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Although the house committee on commerce has directed a report to be made to the house on the senate bill to amend the Inter-State Commerce Act, the subject was reopened yesterday for the purpose of enabling Repsesentative O'Neill to offer an additional amendment providing that after ninety days from the passage of the act, it shall be unlawful for any common carrier to engage in the transportation of passengers or property between the several states and territories of the United States, or between any places in the United States and a foreign country over any route which includes as a part thereof a railway or water route outside of the United States, without first having procured a license.

This is the amendment which was intended to counteract the effect of the Inter-State Commerce Law on Canadian routes. After a long discussion the amendment was rejected by a vote of 6 to 4.

In No Hurry for His Ermine.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Chief Justice Fuller's commission was sent from the White House as soon as the President was notified that the Senate had confirmed the nomination. But Mr. Fuller has not yet taken the oath of office and is not disposed to do so until he has finished the work of closing up his private business.

He wants to talk with the President about it, though, and will be guided by the President's wishes. As he could do no work before October anyway, the President will probably tell him to take his own time.

Randall to Leave Washington.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—Mr. Randall continues to improve rapidly in health. According to the present arrangement he will leave for Wayne Post-office (near Philadelphia) to-day, and will take up his residence at the house of Mrs. J. Ballangee Cox.

Either Dr. Martin or Dr. Mallen will accompany the party, which will include Mrs. Randall and her daughter.

A private car has been placed at their disposal by the Pennsylvania Railroad Company.

An Interesting Debate.

WASHINGTON, July 28.—An interesting historical debate is expected in the House on Monday next upon the item in the Deficiency Appropriation Bill for the payment of the judgments of the Court of Claims in the French Spoliation cases. Some of the noted orators of the House, among them Representative Long of Massachusetts and Mr. Breckinridge of Kentucky, are to speak.

These claims have been debated at long intervals for nearly a century.

Impeachment of Gov. Church.

ABERDEEN, Dak., July 28.—Formal charges, which were prepared by the Impeachment Committee of the Watertown Convention of Independent Democrats, against Gov. Church, were forwarded to President Cleveland yesterday. The charges include corruption to obtain legislation for his pecuniary advantage, exaction of illegal and exorbitant fees, and assumption of authority.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The Champions of this city will play the "Young Merrits" of North Plainfield a match game of ball on the Somerset street grounds, on Monday at 9:30 A. M.

—Mr. H. G. Adams will lead the meeting at the Y. M. C. A., to-morrow morning, at 9 o'clock. Young Men's meeting Monday at 8 P. M.

—The game this afternoon on the Y. M. C. A. grounds, will probably be an exciting and interesting one. It will be called at 3:30 o'clock, and the weather is just perfect.

—The first annual picnic of the American Crystal club of this city, will take place at St. Mary's Hall, on the evening of Wednesday, August 8. Music will be furnished by Prof. Cahill.

—The ladies of the W. C. T. U., at their rooms, 73 West Front street, will hold their meeting as usual this evening, conducted by Mrs. Tomlinson, and commencing with a service of song.

—The officers of the Gesang and Turn Verein Society are requested to meet at the residence of Mr. Geo. Bremer in North Plainfield, to-morrow, as business of importance will come up for consideration.

—The colored congregation of Mt. Olive Baptist church are arranging for a lawn party on the grounds adjoining the church on Wednesday, August 8. On the following evening they will hold a festival in the basement of the church building.

—Black goods are so popular now and in such great demand, that Edsall is making them a specialty as he announces in his advertisement today. No one need go out of town for these goods if they wish to patronize home trade, when such an excellent assortment can be found at Edsall's popular estabishment.

—Engineers on the Central Railroad have been cautioned against the excessive use of the locomotive whistles both day and night. They are expected to blow only when necessary and then only loud enough to answer the particular purpose. Hereafter engineers violating this rule will be summarily dealt with.

—Messrs. Laing & Nelson's excursion to Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, on Wednesday next, will doubtless be well patronized. The scholars of Grace Sunday school, and of the Evona Mission chapel, will form a part of the excursionists, and the trip will probably be one of the most pleasant this season.

—A game of base ball between Dan White's nine and a team captained by James Day, was played on the West Fourth street grounds, yesterday afternoon. On account of wild throwing on the part of Day's nine, the tally sheet at the end of the game showed a score of 15 to 8 in favor of "Danny's" club.

—If Adam, our ancestral pop,
Had until now contrived to stop,
And Eve again should to him pass
A sample of crude apple-sass,
He'd say "no pippin, if you please,
A Waterbury Watch I'll seize
Instead, the which I can accrue
At Collier's, 3 Park avenue."

—The school teachers of Somerset and Hunterdon will hold a union Teachers' Institute, in Somerville, sometime in November. The exercises will be continued five days and during the day will be held in the school building, while the evening exercises will be held in the churches or some other public place. Fuller particulars will be published when the arrangements are all perfected.

—A very interesting pamphlet, printed by electricity, has just been issued setting forth the results already accomplished in the way of distributing electrical power from stations to consumers for all purposes. A list is given of patrons of two circuits from a plant in New York city equipped with the Daft system. They number 124, who use the power for everything from diamond cutting and hoisting elevators, to running ventilating fans and lithographic presses.

—The sale at public auction in Westfield by Mr. Chuncey B. Ripley of building lots on the Boulevard, Tuesday, July 31st inst., the particulars of which are to be found in our advertising columns, will attract the attention of many who have for years observed this choice property from the Railroad station or from passing trains. Only a few lots will be offered, half a dozen or so, but the terms will be made easy, it seems, and building loans made to such as contemplate building right away. The advertisement claims for these lots superiority of location over all others on the line of the Central road between New York and Easton.

DEMOCRATIC MEETING.

AN ENTHUSIASTIC GATHERING.

The Democrats of This City Turn Out in Large Numbers and Listen to An Able Address by Mr. James E. Martine—A Democratic Campaign Club to be Organized.

The Democrats of this city have not been asleep while the Republicans have been holding public demonstrations. Moreover they have been quietly laying out their plans for a successful termination of the Fall campaign. Neither have they paraded the streets with brass band attachment, attracting an audience of women and baby carriages, as was the case in North Plainfield on Thursday evening, when Major Pangborn tried to pull the protective wool over the eyes of his hearers.

Last evening the Democratic voters turned out in large numbers, in answer to a call published in THE PRESS. The meeting was held in the Democratic Association rooms on East Front street, and when the hour for beginning arrived, the spacious hall was densely filled with people.

Mr. James E. Martine, President of the Democratic Executive Committee, called the meeting to order, and stated the object. He said among other things that the Democratic party was on the eve of a great contest, and would be compelled to battle with an unscrupulous and unprincipled foe—a party which held the purse strings of innumerable wealth. The Democratic party, he said, was made up of poor people, whose interests should first be considered. Through President Cleveland's exertions the question of tariff is today agitating the minds of the people. The Democratic party does not pursue a policy that would cheapen the workingman's wages. Only yesterday the Republicans ridiculed and assailed the Democratic party as being made up of rough scuffs, and today they call themselves the champions of the workingmen.

The speaker said he had no doubt as to the result of the coming election, if the votes were cast and fairly counted. But another important point is to be considered is the tariff—one which all do not understand. It means a tax on your clothing, food, etc. The Democrats have no heresy of free trade; four years ago the Republicans pledged themselves to correct the inequalities of the tariff. Chester A. Arthur declared that raw material should be admitted free, and such were Garfield's views. The Democratic party proposes no policy of free trade. We mean that your burden shall be lightened—the cost of erecting houses shall be less, your clothing cheaper—and as a result your earnings shall be made a greater blessing, and permitted to purchase more of this World's good. Is not this clear and simple justice? Wages are regulated by the supply and demand. When two bosses are after one man, then the wages are high; when two men are after one boss then the wages are low.

Continuing his remarks Mr. Martine said iron, coal and steel are closely protected, and yet there is no place in the union where the labor agitation is greater than where these articles are produced. One iron producer in Pennsylvania realizes about $2,500 a day, yet he disapproves of the Mills bill, which would decrease his daily income but a few hundred dollars.

Here the speaker stated that Mr. A. VanDeventer, of the firm of VanDeventer & Horn, carpet manufactures of this city, had told him that the event of putting wool on the free list would facilitate his works and increase his business and consequently he could give employment to more hands.

Some people are inclined to believe that the passage of the Mills bill would have a tendency to decrease the number of pottery manufacturing industries, and one firm in Trenton has already given notice to its employees of a proposed decrease in wages. This is only compared with a general in the army who gathered his forces and told them to advance until they could see the whites in the enemy's eyes, then pull the trigger and blaze away, then turn and run like thunder; I'm a little lame and I'll run now.

The only salvation of the Democratic party is to act out its own honest convictions; the Republicans are at war with themselves.

At this point in the proceedings a gentleman who said that he was connected with the Worcester Carpet Company, of Worcester, Mass., a firm consuming 40,000 pounds of wool a week, begged to differ with Mr. VanDeventer. He said that while Mr. VanDeventer was in favor of the Mills bill, all the other carpet manufacturing firms disapproved of its passage. He declared himself in favor of free wool, if the tariff on manufactured goods was continued. The speaker was declared out of order, and notwithstanding the fact that he was repeatedly asked to sit down, he continued to argue the question, until the President sat down upon him. "This is a Democratic meeting," said Mr. Martine, "and we can illy afford to gag. While these lights continue to burn you shall be permitted to be heard, and protected in that which is right." The carpet manufactures, he said had grown fat; we are willing that you should be protected in fairness but we are going to curtail a little bit of your profits, so that you shall not grow rich in two or three years. He spoke at length and was frequently applauded.

Mr. Watson moved to proceed with the regular order of business, and Judge L. F. Wadsworth made a motion that the chair appoint a committee to organize a campaign club. The following were appointed: Messrs. G. W. Watson, Daniel McCarthy, Joseph F. Shepherd and Vincent L. Frazee. The chair then announced the following committees.

Executive—Messrs. Joseph W. Yates, Rowland M. Stover, Tell A. Beguelin, Daniel McCarthy. Elmore D. Moffett, William L. Force, John Rafferty, and ex-officio the officers of the association, Messrs. Jas. E. Martine, President; G. W. Watson, Robert L. Livingston, R. Channing, N. Harper, Vice Presidents; James Clark, treasurer; L. F. Wadsworth, recording secretary, and L. M. Stover, corresponding secretary.

Finance Committee—Messrs. G. W. Watson, J. W. Yates, James Clark.

Committee on Naturalization—Messrs. Elmore D. Moffett, Peter Flynn, Jr., Solomon Flaig, V. L. Frazee.

Printing—Messrs. L. M. Stover, Emil Drayer, Charles B. Van Winkle.

Committee on Public Meetings—Messrs. R. M. Stover, Edw. P. Thorn, Walter L. Hetfield.

Canvassing Committee—Messrs. L. F. Wadsworth, Richard Merritt, Auguste Saltzman, Jos. F. Shepherd.

Upon motion adopted, it was decided that those of the voters present who wanted to become members of the club should sign the roll, and nearly one hundred persons responded.

The President stated that it was essential that two delegates be elected to represent the association at the State Convention, and Messrs. G. Warren Watson and Tell A. Beguelin were elected as such.

The President also read a letter from Senator McPherson, stating that inasmuch as the tariff bill was likely to come up in the Senate on Monday, he could not definitely decide upon a date upon which he would visit Plainfield. He advised the association to go on with the ratification, and promised to visit Plainfield later in the campaign. Mr. Martine announced that a ratification meeting would take place in the near future, after which the meeting adjourned until Thursday next.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Service to-morrow in the Trinity Reformed church at 10:30 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. Preaching by the pastor. The subject in the evening will be "Almost!"

Crescent Avenue church services at 10:30 A. M., and 8 P. M., to-morrow. Preaching by the Rev. C. J. Little of Syracuse, N. Y. Seats free at the evening service. A cordial welcome extended to all.

The Rev. Mr. Baker will conduct the services in Reform Hall, to-morrow afternoon. The hour is four o'clock, and all are cordially invited. The usual morning prayer meeting in the lower room will be at 9:15.

The Rev. Dr. Taylor having returned to Plainfield, will resume his services to-morrow at the Church of the Heavenly Rest, Evona, in the morning at 11 o'clock; and at All Saints church, Scotch Plains, in the afternoon at 4 o'clock.

Services in the Park Avenue Baptist church to-morrow. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Asa Reed Dilts, at 10:45 A. M., and 7:45 P. M. Morning theme—"Hindrances to the Highest Life of the Soul." Evening theme—"Little Things."

The Sunday evening service at the Warren Union Mission to-morrow will be of special interest, this meeting being the last one held Sunday evening for two months. The usual song service will commence at 7:45. The Sunday School service will be held every Sunday, commencing at 2:30 o'clock.

The W. C. T. U. extend a cordial invitation to their gospel meeting at 4 o'clock in their rooms, 73 West Front street, to-morrow afternoon. The meeting will be preceded by a quarter-hour service of song, led by the Crescent Glee Club. The young people are rendering excellent service, and making the exercises very interesting by their brief, earnest remarks, and Christian testimony. A hearty welcome will be extended to all.

Cutter's Hall, Lord's Day, 11 A. M., "The Feast of Charity"; 2:30 P. M., Bible Lesson; 5 P. M., Ordinance of Christian Baptism, at Park Avenue Baptist church; 7:30 P. M., at the Hall, Hand of Fellowship and presentation of Book of Creed and Discipline; 8 P. M., "Methods of Preachers who Preach the Gospel of Christ." All non-Christians welcomed.

There Should Have Been a Chaperone For Each Couple.

A four-horse stage load of merry young folks from The Netherwood, with a colored coachman in shirt sleeves, and a whipper, went to Bound Brook for a moonlight ride, Thursday night.

The party consisted of Miss Cullen and Mr. Harry Martin, Miss Plum and Mr. A. Eckert, Miss Yelland and Mr. J. Plum, Jr., Miss Forker and Mr. Rice, and Miss Ryer and Mr. G. Ryer, with Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Lattin to *chaperone* the young women, and Mr. Stanley Eckert to set the young men a good example.

After a vain search in the sky and one another's eyes, for the moon, a stop was made at the Gaddis Hotel for refreshments and also something to eat. Mr. Harry Martin led in a cheese by a chain, but it slipped its collar and got away. After chasing the crackers around the room in vain, the party held a *soiree musicale* in the parlor led by Miss Cullen and Mr. Rice.

At the request of the proprietor they left for home before morning, and the residents and police of Bound Brook laid themselves down to sleep again.

BLACK GOODS. BLACK GOODS.

THE demand for this popular line of goods is increasing daily. We are showing a very nice assortment, at prices that will compare favorably with New York houses, and invite any one in need of BLACK GOODS to examine our stock and prices, and see if we cannot make it to your interest to purchase at home.

WE show a splendid line of "CASHMERES." Prices are from 50c to $1 00 per yard, every particle wool and of the very BEST BLACK. All Wool and Silk and Wool "HENRIETTAS." Prices are from 85c to $1 75 per yard. "NUNSVEILING", for Dresses and Veilings. Prices are from 75c to $1 10 per yard. "WHIPCORDS," "DAMASSE," "DRATATA," "CAMEL'S HAIR," "ALBATROS," "COURTAULD'S CRAPE," "BLACK GROS GRAIN SILKS," guaranteed all right both as to quality and price—from $1 00 to $2 25 per yard. "SATINS," "SURAH SILKS," "MORIE SILKS," etc., etc.

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Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

Mail for Warrenville closes Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday at 12 m.

Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window.

Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 6 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 23, 1888.

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Abbot, Miss E. R.	Marsh, W. J.
Ashworth, Robert	McKinley, W. G.
Boutin, A. C.	Moore, Miss Maria
Brown, Mrs. T.	McDanald, M.
Brokaw, Miss Mary	Morris, Mrs. Jas. T.
Benton, W. S.	Meissen, Christian
Bloomfield, Miss Lulu	Oakley, Miss Sadie
Carolan, Mr. J.	Phillips, Mrs. Hattie
Clark, Mrs. Jas	Randolph, Mrs. E.
Crooke, G. L.	Rannon, Miss Florence
Davenport, Mrs. W. E.	Randolph, Mrs. Sarah 2
Dickson, Mrs. Thos.	Runyon, Mrs. S. R.
Ellerson, Mrs. Sophie	Ramsey, Harry K.
Evans, Miss May	Savage, Miss Ellen
Everetts Sr, Everetts	Stewart Jr, Edward W.
Evans, Miss H. D.	Stransi, Frank
Gardner, C. H.	Soule, C. W. 2
Guild, Miss Angie R.	Strow, Miss Ida
Gindy, Miss Maggie	Smalley, H. F.
Grogan, Miss Maggie	Strow, Mrs. Hulda
Horton, F. C.	Thorp, Emily
Hill, Mrs. Jennie	Thorn, Miss Eva
Hillyer, Miss J.	Williston, Miss Alice
Huebner, John	Weber, Miss Alma
Haviland, M. J.	Williams, Master Robie
Janson, Alf 2	Wilbust, Mrs
Kiernan, Jas F.	Wesson L. E.
Kelley, Miss Grace	Werner, Miss Jennie
Morris, F. M.	

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

CLARK—At Muhlenburg Hospital on Friday, 27th inst., Thos. M. Clark, aged 42 years. Funeral at residence of his brother-in-law, 56 Madison avenue, North Plainfield, on Sunday, 29th, at 3 P. M.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

FOUND—Yesterday afternoon, a sum of money. Owner can have it by proving property, and paying advertising expenses. Apply to Patrick Waters, 59 W. Third street.

50,000 Celery, strong plants. For sale at Denton's Nursery, Hillside ave.

ROOMS TO LET—New house, good location. Enquire at PRESS office. 7-27-2

COACHMAN wants situation. Best of city references. Address Box 983. 7-27-3

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BOARDERS taken at No. 210 W. Front street—opposite Potter's and near Pond's works. 7-26-6

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FURNISHED Room to Let at 36 Park avenue. 7-24-5

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WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7-tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

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Apply to John M. C. Marsh, Auctioneer, for further information as to terms of sale and maps of the property. Sale on the grounds near ex-postmaster Frederick Decker's Boulevard Property, Tuesday, July 31, 1888, at 2:30 P. M.

LAING & NELSON EXCURSION TO LONG BRANCH and OCEAN GROVE, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-tf

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Under the auspices of

St. Mary's T. A. B. Society,

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The new city Cornet Band, under the leadership of Profs. Conde and Neilson, will give a

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DANCING will also be a feature of the occasion. Music by Prof. Cahill, of Elizabethport, N. J.

ADMISSION,.....25 Cents.

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Old Tippecanoe Was a "Free Trader."

The first act of the Whigs who elected Gen'l Harrison President, was to *reduce the tariff* from its previous average of 40 per cent. dutiable goods to 26 per cent. in 1842, Harrison's first year, and to 29 in 1843.

The Harrison Whig tariff was levied for revenue—not for protection. What the Whig party proposed doing in 1840—to reform the tariff—the Democratic party proposes doing now. The Harrison Whigs reduced the tariff from an average of 40 per cent. to 26.

The Democrats propose to reduce the tariff from 47 last year, and an average of 44 during the past ten years, to 40 per cent.—to what the Whigs rose up against. It needs reduction as much now as it did then, and the Harrison men of today are fighting against what the Harrison men of 1840 fought for, and against what those now living will vote for.

If old "Tippecanoe" were living he would be the leader of the Democratic party in Indiana and the most active and powerful opponent of his grandson.

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Edith Porter, of Brooklyn, is the guest of Miss Angie Feytel, of North Plainfield.

Miss Ella Beatty, of Newark, is visiting Miss Laura Force of Summit Avenue, North Plainfield.

Mr. Jacob Kirkner's family have gone to their extensive country seat at Stamford, Delaware county, N. Y.

Mr. J. Harry Milligan, of West Fourth street, has gone for a month's visit with relatives at Flanders and Schooley's Mountain.

Miss Stella Kressler of Clinton street, Trenton, is visiting Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Sheppard at 76 New street. Miss Kressler is a student in the Trenton High School, and possesses rare elocutionary powers.

The funeral of the late Jos. O'Neill who died on Thursday evening, took place from St. Mary's church this morning, Rev. Father Smyth officiating. Interment was made in St. Mary's cemetery.

Thomas M. Clark, aged 42 years, died at Muhlenberg Hospital, yesterday. Funeral services will be held to-morrow afternoon at three o'clock, at the residence of the deceased's brother-in-law, 56 Madison avenue, North Plainfield.

The condition of Geo. Moore, the young man who fell from a roof on Sixth street, yesterday afternoon, is today reported as improved. The injured man continues to spit blood, which is supposed to be the result of internal injuries.

Mr. Benj. H. Doane and wife are staying at Mrs. J. V. Cornwell's, East Sixth street, for the Summer. Mr. Doane is the younger son of Captain Doane of the "Cherokee," and one of the most expert stenograpers of the country.

The handsome residence described in these columns, that is to be erected for Councilman Watson on the extensive property he has recently purchased, will be in the flamboyant gothic style from entirely original plans by Architect B. Fosgate. It will be thoroughly different in its exterior from anything in this section of the State.

Mr. W. R. Codington of the law firm of *Jackson & Codington*, must not be included in the list of reporters who occupied seats on the platform at the Republican meeting in North Plainfield on Thursday evening, because his name was omitted in our account of the proceedings, yesterday. Mr. Codington was one of the favored few who occupied seats on the platform, but he was not there in the interest of any newspaper.

Thrown Out on Her Face.

About four o'clock of yesterday afternoon, just as THE PRESS was being issued, a horse recently purchased by Mr. J. T. Vail, ran away on North avenue and threw Mrs. Vail out on her face.

The lady was driving up and down the street near the station, when the animal took fright at the sudden blowing-off of a passing locomotive, and running around the corner of Broadway dashed the carriage against a tree in the vicinity of the Quaker church.

Mrs. Vail was severely cut and bruised about the face and one hand and arm in particular. She is, however, much better today. The horse broke loose from the wrecked vehicle, but was caught in the vicinity of Front street.

Grand Division, Sons of Temperance.

A quarterly meeting of the Grand Division of the Sons of Temperance of the State was held in Newark on Wednesday, with Grand Worthy Patriarch VanAiken of New Brunswick in the chair. The presiding officer read his quarterly report, which contained many matters of interest to members of the Order. A number of representatives were admitted to membership. Several lady members attended the meeting. Various matters of interest to the Order were acted upon throughout the day.

What Fools Such Mortals Be.

If the *Egregious News* had carefully read THE PRESS of the day before, it would not once more have made itself an object of ridicule by its record of a homing pigeon fly of 500 miles in less than four hours, as published yesterday, twenty-four hours after the true time was given in these columns.

Westfield's Needs.

An "Old Resident" writes to the Westfield *Standard*, on the school question, and other needs, as follows:

"I have been a resident and taxpayer in Westfield for years and take a deep interest in all that pertains to the welfare of our town. In regard to the contemplated new school building, it seems to me it would be unwise to make so large an outlay now. By adding to the present school building (in the rear) enough room may be added to provide for our necessities for several years, and at a cost of three or four thousand dollars, and our principal could then have an oversight of the whole school.

"We are needing other improvements in our village. First, we need a system of drainage, and we must have it soon, or suffer for the want of it. We also need a water supply for our Fire Department, and we may have to pay dearly by and by, unless we provide it. Would it not be wise to postpone the building of the new school house, and with the outlay named above, bridge us over for a few years, and leave us with the ability of making these other improvements no less pressing? Some may say, let us do it all. Bond the town and raise the money to pay for it.

"We should learn wisdom from the examples of cities not far distant and not go recklessly in debt. There are some in our town who pay no tax, but are very ready in voting taxes for others to pay, and those who do pay taxes and are ambitious to be considered leaders of enterprise and progress, but who are not favored with the best of judgment. I hope we have among us enough of the fairly conservative, business element, which will act as a balance wheel."

Proverbs About Thunder.

If the birds be silent, expect thunder.

If the cattle run around and collect together in the meadows, expect thunder.

If the clouds grow rapidly larger, expect much rain and also thunder.

Two currents in Summer indicate thunder.

If there be many falling stars during a clear evening in Summer, expect thunder.

Increasing atmospheric electricity oxidizes ammonia in the air and forms nitric acid, which affects milk, thus accounting for the souring of milk by thunder.

Thunder in the evening indicates much rain.

When it thunders in the morning it will rain before night.

Thunder in the North indicates cold weather.

Thunder in the North indicates dry weather.

Thunder from the South or Southeast indicates foul weather; from the North or Northwest, fair weather.

With a North wind it seldom thunders.

Much thunder in July injures wheat and barley.

Thunder in the Fall indicates a mild, open Winter.

Distant thunder speaks of coming rain. —*Boston Journal.*

Highland Beach.

This new excursion resort is situated on the narrow neck of land between Seabright and Sandy Hook, and has the ocean on one side and the Shrewsbury River (backed up by the Highlands of Navesink) on the other. There are pleasant drives; delightful wooded paths for pedestrian strolls; boats of all kinds—row, sail, or steam launches, for water journeys on the placid river; games of popular amusement, such as croquet, lawn tennis and the like, and, in short, enough variety to pass the time very pleasantly. The fishing is excellent, and the bathing superb, the surf at this point being clean and free from all *debris*.

The place is under the care of the Highland Beach Improvement Company, of which Ferdinand Fish of this city, is President, and Mr. Wheaton S. Lowry, also of Plainfield, Treasurer. The beach may be reached by an all-rail route, via the New Jersey Central and Southern roads, or by the fine steamers St. Johns and Monmouth (the latter the new palace boat just put on by the Central Railroad Company), from pier No. 8, North River. Further particulars may be gained by consulting advertisement in THE CONSTITUTIONALIST.

Grand Jurymen of Intelligence and Character to be Selected.

The new jury law went into effect on the first of the month, and the Jury Commissioners are now at work in the several counties of the State, compiling a list of voters who are to serve on the various pannels in the September term of Court. There are two Jury Commissioners for each county. The Commissioners in this county are Mr. Charles Russ of Elizabeth, and Captain Frank L. Sheldon of Rahway. They were appointed by the joint session of the Senate and Assembly last February.

The object of this new law is to correct some abuses and misdirection of justice happening in some counties under the old system. By this method it will be impossible for jurors to be summoned as rewards for political work or other irregularities. The first cost to each county under the new law will be large owing to the labor of examining the Assessors' lists in all the townships, and picking out such men as would make good jurymen. Grand jurymen will be selected mainly for their intelligence and character, and not for their political value.

Pernicious Effects of Tobacco.

DR. FLINT'S REMEDY is the only antidote against the influence of tobacco which the smoker or chewer of the weed has, and it should be taken regularly to prevent the heart from becoming diseased. Descriptive treatise with each bottle. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

Call For Convention of Democratic Clubs.

The following circular, calling for a convention of Democratic clubs, has been issued, and will explain itself:

Pursuant to instructions and authority invested in us by resolution adopted at a conference of the Democratic clubs of New Jersey represented by delegates at the recent National Convention of Democratic clubs held at Baltimore, Md., we issue this call for a convention of all Democratic clubs and societies of this State, to be held at the City of Trenton, Wednesday and Thursday, August 22d and 23d, 1888, beginning at 11 o'clock A. M. August 22.

The purpose of this Convention is to organize a State Convention in accordance with the action taken at Baltimore in forming the National Association of Democratic Clubs, of which the Hon. Chauncey F. Black, of Pennsylvania, is President; Edward B. Whitney, of New York, Secretary; George H. Lambert, of New Jersey, Treasurer, and to take such action as might be deemed best to further the success and continued prosperity of the Democratic party in the State and Nation.

The basis of representation in this convention: All clubs and societies are entitled to 5 delegates, with 2 additional delegates for every 50 additional members over one hundred.

It is urged that clubs be organized at once in every locality where none now exist, that delegates be elected, and report made to the Secretary of this Committee with the names and address of the President and Secretary of the Club, that such clubs may be enrolled as members of the State Association.

Clubs and societies now existing will please act promptly as to election of delegates and making report to the Secretary.

Your representatives in the National Association are anxious to make the results of this proposed convention of vast influence by bringing together in one grand permanent organization the entire Democracy of New Jersey, not only for the Presidential campaign now before us, but for the future State and National campaigns; therefore it behooves every Democrat to lend a willing hand and act with promptness.

Further information in relation to the convention will be issued later.

J. T. WRIGHTSON, Vice Pres.,
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JOHN F. KERR,
WILLIAM F. ABBETT,
ROBERT GUINN, JR.,
State Members of General Committee of the National Association.
W. S. MCKEAN, Secretary.
Room 61, Clinton Building, Newark.

—The next open air concert by Prof. Conde's Cornet Band at Caspar's Hotel, will occur on Wednesday evening of next week.

—Zip Dennis, the colored man, who entered Mr. James Smith's residence on Elmwood place, on Thursday morning, was taken to the Elizabeth jail by Chief Chief Carey, yesterday afternoon.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

THE PRESIDENT.

Mr. Cleveland at Great South Bay Fishing.

GREAT SOUTH BAY, L. I., July 28.—Joseph Stickney's steam yacht Susquehanna, with President Cleveland, Postmaster-General Dickinson, Secretary Dan Lamont, Smith M. Weed, James J. Hill and Mr. Stickney on board, anchored just off the Surf House, in *Great South Bay*, yesterday morning.

Shortly after 10 o'clock the rain ceased and preparations were at once begun to go bluefishing. Another sloop, the Scud, commanded by Capt. Wicks's cousin, Charles, the keeper of the life-saving station, also put off from shore, and the party divided and got in the two boats and started for the chumming grounds, a half a mile behind.

During the day Mr. Cleveland caught thirty-two bluefish and the party returned to the yacht about 8 o'clock. This morning at an early hour the sport was resumed.

Address by General Harrison.

INDIANAPOLIS, Ind., July 28.—The visiting delegation to Gen. Harrison yesterday came from Kosciusko County. A series of mishaps delayed their arrival until nearly the middle of the afternoon, when they came 800 strong. It had been expected that they would come about noon, and Gen. Harrison came down to await them, but drove home and returned to the park after their arrival, addressing them briefly in advocacy of the admission of territories as states.

Chiara Will Not Hang.

NEW YORK, July 28.—Chiara Cignarale, the Italian woman who was sentenced to be hanged on Aug. 17, for the murder of her husband, will not die on the gallows.

Mr. De Lancey Nicoll, who went to Albany in her behalf, has received this dispatch from Albany:

ALBANY, July 27, 1888.

The Governor has to-day commuted the sentence of Chiara Cignarale to imprisonment for life. W. G. RICE, Private Secretary.

Her Victim is Dead.

FITCHBURG, Mass., July 28.—Miss Dr. L. C. Mosier was held in $1,000 for examination on Aug. 10 on a charge of performing a criminal operation upon Miss Nellie Shea on July 20. The girl died last night.

Miss Mosier is an "electropathic" physician, and has been arrested before, but through the disappearance of the principal witness the case was never tried.

Harrison Revival Jubilee.

NEW YORK, July 28.—The second jubilee over the professed conversion of sinners held in this city during the past six months was held at the John Street Methodist Church. The big red letter sign at the rear of the pulpit indicates that 2,500 persons have prostrated themselves at the altars of various churches during the revival under the persuasive eloquence of Thomas Harrison, the revivalist.

The Conspirators' Trails.

CHICAGO, July 28.—There is a possibility, if no more, that the prosecution of the Bohemian dynamite conspirators may result in the capture and punishment of more important criminals. Appearances point to Johann Most as the arch conspirator. His trails show at intervals all through the plot.

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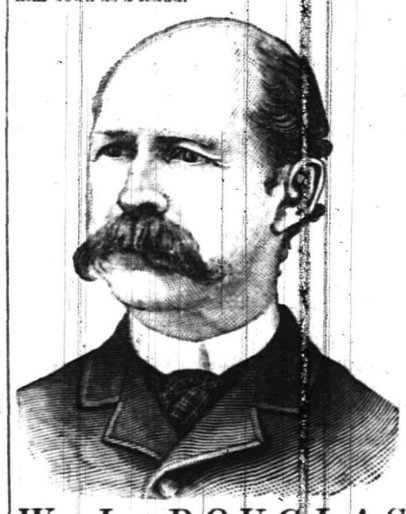

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Side by side, within a hammock,
On a lovely summer's night,
Sat a maiden and her lover,
And around the moon shone bright.

"Darling," sweet and low he whispered,
"Thee I love above them all;
May we go through life together
Undisturbed by snare or fall?"

While thus earnestly he pleaded,
Half believing what he said,
Back too far the young man leaned,
Thump!—he landed on his head.

Oh, ye gods! have maids no pity!
Loud a mocking laugh did sound;
Once more turned the tricky hammock,
And she sat upon the ground.

"'Tis an ill wind"—you all know that
Straightway he his suit renewed;
With hands fondly clasped together
Sat they on the grass bedewed.

Then, the fates were more propitious,
Answered she: "I love thee well:
But—" she saw the swinging hammock—
"Please, don't ever, ever tell!"

—Puck.

She Was Joking.

They were on their bridal tour and she said gayly:

"Now, Freddie, we don't want everybody in the car to know that we are newly married and have them all staring at us. Let us act like real old married people. It'll be such jolly fun."

"All right," said Fred calmly. "You just let me have that end of the seat; it's lots pleasanter than this. I'll take the pillow too, and I guess I'll go to sleep for three or four hours. You waken me when we come to the dinner station. Spread that shawl over me, and——"

"Oh, I don't care who knows that we're just married," she said. "Sit where you are dear, and hold my hand."—[Times.

A Tailor Made Dress.

"And how," the lady asked, "do you like my new gown?"

"Your new gown?" returned the gentlemen addressed, looking at the dress, which was so painfully tight that it made one fairly breathless to look at it.

"Of course. Doesn't it look new?"

"Well," he replied deliberately, "it looks fresh enough, but you really must have been much smaller when you were put into it."

[Boston Courier.

Dan's Other Name.

Sunday school teacher—Now, Bobby, can you tell me what the distance was from Dan to Beersheba.

Bobby (hesitatingly)—The distance from Dan to Beersheba was—was—

Sunday school teacher—Well, what makes you stop? Don't you know how far Dan was from Beersheba?

Bobby—Yes, sir; but—but—I'm just trying to think what Dan's other name was.—[Free Press.

Why Peace Is Assured.

Emperor William II.: Are you ready to report on the personnel of the army?

Chief Military detective: I am, sire. One-third of the soldiers are anarchists.

Goodness me!

Another third are malcontents.

Eh? Wha——

The remaining third don't care whether school keeps or not.

Let us have peace.—[Omaha World.

Always a Refreshing Sight.

Winks: Phew! Thermometer must be about 150.

Minks: Phew! I should say so. I'm Broiling. Wish we had the snow-capped Rockies in view here; but we haven't.

No. I'll tell you what we'll do. Let's go out and look at a pretty girl in a white dress. [Omaha World.

One way of Cooling Off.

A traveller who had just returned from Africa was questioned by his friends as to the means used in that country to escape from the terrible heat.

"Yes" he replied, "we have to avail ourselves every possible protection against the weather. Sometimes a coolness arises between friends and then one can occasionally take refuge under the shadow of a suspicion."—[Judge.

Tragic.

It was summer. And Long Branch. He came there.
We met.
He was handsome and hasty and I a coquette,
He proposed. I refused him. I loved him.
But then
I thought—don't you see?—he would ask me again.
But he didn't.

[Rural New Yorker.

A Dialect Story.

Take a number of white sheets of paper and write a story on them. Any story will do.

Get your double-barreled shot gun and load it with fine bird shot,

Pin your story up against the side of a barn, stand off about twenty feet, aim carefully and let both barrels drive.

If you find there haven't been sufficient vowels knocked out, repent the operation. —[Judge.

Modesty.

She stood upon the threshold of the sea
Where waves with one another strove in glee
To kiss her stocking.
A scant-clad youth, bare-armed, bare-legged, rushed by—
She blushed, paused where she stood, with Downcast eye,
And said, "How shocking!"

—[Puck.

Why He Didn't Want It!

"Darringer, have you a half dollar that you don't want?"

"Why certainly. Here it is."

The next day:

"Say, Darringer, that half dollar you gave me was a counterfeit."

"Yes, Bromley. You asked me if I had a half dollar that I didn't want."

Good Both Ways.

Miss Bunker (reading Browning): Isn't Browning delicious, Penelope?

Miss Waldo: Perfectly divine!

Miss Bunker: How do you think he is the more charming, backward or forward?

Principally.

A teacher in Portland, Or., recently said to a fat boy in his class: Now, Joseph, you may enumerate the five senses.

Fat boy (scratching his head)—Eatin, drinkin, tastin' an'—an'—I forget the rest.—[Free Press.

MANY MEN.

BALZAC used to write lying naked on the floor.

SENATOR DAVIS, of Minnesota, is a facile writer.

OSMOND TEARLE was once a clerk in a drug store.

THE Earl of Derby is a pronounced kleptomaniac.

THACKERY is Secretary Whitney's favorite author.

Dr. LYMAN ABBOTT has never taken a vacation.

JOHN V. FARWELL, of Chicago, is insured for $250,000.

ATTORNEY-GENERAL GARLAND reads some law every day.

THE Kings of Cambodia and Assam will visit Paris next year.

BOSSUET wrote in a cold room with his head warmly enveloped.

REPRESENTATIVE SPRINGER says Shakespeare is his favorite author.

WHITEHOUSE was the name of a delegate to the Chicago convention.

MILLS, the author of the Tariff bill, is very fond of reading the Bible.

REPRESENTATIVE BECKENBRIDGE says the Bible is his favorite book.

SHAKESPEARE and the Bible are the favorite books of Ben Butterworth.

EX-SENATOR TABOR uses a bar of gold worth $12,000 for a paper weight.

THE historian, Mezeray, would work only with a candle even at midday.

POSTMASTER GENERAL DICKINSON is interested in the Baconian theory.

SENATOR COCKREL says he never gets a chance to read for amusement.

OLA HANSSON, the Son of a Swedish peasant, is a promising writer of fiction.

MUMEMITSU MUTSU, the Japanese Minister to this country is extremely learned.

BEN BUTLER is so weak that he has to be supported by his negro valet in walking.

MILTON composed "Paradise Lost" in a large arm-chair with his head thrown back.

PRINCE HENRY of Russia was the first German prince who ever sailed around the world.

JOHN BRIGHT announces his belief that Shakespeare didn't write the plays credited to him.

SECRETARY VILAS'S favorite reading is political economy and the science of government and finance.

WILLIAM RUSSELL spends his summers "punching cows," and in the winter paints at Helena.

ANDREW DANG, the English balladist, makes part of his income by writing verses for a soap manufacturer.

THE Prince of Wales is so rushed with social duties that at times he eats as his servant changes his toilet.

SECRETARY BAYARD says that the chief value of books is to teach you how to sustain their loss and to fortify you against adversity.

FOREIGN FLASHES.

JOHN BRIGHT will probably resign before long.

ALBERT HALL will probably be turned into a circus.

A JUBILEE statue of the Queen, to be erected in Bristol, weighs four tons. It is by Mr. Boehm.

COQUELIN and Reichemberg went from Paris to London especially for Mrs. Mackay's evening party.

THE British budget shows £57,000 for extra police for the coming year, in consequence of the dynamite scare.

JOSEPH RITAS did recently in the Pyrenees at the age of 118 years. His father died at 111 and his brother at 114.

THE Oxford English dictionary shows that there are 15,000 words in current use beginning with the letters A and B.

LETTERS of administration of the personal estate of the late Dean of Jersey, Mrs. Langtry's pastor, showed the value to be £5.

A STATUE of Shakespeare is about to be placed at the corner of Avenue Massine and the Boulevard Haussman. It is by Paul Fournier.

A NEW theatre curtain is made of canvas with a backing of spongy asbestos. It is kept wound on a roller in a trough of water beneath the stage.

MR. WINANS, who hires so many deer forests in Scotland, has been sued by the trustees of Lord Lovat for $6,500 for rent due, and condemned to pay.

THE fashion is creeping in of very short invitations to dinner. To some of the most fashionable London parties guests are invited only one or two days before.

JOSEPH HOFFMAN is under treatment at Eisenach by a celebrated specialist in nervous diseases, and his nervousness has been greatly subdued. He practices an hour each day.

IN the trial of the jockey, Wood, Sir Charles Russell made the statement that only two jockeys on the English turf have unblemished reputations, Tom Cannon and John Osborne.

CATERPILLARS have so overrun the county of Kent that the fruit farmers, whose products are all eaten up, are collecting them and selling them at $20 a sack as food for pheasants.

GOLDEN WHIMS.

DIAMOND crescents on polished gold scrolls are still in high favor as brooches and lace pins.

AN odd design in hair-pins represents a serpent coiled about and supporting a large pearl.

AN intricate scroll in black enamel, set with two handsome pearls, is a pleasing pattern in brooches.

A VICTORIOUS gamecock is a pattern in scarf-pins which will be received with favor by sporting men.

A DAINTY brooch represents a "Jack in the pulpit" of cut moonstone rising from a jeweled calyx of Roman gold.

FROSTED silver match safes, bearing an enameled match and appropriate legends, are among the latest novelties.

A GOLD griffin seated upon a black pearl, which is firmly grasped by claws and tail, is a peculiar design in scarf-pins.

A HANDSOME butterfly brooch in transparent enamel has a row of brilliants extending along the edges of both wings.

EYE-GLASS holders in frosted silver and lined with soft plush will be appreciated by those who carry aids to their sight.

A PRETTY charm is a small flask, the body of which is a square not of red and yellow gold set with diamonds and rubies.

AN old purse has a cover composed of a silver dollar which tightly closes over a frame from which hang the silver meshes.

A HANDSOME curved gold pungent, having a spray of flowers in enamel on its sides, is much in favor among ladies with long purses.

A NOVEL cigar-clipper recently seen was a dainty pair of scissors in dull gold, intended to be worn as a watch charm by the smoker.

A PRETY bib pin for infants has six alternate diamonds and pearls set upon a knife edge, while a larger pearl graces the hinged end.

A CURVED siver pungent, with a mottled oxidized surface bearing a spray of dainty morning-glories in enamel, flush with the surface, is much admired.

A CALLA lilly in pure white enamel, with a gold stamen and having a brilliant diamond dewdrop clinging to its side, is a much-admired design in brooches.

AGRICULTURAL NOTES.

A CANNERY for guavas and figs with a plant of $10,000 is to be established in Florida.

THIRTY-EIGHT farmers in Victoria own 1,428,000 acres of land, an average of more than 37,000 acres.

THE Queen of England is president of the Royal Agricultural Society for its forthcoming ubilee year.

EXPERIMENTS made in Jamaica and in Natal are favorable to the growth of tea and of cinchona. The English colonies are unwearied in their efforts to acclimatize the plants of other lands.

A LOUISIANA farmer sold $75 worth of potatoes, the product of one acre, and then planted to cotton and sold the product for $50. The $125 he naturally regards as a good result from a single acre.

MANY creameries will be established in the Columbia River basin in Oregon during the present spring and summer. The people of Oregon are enthusiastic in these projects, and they propose to show that first-class dairying is possible in that State.

THE Murray River Agricultural Times (Australia) for March 7 last, among its hints on garden work, directs that dahlias and gladiolus should be taken up as soon as they have finished flowering, and stored in a warm cellar. The year's circuit there is somewhat different from ours.

MISS OSMEROD has delivered another diatribe against the English sparrow. She is an eminent entomologist and knows what she is talking about. The speakers at the Farmers' Club in London, which Miss Osmerod addressed, agreed with her that the sparrow was "more destructful than useful."

A PATRIOTIC Englisman has commemorated the jubilee of the Queen by planting on the slopes of a mountain in Wales 630,000 trees. They have been arranged in letters making the word "Jubilee, 1877," and each letter measures two hundred yards in length, and is twenty-five feet wide.

THE House of Representatives has passed a bill to make the Department of Agriculture an Executive Department, and the Senate Committee have reported favorably the same bill striking out, however, the provision for the transfer of the Signal Bureau from the War Department to the new Department of Agriculture.

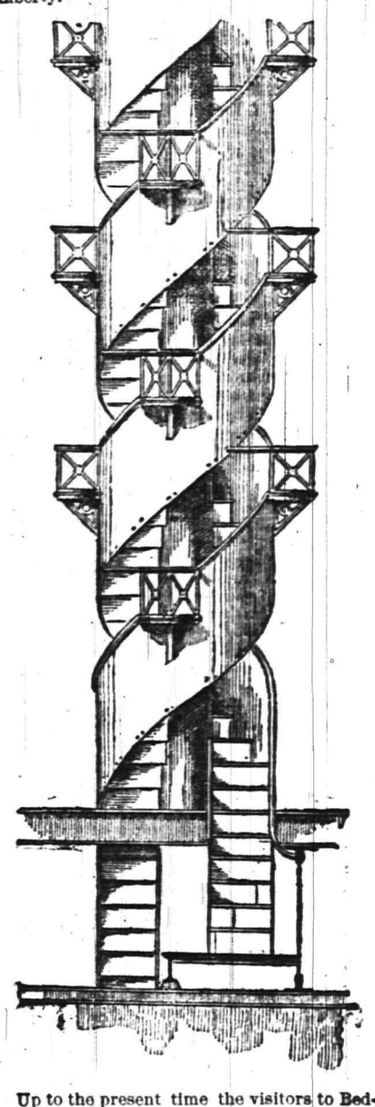
BENJAMIN FRANKLIN in 1787 wrote from Paris to a friend in Philadelphia, and, referring to a recent tempest in France, said, "I have sometimes thought it might be well to establish an office of insurance for farms against the damage that may occur from storms, blight, insects, etc.; a small sum paid by a number would repair such losses and prevent much poverty and distress." A shrewd idea of the old philosopher, and not too late for consideration one hundred and one years after its utterance.

THE Toronto Farmer says that the cereal crop of Manitoba for last year was of wheat 12,860,000 bushels, of which 10,613,000 bushels were for export. The crop of barley and oats and flax was also of considerable dimensions, so that altogether the export of that region was 15,500,000 bushels. This crop was produced by not more than sixteen thousand farmers and farm-workers. These figures emphasize the fact that Manitoba is a prairie land with productive soil, and where machinery can be used.

THE WAY TO LIGHT.

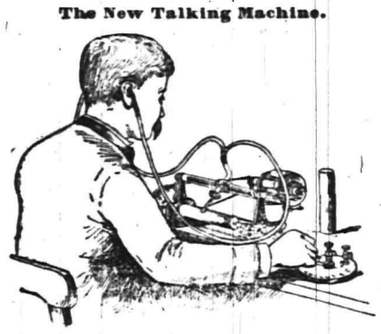
A New and Novel Stairway for the Statue of Liberty.

Harper's Weekly gives this illustration of the new iron stairway of the Statue of Liberty.



Up to the present time the visitors to Bedloe's Island who have desired to ascend the interior of the famous Statue of Liberty have been obliged to make the journey by means of a temporary wooden stairway. Around a single shaft, 100 feet high and eighteen inches in diameter, a double stairway is built, one stairs being for those ascending the statue and the other for those descending.

The New Talking Machine.



Just how the new "talking machines" operate is unknown to most people. Our illustration shows how the operator hears the reproduction of articulate speech or sounds previously recorded on the cylinder of the graphophone.

WOMAN'S WAYS.

SARAH BERNHARDT is growing stouter.

MARY E. BRYAN earns $6,000 a year with her pen.

MRS. CLEVELAND always drinks an apollinaris lemonade before retiring.

MRS. FRANK LESLIE is an enthusiastic admirer of M. Ferdinand de Lesseps.

CLARA MORRIS uses the phonograph for the pleasure of hearing her own voice.

ROSE ELIZABETH CLEVELAND will go to England to pursue her literary studies.

MISS CLARA BARTON'S energy is the admiration of all women of advanced years.

MRS. GOODWIN, widow of the well-known architect, will marry Whistler, the artist.

MISS HETTY GREEN, twenty times a millionaire, will walk two miles to save car-fare.

MRS. SARAH W. COATES, of Kansas City, has $3,000,000 which she can will as she pleases.

MRS. LOGAN'S championship of Alger's boom has recalled Alger's friendship for Logan four years ago.

THE Duchess of Cambridge has received $1,110,000 in pensions from the British Government.

SINCE the beginning of her reign Queen Victoria has been paid $145,455,000 by her loyal subjects.

OLIVE PENDLETON says Western women have the knack of holding on to money when they once get it.

A KANSAS CITY milliner cleared $26,000 in one year, quit business and doubled the money in real estate operations.

MISS ELIZABETH STUART PHELPS will be a close neighbor to William D. Howells and family at Nahant this Summer.

MRS. ZERELAA G. WALLACE, who is commonly spoken of as his mother, is in reality the stepmother of General Lew Wallace.

THE Empress Dowager of China has been invited to occupy the throne with the Emperor as a recognition of her executive ability.

MRS. J. C. AGAINER of Cleveland, O., against whom her husband has brought suit for divorce, is going on the stage. The question naturally arises, Will the stage be a gainer!

WE are still a very young country. Marion Garlington recently died at Chattanooga, Tenn. leaving 200 descendants. She distinctly remembered the Presidency of George Washington. She passed away at the age of 110 years. To most of us George Washington is as unreal and legendary a personage as Leonidas.

CONGRESSMEN IN SUMMER.

MR. REED wears a checkered seersucker coat and vest.

MR. MCADOO has assumed a turn-down collar and a coat of Irish linen.

MR. BUCKALEW wears an alpaca coat, of light shade, and with it is a white shirt front and vest.

MR. DALZELL, fans himself with a white hemstitched handkerchief, the best dressed man in the House.

MR. VANCE of Connecticut has abandoned his vest and stuffs his handkerchief down his neck to protect his collar.

MR. SPRINGER has donned a thinner sack coat and vest of black, but the red rose still stays unwilted in his lapel.

MR. ANDERSON of Illinois, keeps cool in a canary-colored coat and vest of feather-weight material, a white tie and turn-down collar.

MR. DARLINGTON, has taken to an old-fashioned black alpaca coat fastened with one button, and showing the white shirt above and below.

AMOS CUMMINGS wears a pretty flannel shirt, fastened in front with a light tie of Chinese silk. Over this he wears an alpaca coat of a delicate slate color.

MR. RUSSELL of Massachusetts is one of the very few who still hold to a standing collar. His collar is stiff and shiny, adorned with a a bow of blue ribbons. With a coat and vest of seersucker and trousers of light material, he doesn't carry a fan.

MR. KEAN of New Jersey wears a flannel shirt and no vest. His thin alpaca coat hangs loosely. His watch chain hangs from the waistband of his trousers, which are held up by a belt. His tie is a four-in-hand, and hangs straight down the front of the soft, wrinkling shirt.

MR. CHARLES O'NEILL, has a suit that looks like a compromise between a mosquito net and gunny bagging. It is of a light coffee brown, with big meshes through which he drives little puffs of air with a Chinese fan.

THEATRICAL THINGS.

MISS LAURA MOORE, who will be Colonel McCaull's prima donna next season, will sail for New York soon.

ANNIE PIXLEY and her husband, Robert Fulford, are regular strollers about New York squares these pleasant evenings.

ABBEY and Schoeffel's new theatre in Boston will probably be named the Tremont, after the street on which the building will front.

THE new Gilbert and Sullivan opera will be produced in this country simultaneously in Boston, Philadelphia and New York on October 22.

REGINALD DE KOVEN, a young American composer, the author of "The Begum," is in Vienna studying orchestration. He is now writing the music for a new opera to be called "Don Quixote."

LITTLE Miss Elsie Leslie has been engaged by Messrs. Sanger and French for the part of Little Lord Fontleroy in the play of that name which will be produced in the Broadway Theatre on November 5.

STEELE MACKAYE'S new play, "A Noble Rogue," is said to be in for an important run at the Grand Opera House in Chicago, where it has been seen by large audiences since its first performance.

LOUIS JAMES and Marie Wainwright will appear in the cast of "The Midsummer Night's Dream," which is to be given in the open air at Manchester-by-the-sea, for the benefit of the Boston Order of Elks.

IF Blondin walks across Niagara it will be for the purpose of working up a boom for his exhibitions in the principal Western cities. He will probably walk the tight-rope in Cincinnati early in September.

J. NEWTON GOTTHOLD, an actor of heroic roles who was compelled by illness to retire from the cast of "Dolores" last season, is regaining health and strength at Oceanic, a village on the New Jersey coast.

CAPTAIN ALFRED THOMPSON has written the libretto and Frederic Eustis is at work on the score of a comic opera, which is to be called "Prince Porcelain." It will be ready for production in time for the holiday season.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN'S circus has begun an indefinite stay at Boston. It was known as the "Sullivan-Doris Show" when it started on its travels, but since the strong boy thrashed a light weight deputy sheriff in a Massachusetts town who wanted to make a levy on some of the circus property Sullivan is spoken of as the owner of the outfit.

CRESTON CLARKE, the nephew of Edwin Booth, who is to star in this country next season, will begin his tour at Philadelphia on October 22 and continue travelling until April 20. "Hamlet" will be the feature of his repertoire. His father, John Sleeper Clarke, the commedian, is wealthy and the young man's tour will be continued whether it is a financial success or not.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 7.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.00, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.30, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.40, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

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Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.44 a.m. 2.02, 3.45, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.25, 8.08, 8.17, 9.43, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—8.13, 10.14, a. m., 2.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.05, 5.45, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.05, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

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2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

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For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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They Visit Mr. Cleveland on th Yacht Susquehanna.

SOMETHING IN THE WIND.

The General Opinion is That it Was Not Bluefish—All the Visitors Decline to Talk About It—The President's Return to Washington—Who the Callers at the Yacht Were.

NEW YORK, July 30.—A private consultation of eminent Democrats with President Cleveland, it is alleged, was held Saturday night on the Susquehana as she lay at anchor within a stone's throw of the Big Fire Island light.

A wonderful air of mystery hung all about the yacht. Nobody on board knew anything. Even Private Secretary Lamont declared up to about 7 o'clock P. M. that he did not know when the Presidential party would weigh anchor and start for home. There was something in the wind. It was not bluefish. What was it? No one could tell who was on board the yacht, but yesterday at least a part of the state secret slipped out.

It was found that a number of prominent Democrats had paid their respects to their chief. Ashbel P. Fitch, the erstwhile Republican Congressman, was there, it is stated, and prominent among the other visiting statesmen who boarded the Susquehanna were Editor William Q. Johnson of the Albany Argus, Henry Watterson, Excise Commissioner William S. Andrews, Tax Commissioner Coleman and Smith M. Weed. There were others there, but who they were and how long they had been there it was impossible to find out.

The conference must have been a harmonious one, for to a man the statesmen who did not participate in the trip the Susquehanna is making around Long Island this morning, wore an expression of sublime satisfaction. Congressman Fitch and Commissioners Andrews and Coleman remained behind at the Surf Hotel at Fire Island. All were in a very happy mood all day yesterday, but each refused to open his mouth to the public. Mr. Watterson remained on the Susquehanna with his chief all of Saturday night, and as if the discovery of his presence on board was something not to be desired, he was quietly carried through the early morning mist to Patchogue, L. I., where he was put ashore. Watterson also refused to divulge the secrets of the council.

"Who was there?" he was asked.

"I cannot tell you."

"You were one of the party, were you not?"

"Yes, I visited the President on the Susquehanna last night, but I cannot speak of the others who were there, nor can I tell you anything that took place.

Mr. Watterson reached town at 7 o'clock P. M., and at once proceeded to the National Democratic headquarters.

At a late hour last night Colonel Lamont telegraphed to the Pennsylvania Railroad depot at Jersey City instructing that President Cleveland's special car be attached to the 10 P. M. Washington train to-night.

BAYSHORE, L. I., July 30.—President Cleveland and party arrived here yesterday morning. At 8.30 A. M. they left for Block Island.

Mrs. Cleveland's Sunday.

MARION, Mass., July 30.—Marionites were favored yesterday with beautiful weather, and it was evident that Mrs. Cleveland enjoyed the day more than any other during her visit. The town was filled with visitors from the surrounding towns, all anxious to catch even a glimpse of the mistress of the White House. Crowds walked passed the Gilder cottage, but as it is sheltered behind a luxuriant hedge they had little opportunity to see the object of their curiosity.

In the morning Mrs. Cleveland, accompanied by the Gilders, walked down to the lower village, their destination being the quaint little Episcopal church. A line of bicyclists, who had run over from Mattapoisett, were stationed at the post-office, and regarded Mrs. Cleveland with silent admiration as she passed by. She was attired in a rich black dress of indigo silk, a braided gray cloth jacket and a little bonnet of lace and jet. The chapel was comfortably filled with worshippers when the party entered a few minutes late. Mrs. Cleveland at once took a prayer book and joined audibly in the responses. The sermon was on the subject of self-sacrifice.

In the afternoon Mrs. Cleveland, who is an indefatigable walker, as is well known, went out for a stroll. The party meandered slowly along the quiet country towards Mattapoisett, varying the stroll by delving into the woods and fields on either side. She returned after an hour or two, evidently invigorated. In the evening, with Mr. Gilder and his son, she attended prayer-meeting in the orthodox Congregational church in the lower village.

Sing Sing's 40,000 Fire.

SING SING, N. Y., July 30.—Six buildings and a large amount of property were destroyed by a fire which broke out at 3 o'clock yesterday morning. The fire was confined to the lower part of Main street, known as the dock, at the foot of the hill that ascends to the village proper. It originated in the Pyrean Art Tile Works.

The losses amount to nearly $40,000. The cause of the fire is not known, but it is believed to have been the work of an incendiary.

No Soap Trust Wanted.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The report telegraphed from Pittsburg that the soap manufacturers of the United States were perfecting the organization of a soap trust; that a preliminary meeting had been held in this city, and that another would soon be held for the completion of the organization, is positively denied by all the leading New York and Brooklyn soap manufacturers.

Thousands Saw the Game.

ROCHESTER, July 30.—The Rome, Watertown and Ogdensburg Railroad yesterday conveyed 12,000 persons to witness the opening ball game of the series between the Syracuse Stars and the Rochesters. The traffic required 169 coaches and 56 locomotives. A solid train of palace cars was run from Syracuse.

Will Go to Georgia.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—Congressman McKinley has accepted an invitation to visit the Georgia Chautauqua during the month of August and make a speech. The invitation was tendered him by Senator Brown. The time of Mr. McKinley's visit is left to his entertainers.

RIOT IN CHICAGO.

Two Men Killed in a Fight Between Scab and Union Men.

CHICAGO, July 30.—The bad feeling which has existed for some time between the union and non-union brickmakers of this city culminated in a riot at Ashland avenue and Thirty-ninth street last night, in which two men were killed.

The police had been expecting trouble, but there was no anticipation that the contending forces would clash last night. A gang of union brickmakers assembled at the corner, and as soon as one of the non-union made his appearance he was greeted with hoots and jeers. Some one then threw a stone at him and he retreated.

He did not remain in seclusion long. Emerging with three or four of his co-laborers they again attempted to pass the crowd of union men. The latter repeated their cries and hoots, and soon a shower of brickbats, stones and other missiles was flying in the air. The union men fought desperately and the non-union men met every attack with firm resistance.

In a few minutes a riot of alarming proportions was in progress. The yells of the rioters attracted a great crowd, and every new arrival participated in the fight. Clubs were picked up and freely used, stones were hurled by every one and every available missile was brought into requisition.

The accessions to the crowd originally engaged in the encounter sided with the union men. As a result the scabs were driven down the street chased by a howling, yelling mob. Some of the non-union men, becoming desperate, drew revolvers and fired into the crowd. Two men were struck by the bullets and instantly killed. This enraged the already maddened crowd, and they started for the non-unionists with the intention of lynching them.

A police hurry call had been sent out during the riot, and soon a squad came flashing up in a patrol wagon. The officers drew their clubs and revolvers and soon restored peace. Many arrests were made.

GATHERING IN SINNERS.

An Enthusiastic Meeting Yesterday at Old John Street Church.

NEW YORK, July 30.—The old John Street Church, where the protracted meeting of the Rev. Thomas Harrison, the revivalist, is still in progress, holds just 1,000 people. By hard squeezing 1,200 may be accommodated. The church was jammed yesterday at the morning, afternoon and evening services. Dr. Partington, of Brooklyn, preached in the afternoon. The mourners' bench surrendered thirty-five new converts during the day. The biggest crowd came together in the evening. There was not a vacant seat in the church, and the aisles were packed.

Fervor was the marked characteristic of the gathering, and the singing, which was led by Revivalist Harrison and Pastor Bowdisch, was a chorus of praise from 1,200 throats. Rev. Mr. Hartley, of Cincinnati, delivered a fervent prayer for the Divine blessing, and such interjections as "Praise the Lord," "Thank the Lord," "Save him, O Lord," were frequent and vociferous throughout its delivery.

EXPLORER STANLEY.

Growing Belief in London That He and Emin Need Help.

LONDON, July 30.—The condition of Henry M. Stanley is rapidly becoming the question of the hour, owing to the multiplication of rumors concerning the mysterious "White Pasha," who, it is claimed, by many, is really Stanley, coupled with the absence of definite news regarding the explorer and his party. Is is now quite a year since Mr. Stanley has been heard from directly.

It is considered probable that Stanley has failed to meet Emin, and that both are in pressing need of help. It is not likely that either Stanley or Emin would engage in a march of conquest against Khalifa Abdallah, the new Mahdi, without being adequately supplied with men, arms, ammunition, stores, etc., and it is known that neither is so equipped. This is held to dissipate the assumption that one of them is the "White Pasha."

Both Children Drowned.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Patrick J. Byrnes and Edward Crook went fishing in the Kills, off Elm Park, Staten Island, yesterday, taking with them Bryness's two children, Katie, aged eleven years, and Dennis, aged eight. They fished from a rowboat anchored in the Kills. During the day the children got frightened and in moving about the boat upset it. Neither of the men could swim, and they could do nothing to assist the children. The men were rescued by two men who put off from Staten Island in a boat, but the children were drowned. The bodies were not recovered.

Eight Thousand Navvies Strike.

PARIS, July 30.—Eight thousand navvies are now on strike and others are expected to join the movement. Twenty-three of 105 persons arrested have been held for trial on the charge of having been concerned in rioting at Lavillette. Those of them who are foreigners, if found guilty, will be expelled from the country after undergoing punishment for their offence.

Pugilist Smith Smashed Up.

LONDON, July 30.—While Jem Smith, the pugilist, was driving from Kilburn to London last night his carriage came into collision with another vehicle. Smith was thrown out and sustained injuries to his ribs and face. He was picked up insensible.

Banker Nelson Makes Restitution.

ATLANTA, July 30.—Cashier Hea, of the Capital City Bank, made an arrangement with Absconding Banker C. C. Nelson at Trenton, Ont., by which Nelson paid back nearly all the money he took from the bank.

Patti's Castle for Sale.

LONDON, July 30.—Mme. Patti's castle in South Wales is advertised for sale. The reason given is that the diva's neighbors are robbing her.

Mr. Sutton Wants a Consulship.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—President Cleveland has been asked to appoint Frank A. Sutton, of New York, United States Consul at Jamaica.

Death Rather Than Desertion.

BROCKPORT, N. Y., July 30.—Miss Sarah Greenwell, residing in Clarkson, took poison because her affianced was paying attentions to another woman and she died from its effects yesterday. Her lover was with her at the time she made the threats to end her life, but he did not consider she was in earnest.

GENERAL SCHOFIELD.

Command of the Army May Devolve Upon Him.

A STARTLER FOR THE NAVY.

Alleged Differences Between Rear Admiral Luce and Secretary Whitney—The President Hard Pressed in Selecting Cadets at Large—Defeat for the Fisheries Treaty.

WASHINGTON, July 30.—The presence here a few days ago of Major General Schofield created the suspicion that his visit had to do with his probable assignment to the command of the army pending the illness of General Sheridan. The fact that he came here in response to a telegram from the Secretary, and upon his arrival was closeted for some hours with that official, added strength to this impression, but inquiry fails to elicit any definite information as to the real object of his visit. But whatever may have been the subject of this interview, there are good reasons for believing that the authorities have had under advisement the question of placing General Schofield in temporary command of the army, and it is not unlikely that some action in that direction will shortly be taken. An officer, high in authority, in referring to the matter says that those who had information as to the General's true condition were perfectly well convinced that he will never again be able for active duty even if he should come back to Washington alive.

Gen. Spinola, of the special committee to investigate the immigration abuses, has not yet been able to leave the city, but desires to state that he will join his colleagues at the earliest possible moment. Gen. Spinola is chairman of the Fortifications Committee, of which Mr. Ford is also a member, and as the important Fortification bill is about to be taken up he does not feel that he can absent himself until it is disposed of.

The President is having a trying time over the two cadets at large to the Military Academy, to enter in June next. Having announced his intention of giving these places to the sons or near relatives of army officers, nearly every officer in the service has come forward to seek recognition, each well backed. The President was not able to reach a conclusion before going away, although he had the matter before him.

A rumor has gained circulation around the Navy Department that some unpleasantness has again sprung up between Secretary Whitney and Rear Admiral Luce, growing out of the postponement of the joint army and navy manœuvres. No particulars are obtainable, but it is believed that Rear Admiral Luce will shortly be relieved from command of the squadron.

The Fisheries Treaty will be taken up in the Senate again to-day or Tuesday and will be pressed by Mr. Frye, who has charge of the matter. Its defeat has long been anticipated. It requires a two-third vote to ratify. It will in fact fail to secure even a majority vote, as all the republicans are opposed to it.

The first certificate of election to the Fifty-first Congress has been received by Gen. Clark, Clerk of the House. It certified that Binger Hermann, of Oregon, has been elected to the House of Representatives by a vote of 32,820, over John M. Gearin, who received 25,413. The certificate is handsomely engrossed.

Senator Palmer, of Michigan has announced his intention to retire from political life at the expiration of his present term, which will occur next spring. Mr. Palmer assigns no reason for this step, but it is believed to be due to the fact that Governor Alger will contest the seat.

SHOT DEAD.

Two Irish Farmers Killed Without Provocation.

DUBLIN, July 30.—John Forhan, a boycotted farmer, was shot dead near Listowel, County Kerry, yesterday, while returning home from Tralee in a car with three laborers. Two disguised men jumped over a fence into the road, and after firing at Forhan at short range, escaped through a clump of wood and were not seen again.

A man wearing a mask of white cloth entered a field at Glounameikle, County Cork, where a farmer named McAuliffe was working with a laborer named Ruare. The man demanded their names. Ruare gave him a false name and the stranger ordered him to get upon his knees. Ruare obliged and the stranger shot him twice, inflicting wounds from which he died within an hour. The stranger then ran away. He was not identified by McAuliffe.

Robbers Resist Arrest.

MADISON, Ind., July 30.—A desperate encounter took place on the levee yesterday afternoon. Three men from Louisville—Joseph Cain, John Martin and John Thomas were wanted for assault and robbery. They resisted arrest, and the struggle drew an immense crowd.

A free for all fight ensued, in which several men were wounded. After a desperate fight, which lasted more than an hour, the deputy sheriff, with the assistance of several citizens, succeeded in arresting the men and carting them off to jail.

Conference at Saratoga.

SARATOGA, 30.—Governor Hill and a number of New York Tammany politicians passed Sunday here, and it is believed a conference on the fall nominations has been held. Messrs. Kearney and Purroy have been together and John Scannell has also been with them. Just what has taken place it is impossible to learn, but it is certain to be of interest to the Wigwam Committee of Twenty-four, who will meet to-morrow or Wednesday.

Death from a Dog Bite.

ST. LOUIS, July 30.—Mrs. Lena Reither, a widow living opposite North St. Louis, died of hydrophobia while being taken to the hospital. She was bitten by a large Newfoundland dog two months ago, and as the wound was immediately cauterized and afterwards healed, no serious results were apprehended until a few days ago, when symptoms of hydrophobia developed.

Murdered in Her House.

WICHITA, Kan., July 30.—The body of Mrs. A. W. Miller has been found in her house. From marks of violence it was evident she had been choked to death. The motive for the crime and the murderer are unknown.

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OLD TIPPECANOE WAS A "FREE TRADER" TOO.

The first act of the Whigs who elected Gen'l Harrison President, was to *reduce the tariff* from its previous average of 40 per cent. dutiable goods to 26 per cent. in 1842, Harrison's first year, and to 29 in 1843.

The Harrison Whig tariff was levied for revenue—not for protection. What the Whig party proposed doing in 1840—to reform the tariff—the Democratic party proposes doing now. The Harrison Whigs reduced the tariff from an average of 40 per cent. to 26.

The Democrats propose to reduce the tariff from 47 last year, and an average of 44 during the past ten years, to 40 per cent.—to what the Whigs rose up against. It needs reduction as much now as it did then, and the Harrison men of today are fighting against what the Harrison men of 1840 fought for, and against what those now living will vote for.

If old "Tippecanoe" were living he would be the leader of the Democratic party in Indiana and the most active and powerful opponent of his grandson.

BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—A new militia company has been organized at Somerville, and Friday night was mustered into service by Col. Ropes, of the Third Regiment.

—The Postmaster-General has appointed the following named fourth-class postmasters: Thomas L. Slugg, Carteret, N. J., and M. F. Whitaker, Sewaren, N. J.

—Mr. Wm. D. Murray, President of the Y. M. C. A., will conduct the services at the Association rooms, this evening at 8 o'clock. Subject—1 Cor., 14:1-25. All men welcome.

—The travel over the Central Railroad, yesterday, was very heavy. The evening train from Long Branch and Asbury Park was obliged to run in two sections, in order to accommodate the passenger traffic.

They Wont Have Such a Crowd Again.

245 tickets were sold at this station, Saturday evening, for the special excursion to "Nero," at St. George, Staten Island; and all these and the hundreds of others on the train, were disgusted and disappointed.

The engine was unable to pull the train, and lost time from Somerville all the way down. Instead of the steamer "Kill Von Kull," as advertised, the crowd was packed into the rickety "Chancellor," A landing was not made until nine o'clock, and the show was, consequently, almost half over before the excursionists got inside the enclosure. Plainfield patrons reached home after midnight.

The City Hotel.

In another column today, Mr. John E. Beerbower, proprietor of the City Hotel, makes an announcement to the public. Mr. Beerbower's long experience in the hotel business, specially qualifies him to conduct a first-class family hotel. Guests, both permanent and transient, can find suitable accommodations at this old established house. The building is heated with steam, and has stables attached. It is also equipped with bar and billiard rooms. The City Hotel, under the present management, has gained considerable popularity of late, and is patronized by a good class of boarders.

The Turners at New Brunswick.

A delegation from the Gesang and Turn Verein Society of this city, went over to New Brunswick today, to attend the fifteenth anniversary of the organization of Aurora society of that city. The celebration began early this morning, and will be concluded this evening. The various German societies in the State are represented at the public demonstration.

The Work of Christian Women.

Another of the series of meetings which the ladies of the W. C. T. U., are holding at Hope chapel, will occur on the last Tuesday evening in August.

The one which was held last week was enjoyed by those who had the pleasure of attending and listening to a *resume* of the work and objects of this organization.

THAT BIBLICAL PROBLEM.

Clergymen, Laymen and Biblists All Disagree as to Compassing Jericho and the Beasts in the Ark.

Ninety-three answers have been received since the publication in THE PRESS of July 21, of the following biblical problem:

A young Bible student was asked: "How many boys are there in your class?" He replied: "If you multiply the number of Jacob's sons by the number of times the Israelites compassed Jericho, and add to the product the number of measures of barley which Boaz gave Ruth, divide this by the number of Haman's sons, subtract the number of each kind of clean beasts that went into the ark, multiply by the number of men that went to seek Elijah after he was taken to heaven, subtract from this Joseph's age at the time he stood before Pharaoh, add the number of stones in David's bag when he killed Goliath, subtract the number of furlongs that Bethany was distant from Jerusalem, divide by the number of anchors cast out when Paul was shipwrecked, and subtract the number of persons saved in the ark, the remainder will be the answer."

Of the ninety-three answers, the majority agree that seven was the number of boys in that "young Bible student's" class; but then we have communications from a few older Bible students who think otherwise.

Possibly because of his profession and position, prominence should be given the solution sent us by one of the leading clergymen of the city. He feels assured the number of scholars in the class, was 97, and quotes these authorities:

Jacob's sons were 12—GEN., XXXV; 25.

The Israelites compassed Jericho, 13 times; once a day for six days, and seven times on the seventh day—JOSHUA, VI; 3-4.

Boaz gave Ruth, of barley, 6 measures—RUTH, III; 15.

Haman's sons were 10—ESTHER, IX; 12.

Of clean beasts that went into the ark, there were 7 each. GEN. VII; 2.

The men that went to seek Elijah, were 50. II KINGS, II; 17.

Joseph was 30 when he stood before Pharaoh. GEN. XLI; 46.

There were 5 stones in David's bag, to kill Goliath. I SAM. XVII; 40.

Bethany was distant from Jerusalem, 15 furlongs. JOHN, XI; 18.

The number of anchors cast out was 4. ACTS, XXVII; 29.

The persons saved in the ark were 8. GEN. VI; 10, and VIII; 18.

Dr. F. A. Kinch, Jr., "Concordist," A. G. C., R. H., and fifty-three others, disagree with this clergyman. They hold that the Israelites compassed Jericho but 7 times; and thus figure out seven as the number of boys in that class.

"Omega" claims that the number of each kind of clean beasts that went into the ark, was but 2. He writes: "In Genesis VII; 2, it is true, the Lord commands Noah to take of every clean beast by sevens, but Noah did not obey, if we are to believe the eighth and ninth verses of the same chapter. You can't get 'two and two' out of seven of a kind."

"Ixion" holds that Bethany is 24 furlongs from Jerusalem, because Chambers' encyclopedia gives the distance as three miles. But we would inform this correspondent that the question is, how far it *was* distant, and also that the problem solvers are barred from going outside the Bible for authorities to assist in the solution.

United Order of Independent Odd Ladies.

The order of Odd Ladies that THE PRESS told of last week as being organized in this city, is composed of such ladies as desire to join—whether the wives of Odd Fellows, or not. It is entirely independent of the latter, and its initials are U. O. of I. O. L.

The order was originated in Boston, Mass., by a woman, some years ago. There are three lodges in Worcester, and from one of these came Mrs. L. A. Martin, now of this city, who has organized a lodge for Plainfield. This lodge received its charter from Massachusetts a few weeks ago, and will be instituted during August as Mizpah Lodge, No. 16.

The objects of the order are mainly beneficial. Any lady of social standing can join. Those who desire further details and particulars, should address Mrs. L. A. Martin, whose postoffice box is 318, Plainfield.

Sunday Fishermen.

Two stage loads of men left this city for Perth Amboy about one o'clock yesterday morning, for the purpose of fishing. At Perth Amboy the party hired a sloop, and with four kegs of beer as ballast, and a quantity of dry bread for bait, the fishermen started for Coney Island about five A. M. Those who were present say that little or no attention was paid to fishing, and that a great deal of the time was spent in quarrelling and fighting. Some of the party became disgusted with the disgraceful rows, and left the boat at Sandy Hook, coming home by rail.

It is stated that the Mayor and entire police force of Perth Amboy turned out to receive the party on the return trip, but the latter eluded the officers and arrived home about 10 P. M.

A Stray Carrier Pigeon.

A stray carrier pigeon arrived at Mr. John Tingley's residence at New Market on Thursday. The bird is numbered "300," and has a brass band on one leg and a rubber band on the other. The bird showed signs of weakness, and had evidently flown a long distance. The pigeon is still in Mr. Tingley's possession awaiting its owner.

WRETCHED BALL PLAYING.

But the Lord Was on the "Machinists'" Side and They Beat the "Crescents."

Saturday's game on the Y. M. C. A., grounds, between the Crescents and the Machinists of this city, was as poor an exhibition of ball playing as has been given this season. Most of the errors on both sides were rank, and the umpire was more so.

The Crescents' battery watched first and second bases in great style, and although eleven hits with a total of sixteen bases were made off Cadmus, yet the Machinists were not able to tally many runs until the last inning. The score then stood 11 to 6 in favor of the Crescents, but their wild throwing let in eight runs against them.

Lord, the pitcher for the Machinists, proved himself quite an artist, although very much out of practice. The umpire gave him no credit for his down shoot, but he did not complain and persevered with his work. During the seven last innings only six hits were made off him. Condon caught a great game and made one single and two two-base hits.

The detailed score below shows to whom are mainly due the blame and credit of defeat and victory. There were costly errors on both sides.

MACHINISTS.

	R.	O.	IB.	PO.	A.	E.
Condon, c	2	2	3	10	4	0
Lee, ss	2	3	0	1	1	0
Randal, lf	1	4	1	0	0	0
Lanigan, 3b	2	2	2	1	0	0
Lord, p	1	4	1	0	10	1
McGinley, cf	2	2	0	0	0	1
Babcock, 2b	3	2	2	1	2	4
Andrews, rf	0	4	2	1	0	1
Buckley, 1b	1	4	0	13	0	3
	14	27	11	27	17	10

CRESCENTS.

G. Cadmus, c	3	1	1	9	4	2
Murray, lf	3	3	2	0	0	1
McMurray, 1b	1	2	1	6	1	1
H. Cadmus, 2b	1	2	3	4	2	3
Demarest, cf	0	4	1	1	0	0
Cornwell, ss	1	4	1	1	3	0
Doane, 3b	0	5	0	3	2	1
Carpenter, rf	1	4	0	0	0	1
W. Cadmus, p	3	2	1	1	11	0
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MACHINISTS.....0 1 1 0 2 0 1 1 8—14
CRESCENTS.....1 0 4 0 0 0 3 3 2—13

*McGinley and Lanigan out, struck with batted ball. Earned runs—Machinists 4; Crescents, 2. Struck out—by Cadmus, 9; by Lord, 7. Two base hits—M, 5; C, 3.

SUDDEN DEATH AT DUNELLEN.

A Young Man Accompanies the Young People's Society of the Presbyterian Church on a Picnic to Boynton Beach, and Dies From Excitement.

Fred Wolford, aged 17 years, the youngest son of Mr. J. H. Wolford, cashier of the Metropolitan Line of Steamers in New York, went to Boynton Beach Saturday with the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor of the Presbyterian church of Dunellen, and spent the day rowing playing base ball and other athletic sports. In fact during the day he was the life of the party and a great favorite with the young ladies, on account of his amicable disposition. Returning home, he with the rest of the company sang songs. On arriving at Dunellen, and parting with the party about 9:30 P. M., Fred went home and as was his custom, went to the bedside of his father and mother and told them what a perfect day of sport and enjoyment he had had.

He seemed delighted and after saying a pleasant "good-night" he retired to his room. Toward morning Mrs. Wolford heard a peculiar sound and went to her son's bedside but everything appeared to be all right. Shortly afterward she again went to see if he was all right, and discovered there was something wrong with his breathing. Dr. Brakeley was immediately summoned, but his services were of no avail, as the patient was beyond help when the doctor arrived. When the latter arrived at the house he pronounced life extinct, and there was a scene of universal mourning in the household.

The young man's sudden death has thrown a cloud of grief over the town, and especially among the young people with whom he associated.

Mr. Wolford was boarding at Dunellen for the Summer with his family, having closed his house in Brooklyn.

The primary cause of death was heart disease, superinduced by the excitement of the day and trip.

Death of Mrs. Inslee Boice.

Mrs. Margaret Boice, widow of the late Insley Boice of New Market, died at the residence of Mrs. John P. Stelle, a daughter, with whom she was stopping, at Newtown, about 1 o'clock, yesterday afternoon. The deceased had been visiting her daughter for a few weeks past. About three weeks ago she was taken ill and her condition continued to grow worse, until yesterday, when she died as above stated. Mrs. Boice was in the 76th year of her age, and leaves four grown up children, Mrs. Dr. J. B. Probasco of this city being one of them. The deceased's husband died in December last.

The funeral will take place from the residence of her son-in-law, at Newtown, on Wednesday, at 3 P. M. Interment in Evergreen cemetery, this city.

Going to Where the Body Was Found.

The Coroner's jury in the Westfield murder mystery case, have resolved to visit the spot in Lawrence's woods where the skeleton of Miller was found. The visit will be on Thursday afternoon next, at one o'clock, an hour before the continuation of the testimony of witnesses.

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Ashworth, Robert	McKinley, W. G.
Boutin, A. C.	Moore, Miss Maria
Brown, Mrs. T.	McDanald, M.
Brokaw, Miss Mary	Morris, Mrs. Jas. T.
Benton, W. S.	Missen, Christian
Bloomfield, Miss Lulu	Oakley, Miss Sadie
Carolan, Mr. J.	Phillips, Mrs. Hattie
Clark, Mrs. Jas	Randolph, Mrs. E.
Crooke, G. L.	Rannon, Miss Florence
Davenport, Mrs. W. E.	Randolph, Mrs. Sarah 2
Dickson, Mrs. Thos.	Runyon, Mrs. S. R.
Ellerson, Mrs. Sophie	Ramsey, Harry K.
Evans, Miss May	Savage, Miss Ellen
Everetts Sr, Everetts	Stewart Jr, Edward W.
Evans, Miss H. D.	Strault, Frank
Gardner, C. H.	Soule, C. W. 2
Guild, Miss Angie R.	Strow, Miss Ida
Gindy, Miss Maggie	Smalley, H. F.
Grogan, Miss Maggie	Strow, Mrs. Hulda
Horton, F. C.	Thorp, Emily
Hill, Mrs. Jennie	Thorn, Miss Eva
Hillyer, Miss J.	Williston, Miss Alice
Huebner, John	Weber, Miss Alma
Haviland, M. J.	Williams, Master Robie
Janson, Alf 2	Wilbust, Mrs
Kiernan, Jas F.	Wesson, L. E.
Kelley, Miss Grace	Werner, Miss Jennie
Morris, F. M.	

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

BOICE—At Newtown, on Sunday, July 29, 1888, Margaret, widow of the late Deacon Insley Boice, aged 75 years, 9 months and 12 days. Funeral services from the residence of her son-in-law, John P. Steele, at Newtown, on Wednesday, at 3 o'clock P. M. 2

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under this heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

WANTED—To rent, a small farm in vicinity of Plainfield. Address, S. H. V., PRESS office, Plainfield, N. J.

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WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7.tf

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Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

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FIRST GRAND

CONCERT AND PICNIC!

Under the auspices of

St. Mary's T. A. B. Society,

In their NEW HALL,

Corner Fourth and Liberty Streets,

On the evening of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.

The new city Cornet Band, under the leadership of Profs. Conde and Neilson, will give a

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DANCING will also be a feature of the occasion. Music by Prof. Cahill, of Elizabethport, N. J.

ADMISSION.....25 Cents.

Tickets to be had at the door. 7-23-7

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9-20-y

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We will sell for a

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Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,

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11-25-tf

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LUSARDI GUATELLI. 6-18-tf

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Mr. H. M. Gilligan of Second place has joined his wife who is Summering at Conanicut Island, Rhode Island.

Ex-Foreman Thomas H. Keller of No. 2 Engine Company has returned from a ten day's business trip through the East.

Mr. Robert Binning, formerly engineer at the Electric Light Works in this city, and now of Passaic, spent Sunday with friends here.

The Misses Gussie and Minnie Murray, Miss Jean Erickson, and Miss Munger, attended the hop at The Netherwood, last Saturday evening.

Miss Nellie VanWinkle of North Plainfield, and Miss Mabel Force of North avenue, this city, are at home again, after an enjoyable visit with friends at Philadelphia.

Mr. Frank Putnam, one of the competent clerks in Mr. Seely Edsall's store, starts today for a week's absence at Middletown, N. Y., after which he will spend a week at Norwich, Conn.

Miss Bessie Stagg, the efficient operator at the telephone exchange of Rahway, was the guest of the Misses Martin of Somerset street, North Plainfield, during Saturday evening, returning home yesterday.

Mrs. Samuel L. Dollner, of Madison avenue and Ninth street, has presented the public library with a number of desirable books—an example set by a generous women, that the many others, who can, might well follow.

—The new City Cornet Band has been engaged to furnish music for the concert and picnic at T. A. B. Association Hall, on Thursday of this week. An orchestra of string music will also be in attendance to furnish music for dancing.

A temperance meeting, under the auspices of the Friends' Temperance and Literary Society, will be held in the Friends' meeting house on Peace street, on Sunday afternoon next. Mr. Joseph A. Bogardus of New York city, will be present and address the meeting.

The Rev. and Mrs. W. E. Honeyman are now at Estes Park, Colorado, twenty-three miles from a railroad, 8,000 feet above sea level, and with fires burning on the hearth morning and evening. Mr. Honeyman did not gain at first, but at present seems to be improving in health. They will leave for Longmont, Col., next, where they expect to make a long stay.

Mr. A. J. Winckler, the builder, is making decided improvements to and about his residence on Park place, in the borough. Said improvements consist of a bay-window and an extension to the piazza. The driveways are also being macadamized, and a substantial and attractive-looking iron fence will enclose the grounds. The value of the property would be further increased by the addition of a stone pavement along the front of it.

Mr. H. L. McIntosh, a member of the enterprising sporting goods firm of A. M. Vanderbeek & Co., of Park avenue, and Mr. A. G. Hooley of Central avenue, returned from a fishing expedition to the Delaware River on Friday. They report plenty of black bass in the river, but do not state how many they brought home with them. Their friends, however, declare that they had the usual "fisherman's luck."

The funeral of the late Thos. M. Clark, who died at Muhlenberg Hospital on Friday, took place from the residence of his brother-in-law, at No. 56 Madison avenue, North Plainfield, yesterday afternoon at three o'clock. The deceased, who died under peculiar circumstances, was an inmate of the Hospital for some time. Dr. Hedges held a post-mortem examination on Friday afternoon, and ascertained that death resulted from a complication of diseases.

The Rev. and Mrs. Cornelius Schenck leave today for Asbury Park—the beginning of a month's leave of absence from Trinity Reformed church. Mr. Schenck has been very regular in his attendance at the church services during the past year—preaching both morning and evening of every Sunday except during the week of his wedding trip—and deserves the rest. Mr. and Mrs. Schenck will remain at Asbury Park until Aug. 16, the day after the Trinity Sunday school excursion, and will then go to the mountains of New York State for the remainder of August.

Reform Club Meeting.

There was a fair attendance at Reform Hall last evening, Captain W. B. Ostrom, 2nd Vice President of the Club, presided, and the music was as usual under the direction of Freeholder Vanderbeek.

The first speaker was Judge Harper, who commenced by quoting recent remarks made by Cardinal Manning of England, in which that eminent prelate forcibly charged intoxicating drink with being the chief antagonist of religion. After fully commenting upon that aspect of the Temperance cause, the Judge branched off into its general characteristics, and urged all to discharge individual and associated duty.

The next to address the meeting was Mr. Heath, of New York, who in a clear and practical manner told of the fearful ravages he had known liquor to inflict, and called upon every one present to rally against it. The meeting closed with the benediction.

—The Third Congressional District Prohibition Convention, is in session at Asbury Park today. Delegates from this city are in attendance.

—Unity Lodge, No. 102 K. of P. will work the rank of Page on Wednesday evening next. Other business of importance will also be transacted.

WHERE A PROMINENT PLAINFIELDER RUSTICATES.

He Finds Some of the Best Fishing, but the Worst Wretch on Earth.

MONTICELLO, July 27, 1888.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS: Since our arrival here we have had very lovely weather, with the temperature ranging between 52 and 80 degrees; average about 64; lovely nights for sleeping; air in the morning fragrant as a full blooming rose. The hills about us furnish us with distant views as far as the eye can discern. The number of inhabitants in the village, which is incorporated, is about 1,000. It is finely situated on high ground; no malaria; rarely any mosquitos; surrounded by several lakes, some of them very beautiful, the water as clear as our Plainfield spring water and with a cooling equally as drinkable.

While several of the lakes are made interesting for the lovers of rod and reel by their being stocked with bass, pickerel and perch, they are very scrupulous as to whose bait they take. Not every dude who comes up here from the large cities of Brooklyn and New York, and even from our beautiful city of the plain, (Plainfield) with his lovely $25 split bamboo and $40 reel, with silk line and golden spoon hook, with his cop hat, can induce them (the fish) to act as he (the dude) wishes them to. They have thus far not even condescended to be very obliging to the plainer of people. What is needed is some of our Plainfield plain anglers with good tackle, in the month of August, who may succeed if the fish agree.

I send you by mail a copy of the *Republican Watchman* containing a full account of the execution of Jack Allen for the murder of Mrs. Ulrich, an aged woman, on account of which his hanging was just. A more deserving execution was never accomplished; a more depraved fiend never was hung. A few of his sayings prove this: While being sentenced, the Judge said, there is no pardon left for you on earth; the only pardon left for you can be furnished by the Saviour, who said to the dying thief on the cross: "this day shalt thou be with Me in Paardise." Here the prisoner broke in with the question: "what did He do with the other feller?" He made request of the Sheriff to be hung by eleven o'clock, that he might have time to walk over and take dinner with the Devil. He requested for two ministers, one each side, when being hung, so that he might resemble or typify the Saviour. Even while the Deputy was preparing him for the gallows he proposed to have a turn at boxing; he said he was quite good at it and it would nerve him for the great occasion. Many other expressions he also made use of, some of which are unfit for publication. The account of the execution and what he said the paper furnishes. His last words were: "Let 'er go Galliger."

Yours truly,
J. G. C.

DUNELLEN.

A beautifully marked carrier pigeon came to Mr. William Gallagher's residence a few days ago, and is still in his possession awaiting the owner. The pigeon had evidently come a long distance, and appeared to be exhausted when it arrived. It is marked on the legs, and there are also some figures on the feathers. Any person whose bird is missing would do well to communicate with Mr. Gallagher at once.

The members and friends of the Young People's Society of Christian Endeavor, of the Presbyterian church, to the extent of about 100, went over to Boynton Beach in stages and in private conveyances on Saturday, and spent the day at boating, bathing, fishing and other amusements. The party returned home in the evening, well pleased with the day's sport.

Mr. J. W. Handren and family are spending a few weeks' cruising about on their yacht, "Alarm."

Rev. Mr. Skellinger, pastor of the Presbyterian church, has been granted an extension of one week, of his vacation, and with his family will spend the coming week at Asbury Park. Meanwhile Rev. Mr. Livermore will continue to fill the vacant pastorate.

Several important real estate transfers have been made in this vicinity during the past week.

Mr. B. D. Drake and family of Baltimore, are visiting Mr. Drake's mother, here.

McCauli Opera Company.

Prince Methusalem continues to remain the attraction at Wallack's Theatre, New York City, the jolly opera having achieved an instantaneous success both with the public and press, the criticisms being unanimous in favor of the production, as will be seen by a few clippings from some of the leading Metropolitan journals, which we publised below:

Colonel McCauli has many clever operas, but none of them are more charming throughout than this neat and ingenious work of the Viennese Wizard.—*Tribune.*

The costumes were rich and the moonlight song of the fair young soldiers showed how excellently the ladies of the chorus had been drilled.—*Journal.*

The music was hailed with delight and Strauss' waltz opera may be said to have fitted into the Summer mood exactly.—*World.*

The amusing story caused much laughter, the fun on the whole being fully as succesful as the musical interpretation.—*Hearld.*

The laughter was spontaneous and hearty and the encores were genuinely demanded.—*Sun.*

—Yesterday there was a decided change in the atmosphere, and throughout the day the weather was delightfully cool. There was a noticeable increase in the attendance at the various churches, in consequence of the cool weather.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

DEPEW'S CONQUESTS.

"Our Own Chauncey's" Triumphant Social Career in England.

PARIS, July 30.—The Depew party are preparing to go to Hamburg for a fortnight where many social engagements have been made. They arrived here to-day.

LONDON, July 30.—Mr. Depew has pursued his triumphant career throughout the week, and seen perhaps as much as was possible for a single transient American to see of the interior life of London. He and Mrs. Depew were the guests last Saturday of Lord and Lady Wantage at Wimbledom. There he again met the Prince of Wales, with whom or to whom he talked much amid a company of other celebrities.

On Sunday he dined at Heath House with Sir Algernon and Lady Bosthwick to meet the Duc D'Aumale, whom, after a visit to the House of Commons, he met again on Tuesday evening at Surrey House as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Cyril Flower. On Monday came a lunch with Mr. Chamberlain, whose party included the Duchess of St. Albans, Lady Dorothy Nevill, Mr. Lowell and Mr. Henry James.

Mrs. Dugdale's dinner on Monday introduced him to one of the most distinguished women in London, the Dowager Countess of Airlie. He and Mrs. Depew met at Mr. Munro Ferguson's dinner on Wednesday Lord and Lady Rosebery with whom Mr. Depew stayed last year at Mentmore. Thence they went on to a very small and very smart musical party at Lady Rothschild's, where Mr. Depew was to be seen expounding the American view of home rule one moment to Mr. John Morley and the next to Mr. Arthur Balfour.

On Thursday he lunched with Mrs. Jeune and dined with the Earl of Cork. The party left for Paris yesterday.

THEY KILLED HIM.

The Government Censured in the Mandeville Inquest.

DUBLIN, July 30.—The inquest on John Mandeville, the fellow-prisoner of William O'Brien in Tullamore Jail, closed with the following verdict from the coroner's jury:

"We find that the deceased, John Mandeville, died on the 8th of July of diffused cellular inflammation of the throat, as defined by the doctors, brought about by the brutal and unjustifiable treatment he received in Tullamore Jail. We enter our solemn protest against the system of the present Government in awarding similar treatment to political prisoners as to common criminals and the cruel method by which the rules are enforced. We condemn the vile aspersions of Dr. Barr on the doctors who attended John Mandeville in his last illness."

AMENDMENTS.

Sixty-two Suggestions of Improvement to the Parnell Inquiry Bill.

LONDON, July 30.—Already notices of sixty-two amendments to the Parnell Inquiry bill have been given. The first one will be moved by Mr. Parnell himself. He will move that inquiry shall first be made into the letters and also that the names of persons who are now members of the House of Commons be omitted from the schedule.

Mr. Sexton will move to limit the inquiry to persons named in the schedule of the bill.

Indictments Against Ives.

CINCINNATI, July 30.—The counts of the indictment against Ives, Stayner and Woodruff are now open to inspection. The general charge is embezzlement, and there are four captions to the counts, respectively charging the indicted persons with embezzling certain railroad shares, with destroying certificates with intent to embezzle, with removing certificates with intent to embezzle, and with committing these several acts with intent to steal and convert to their own use.

Iron at Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, July 30.—Last year the receipts of manufactured iron in Cincinnati aggregated 155,885 tons, the largest in the history of the city. One hundred and eight acres of ground have been secured on the Ohio River below the city and adjacent to it for the erection of the largest and most complete plant in the world for casting pipe.

Villard Home Again.

NEW YORK, July 30.—Henry Villard, who has been nearly a year in Germany, on business and for his health, is at home, returning by the Trave. He went to his summer home at Dobbs Ferry, where are his wife and family. He said that his general health had much improved and had been particularly benefited by the four weeks he had spent at Carlsbad.

Boats in Collision.

COTTAGE CITY, Mass., July 30.—The steamer Parthian, Philadelphia to Boston, came into collision with the British schooner Ayr off Westchop last night. A hole was stove in the port side of the steamer, amidships. The fifty-five passengers were alarmed, but no one was injured. They were transferred to another boat and continued their journey.

The Prison Labor Bill.

ALBANY, N. Y., July 30.—Governor Hill has fixed Wednesday as the day for deciding what he will do with the Prison Labor bill. It is in the hands of the Attorney General for a construction as to its relation to the penal institutions of the State other than State prisons.

Baseball Games Played Sunday.

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT BROOKLYN.

Brooklyn	0	0	2	1	0	0	2	1	*	—6
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	—2

AT CLEVELAND.

St. Louis	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	*	—3
Cleveland	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2	—4

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 30, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost
Detroit	47	27	Brooklyn	51	28
New York	47	27	St. Louis	50	25
Chicago	45	30	Cincinnati	47	28
Boston	37	39	Athletic	43	30
Philadelphia	33	39	Baltimore	33	43
Pittsburg	29	40	Louisville	28	47
Indianapolis	28	45	Cleveland	27	48
Washington	27	46	Kansas City	22	52

NEW YORK MARKETS.

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New York Central	106
New York Lake Erie & West	27
New York & New England	43
Philadelphia & Reading	44
Pac. Mail	36
St. Paul	72¼
Union Pacific	57⅜
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Von Bulow Disgusted.

LONDON, July 30.—Hans von Bulow has left London, where he was directing concerts, in high dudgeon. He is disgusted with English musical audiences. He is under engagement with the directors of the Metropolitan Opera-House to direct a series of concerts in New York and the larger cities during the coming musical season.

Shooting of Herbert Bismarck.

BERLIN, July 30.—Count Herbert Bismarck goes to England next month for the autumn shooting with Lord Roseberry. He appears to have lost none of his skill with the rifle. He recently made a string of bull's-eyes with a sporting rifle at 120 yards.

King George at St. Petersburg.

ST. PETERSBURG, July 30.—The King of Greece arrived here yesterday. His Majesty will stay at the Povlovsk Castle.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

MATTHEW and Alfred Lorenzo, brothers, are reported as having got astray while tending trawls at Gloucester, Mass., and it is believed they have been lost.

P. A. SROUT of Pittsburg, who killed his son because the latter refused to bid him good bye when leaving home, has been found guilty of murder in the second degree.

THE body of George McNichols, a prominent young man of East Liverpool, Ohio, who escaped from home on Friday night while crazy, was found in the river.

GENERAL G. T. BEAUREGARD has resigned as Commissioner of Public Works of New Orleans as he cannot keep the streets clean with the amount of money allowed him.

CHARLES I. SMITH of Brookline, Mass., was crushed to death in the Hooker House, Willimantic, Conn., while trying to run the elevator in the absence of the boy.

Railroad Bed Washed Away.

TUCSON, Ari., July 30.—The heavy rains of the last few days have washed away a bridge and nine miles of the roadbed of the Southern Pacific railroad.

Mrs. Cignarale Moved.

NEW YORK, July 30.—At noon to-day Mrs. Cignarale was removed from the Tombs to Blackwell's Island and will be taken to the hospital of the penitentiary.

At a Portland Rock Party.

Miss Mountjoy:—Why, Mr. Warde! You've scarcely tasted your blackberry shrub; and it's some of the best grandma ever made, too.

Mr. Warde (trying to get his mouth unpuckered:—M-miss Mountjoy, it is p-p-perfectly delicious. Where did she g-get the p-p-p-prescription?—Tid Bits.

AXSON was mistaken when he said the Washingtons were no stronger than last year. Every League team is relatively stronger.

HUGHES is still the pitching wonder of the latter-day crop of twirlers. Up to Saturday he had lost but one championship game.

JERRY DENNY invariably goes into raptures over the Detroit ball ground. He says it is the only place where he can play his game.

JOHN WARD'S old catcher, Harold McClure, who has been umpiring in the Central Pennsylvania League, is a candidate for State Senator.

FASHION FADS.

STRIPED gauze makes as pretty a trimming as any on girls' round hats for country wear.

THE white muslin lace-trimmed sunshade makes a charming accompaniment to a dainty summer costume.

THE striped muils prove a novelty, and summer fabrics of cotton have a rival in this material that will prove formidable.

PLAID silks in which white predominates will be much worn the coming season with fancy gimpures or elaborate Jerseys.

SAILOR shapes, so youthful and becoming, are the hats which still will be worn on all occasions where a serviceable head covering is desired.

CHATELAINE bags, so convenient and pretty for shopping purposes, have again come into use. They have real silver fixtures, and are quite luxurious.

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FEMININE HEADGEAR.

BEWILDERING FANCIES IN HATS AND BONNETS.

Varied Colors and Eccentric Shapes—A Pretty Morning Cap—What the Ladies are Doing in Devising Hats for the Campaign—How They are Trimmed and Worn.

Bonnets and hats are bewildering parts of the feminine toilet at this time. Straw braids are more varied in color, in the plaiting, the mixture, and the addition of metallic threads and "effects" than ever before seen. But the variety in this respect is nothing to that in shapes. All shapes are worn, and some of the hats are the wildest, most eccentric things ever seen.

Still the same thing is said every season and all the time. The facts are that the ladies are ready to wear anything that is pretty in head gear and at any time.

This hat is one of the latest inventions of the sort, and is made of very fine Gobelin straw, lined with a pleating of white crepe, white velvet roses under the brim. The crown is covered with flounces of silver embroidered lace. Bows of picot-edged ribbon form the trimming.

And here is something in the line of morning cap that speaks for itself, metaphorically at least. It is made of white lace, finished with a plain band of terra-cotta faille. A bow of cream ribbon in front forms the trimming. Pleating of lace runs round the edge of cap.

The ladies are not to be outdone by the men in campaign hats.

The latest eccentricity in this direction is to trim country and seaside hats with cream silk bandannas bearing either the medallion portraits of Cleveland and Thurman stamped in India ink, or the counterfeit presentments of Gen. Harrison and his official twin, with the Stars and Stripes draped about the ovals containing their pictures.

A Cleveland hat seen last week at the seaside is of fine white chip, with a broad brim covered with puffs of black gauze. Draped about the crown are three silk campaign handkerchiefs, which declare unmistakably the political leanings of the fair wearer.

Cloths for Fall.

Camel's hairs in solid colors, with bourette figures or stripes, are among the new cloths, and there are combinations of smooth and rough camel's-hair in stripes and crossbars of varied width. Rough goods, twills and serges will all be popular for general serviceable wear. These cloths are the natural mixtures used extensively by English tailors last season, but which was difficult to get at the shop-counter.

Some of the old houses are importing silk-warped Henrietta cloths in a variety of colors for fine wool costumes. The cheaper all-wool Henriettas will be little used, as experience has demonstaated that they are unserviceable. Manufacturers believe that the new colored Henriettas will wear as well as black, as every care has been taken to secure dyes that will act equally on the silk and wool.

Fewer silk and wool poplins or bengalines are shown so far, than last season. Satin berber is an old-time wool fabric with a satin lustre, which is revived under the name of satin-faced Henrietta cloth. Drap d'alma, an exquisitely soft wool goods, slightly heavier than cashmere, is imported in all colors. There are many cords like the pure wool Stephano cord, a goods with reps the size of an Ottoman silk, but which run lengthwise and do not catch the dust like a cross-over cork. Schastopol corks and diagonal rep show the fancy for repped and corded effects. Cloths with fancy selvedges are often banded with a color in decided contrast, a band of fine lines of silk giving the effect of threads of gold, silver or copper separating the two colors. Thus a navy blue color is crossed by a three-inch band of chocolate-color or copper-brown, separated by a group of hair-line silk stripes of bright copper color. Dark green cloths are banded with steel gray, separated by silk lines of silver hue.

Fashions in Paris.

Skirts continue to be plain. That means long and straight folds nearly closing over a wavy front, or else a full jupe slightly raised over an underskirt, with pinked ruche around the edge. Long and slight waists adopt the Directorie styles, with the vests and wide revers. Moire sashes will probably continue in fashion all Winter.

The latest sun umbrella fashion—if such an eccentricity were needed here—would be a plain silk of any shade suitable to the costume, with gold wheat leaves thrown upon the surface. The handle is of ecru leather, with gold cord wound around it.

Lace skirts—the favored style is Berlin embroidered, looking just like a point a l'aiguille, are worn with changeable silk Louis XV. Casaquins. These are very much relieved over the high lace chemisette which passes under an embroidered, pointed and laced corsage, and the silk waist is made with revers.

The costume is an exact reproduction of the dresses of the period.

Another pretty style for a cosage is to make all the upper part of embroidery, passementerie, or needlework, and to draw up over the shoulders, dividing twice on each side the plain material of the gown. The sleeves are gathered into a bracelet of the same material just above the elbow, and another bracelet finishes the sleeve.

Embroidery is used a good deal, forming frequently the entire front under a plain Directoire coat, with its moire sash behind. Over a vest of embroidery moire ribbon is drawn over sideways. Sometimes the front of the dress is made of a panel of full lace and a panel of moire ribbon fringed with silk, knotting its threads into the goods.

Hats continue to have wide brims, and feathers small and tightly curled make the crown with an algretie of ribbon or flowers.

Grenadiers with a large satin or velvet polka spot are trimmed with gold and worn over a silk jupe.

Green in London and Paris.

The great prevalence of the color green in the costumes in London and Paris is remarkable. It is introduced on white dresses, either in velvet or moire, as collar and cuffs, and occasionally a sash is added. It plays a similar part on black dresses, and those in the popular biscuit-color have often finishing touches in green.

This latter combination is one of the most trying to the ordinary complexion that could be devised. It brings out all the latent yellow in the cheeks, and makes even a passably good complexion look muddy. Only the clearest and freshest coloring is uninjured by the proximity; but when the complexion is really transparent, and softly tinted with cream and rose, the effect is excellent.

Englishwomen do not seem to consider the coloring that is likely to suit their faces, nor do Frenchwomen set them a good example in the matter. One often sees a freckled face looking almost black because the hat or bonnet is trimmed with bright blue or pink. Some softer, subtler tone of color would, on the other hand, tone down the darkness of the freckles, and bring out all the pink that underlies them in the girlish face.

The shades of blue that are called Gobelin and porcelain are excellent in this way. So are the shot ribbons in which a bright tint is partly neutralized by a deeper one. Corn flower blue in two shades is a very safe union to place near a doubtful complexion. The tender pallor of the paler blossom is so soft that it can not injuriously affect the skin by making it look dark, and the decision of the deeper blue helps to give value to the light one.

FASHION NOTES.

THE silver ring is worn by royalty in England and hence it must be fashionable here. It is set with rare gems.

VERY useful, even if somewhat out of style, is a sling strap worn over the shoulder to suspend the small hand bag in travelling.

VALENCIENNES edge trims many of the stylish white costumes of muslin. Some of the new patterns though very simple are extremely gsaceful.

SILK blouses are worn with satine and other cotton fabric skirts, notwithstanding the apparent incongruity of such a mixture of materials.

THE fashion of wearing beaded shoulder capes over wash dresses is a novel one which has no particular recommendation except this same novelty.

THE lace boa, which was introduced by the leading French modistes in the spring, have, strangely enough, led to the adoption of the fur boa this summer.

PETTICOATS of all over embroidery are worn under French satine over dresses with pretty effect. The pattern in which large figures predominate are the most stylish this season.

THE velvet Tam O'Shanter, when it is of deep red or brown shades, is very stylish, and is worn in the country for a picturesque head covering with any sort of undress costume.

MOUSE or maltese grey are very stylish shades of gray which is par excellence the color of the season, after green, white or black, and which are the colors used to trim these pretty lady-like shades.

THERE are many beautiful calico patterns, so called, in the India silks which make up very prettily in simple style, and these are without a doubt among the very prettiest of summer costumes as well as the most stylish.

THE draped corsage is still a favorite mode and one which is always becoming to a slender figure. The lace blouse is an outcome of this fashion, which is at once a great favorite and a very convenient fashion for warm weather.

BEAUTIFUL wrought camel's hair cloth is used for tea gowns and its soft folds make it a most desirable fabric. Next to soft wool crapes no more attractive fabric can be found for this universally popular, graceful gown, which is becoming to every woman.

AMONG the sheer, white costumes, always so fresh and attractive, are those of plain Swiss muslin with wide tucks, hemstitched with an edging of plain footing finishing the simple, lady-like effect.

THE fillet or net of coarse cord is lined with colored silk and worn as a natty sort of headgear in the country, on the piazza or for some small occasions. This fashion gives opportunity for carrying a beautiful sunshade of dressy pattern and garniture.

FELT hats, in soft shapes and bright colors are worn by children, as well as grown women, at the seaside and at the mountains. Bright red or white are the favorite colors. A coil of silk cord is wound about the crown, or a scarf of silk tissue for a trimming.

BRILLIANT costumes of bright red India silks are stylish for those who are not afraid of startling effects. Black lace blouse waists are worn with those bright skirts, to tone them down somewhat. A sash of black velvet also adds a pretty finish.

THE Directoire sashes are in two shades of the same color and have a very pretty effect. The cesette bow is so arranged as to give the effect of a flower; particulary is this so when two shades of rose color are used in the same sash. The long flowing ends should be four in number and two of each shade.

THE creating of novel styles is the constant occupation of the Parisian modistes, and the latest style means that of last week, not of last month. It may be noted from the latest models from Worth that the Empire fashions still influence this great artist in his work of creating beautiful summer apparel.

SHOULDER capes of plush are considered very stylish and convenient for wearing as a driving wrap or when warmth over the shoulders is wanted. In black and all colors this very convenient little cape is equally fashionable. Such extra wraps are worn with cambrics, satins or any morning gowns as well as with dressy costumes.

A KERCHIEF of bright color tied loosely over the shoulders and finished in a sailor knot is considered a stylish finish for a young girl's white costume, and the costume may be of the simplest possible description, for simplicity is a marked feature of this season's costumes for the young.

MUSIC AND DRAMA.

CHRISTINE NILSSON has gone to Mount d'or.

BLONDIN is walking a tight rope at Coney Island.

LOUISE NATALI designs and makes all her own costumes.

C. W. COULDOCK will star next season in "Hazel Kirke."

AUDRAN'S latest comic opera is called "La Petite Froude."

ED. H. VANVEGHTEN has been spending a few days in Trenton.

MCKEE RANKIN and his leading lady, Mabel Bert, are goint to Australia.

"HOODMAN BLIND" has recently been acted in Hindustani, at Bombay.

IMRE KIRALFY has arranged to produce "Nero" in Paris next summer.

JOHN WILD will star next season in "Running Wild," by Charles Vincent.

HARRY DAVENPORT, Fanny's handsome brother, travels with Minnie Maddern next season.

BOB SLAVIN, with health quite restored, is putting in a bracing summer on the Maryland coast.

FANNY DAVENPORT starts on a five weeks' tour of the California coast, beginning at Los Angeles.

OLGA BRANDON has been engaged as a member of Mrs. Kendal's company at the St. James', London.

ALBERTA DAMON will be supported by John Gilbert, Richard Carroll and Jennie Redpath in "The Scarecrow."

FANNY RICE, who now earns $100 a week singing in comic opera, paid $25 a lesson in music a few years ago.

VERNONA JARBEAU goes to Chicago early next month to rehearse her company for her second tour in "Starlight."

DR. GARDINI, who is known here as the husband of Etelka Gerster, has published his American reminiscences in two volumes.

LEIGH HUNT declared that "an air played on the bagpipes, with their detestable monotonous drone, was like a tune tied to a post."

DR. HANS VON BULOW, the brilliant but eccentric pianist, is engaged to give a series of concerts in America, beginning in April, 1889.

MISS ELEANOR CALHOUN is now in London, and has made a success of Hester Prynne in a dramatization of Hawthorne's "Scarlet Letter."

MRS. RIGNOLD, who lately died at Birmingham, England, was the first woman who played Hamlet. Her venture was made about fifty years ago.

MME. PATTI, it is said, has finished her "Souvenirs," and it is further reported that the book will be published simultaneously in London and Paris.

THERE is a rumor flying about that Mrs. John Wood, the popular London player, will pay her Yankee cousins a professional visit the coming season.

EDWIN BOOTH will spend his summer at Newport and Narragansett Pier. He will have a suite of rooms fitted for his own use in the new Players' Club House.

MME. BALFE, the widow of Michael Balfe, the composer, herself a vocalist of some fame, died at the residence of Mme. Christine Nilsson, at Kensington Court, June 8.

JAY RIAL is suffering from paralysis of the vocal chords, brought about by excessive cigarette smoking. Mr. Rial is said to have indulged in about sixty cigarettes a day.

ZELIE DE LUSSAN made her London debut a week from last night in "Carmen." While she pleased and aroused interest she does not seem to have made a very palpable impression.

THE ninth triennial Handel festival at the Crystal Palace, in London, was in every way unusually successful. The total attendance for the four performances amounted to 86,337.

THE director of the Saxe-Meiningen Company has sailed for home, having failed to secure New York dates, which fact postpones the visit of that famed troupe to this country until next year.

EDITH LESLIE CHESTER, who was an attraction during the first tour of the Rosina Vokes Company, will again be a member of that organization next season. Helena Dacre will also return to the company. Miss Vokes will pay a short visit to London this summer.

THE performances which the Wagner Society of London is giving at what it calls its "converzaiones" are described by some of the admirers of the composer. Selections from the "Gotterdammerung" were sung with pianoforte accompaniment, and this, it is thought, is so poor a substitute for the orchestra that the performance had better been omitted altogether.

"LOHENGRIN" has been given in London by Mr. Harris' company in a style that has called forth high praise. Mme. Albian was the Elsa; Jean de Reske, Lohengrin; Edouarp de Rsske, the King; Mme. Hastreiter, Ortrud, and Signor l'Andrade, Frederick, and the result was a superb performance, as the choral and orchestral effects were in keeping with the work of the principal characters. Mr. Harris' enterprise has been so successful as to justify a supplementary season of two weeks.

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MRS. LIZZIE N. CHAMPNEY is brown-haired, slender and rather delicate.

DUDU FLETCHER has a wonderful head of golden hair and black, flashing eyes.

MRS. J. S. BLAKWELDER, a Chicago literateur, is a student of Norse mythology.

MRS. AMELIA BARR, the writer, is described as a nice old lady with white hair.

MRS. WILSON BAKER, who contributes to the Ohio press, is a student of Volapuk.

EMILY FAITHFUL decries the "shabby genteel" idea that work is degrading for women.

EDNA DEAN PROCTOR is delicate and graceful in movement and possessed of much dignity.

MME. LANZA has reddish hair, dark gray eyes, fair skin, and strong but feminine features.

ALICE WELLINGTON ROLLINS, poetess and novelist, has the prettiest feet and hands imaginable.

MRS. BRANDER MATTHEWS likes to surround herself with young women having dramatic tastes.

LADY ROBINSON gave the site upon which a Liberal Hall was opened at Kingsthorpe recently.

MISS HELEN MARTIN, of Providence, R. I., not yet 20, rich and highly connected, is a rising literary star.

MARGARET SANGSTER, the poetess, has the reputation of being one of the clearest-eyed and most sensible of her sex.

MRS. GILDERSLEEVE LONGSTREET has made her mark as one of the keenest observers of social conditions of her day.

BLANCHE WILLIS HOWARD drives about Stuttgart with a pair of white ponies and is one of the best known figures of the city.

SOME forty-three descendants of Rebecca Nourse, "the pious witch of 1692," picknicked in her honor at Danvers Centre, Mass., the other day.

SPORTING NOTES.

ANDY WILKINSON sent the bay gelding Jack Wilkes a mile and repeat in 2.31, 2.32 last week.

LINNIE, the bay 3-year-old filly, by Egbert, trotted a mile recently on the Lexington, Ky., track in 2.20 1-2.

JERSEY FRANK, for a long time chief of the Silver Rifles, is about to resign, much to the regret of his many friends.

A MAJORITY of the New York horses have returned from the circuit and are being exercised over the Fleetwood track.

THE black mare Frederica last week made a mile over the Fleetwood track in 2.23. The half-mile track was reached in 1.08 1-4.

AT Lake Ontario this season some big sturgeon have been taken. Fish weighing from 140 to 190 pounds have been landed.

THE Prince of Wales has recently purchased the fox terrier bitch Bacchante. She is sired by Mr. August Belmont June's Bacchanot.

THE Gentlemen's Driving Park, New York City, has been leased for the purpose of holding a racing meeting during the month of August.

MR. HENRY BRYANT'S new schooner yacht Alert had a trial trip in Boston Harbor last week. The trip is reported to have been highly satisfactory.

THE fishing at Asbury Park, N. J., is unusually good just at present. A three-pound pickerel was taken last week at Deal Lake, near the railroad bridge.

THE gray mare Emily C. (dam of Bayonne Prince, 2.21 1-4) is on a visit to Stony Ford, where she will be bred to Kentucky Prince. The mare has been barren for three years.

THE Sire Brothers have purchased and remodeled the half-mile track at Moorestown, N. J. The association will support a three-days' fall meeting there and offer substantial prizes.

BROTHER DAN pulled up very lame after his race at Monmouth Park on Saturday, and it is understood that he will be laid up for a while, although his illness is not specially serious.

CAPTAIN CHARLES BURR, of the Shoona, arrived in Glasgow, Scotland, on the Circassia last week. He is expected to sail from that port shortly in a new 40-foot cutter for these waters.

THE brown mare Peri, foaled in 1867, by Alexander's Edwin Forrest, out of Water Witch dam of Mumbrino Gift, died at Mr. J. W. Ogden's Hillcrest farm, Morristown, N. J., recently. She was in foal to Hillcrest, by Volunteer.

THE following gentlemen were elected members of the South Boston Yacht Club at its last regular meeting: W. Shanklin, W. D. Smith, M. J. Corliss, W. Hanlan, J. L. Bennett, H. W. Deane, W. E. Gyer, H. F. McIntyre, W. E. Amazeen, W. E. Hockwell, J. P. Baker.

THE Rockaway Steeplechase Association announces for the Autumn meeting the following dates: Friday, August 24; Saturday, 25; Monday, 27; Wednesday, 29; Thursday, 30; Friday, 31. The club announces that it will give six races each day, three of which will be steeplechases, the others on flat.

RECENTLY in London a number of sporting pictures from the collection of the late George Pordham, for so many years England's premier Jockey, were sold by auction. Among the rest were a portrait of Mr. Ten Broeck's Starke, winner of the Goodwood cup, 1861, which brought only $26, and a portrait of the celebrated American mare Pridess, which was knocked down for $10.

EWING is said to draw $2,300; O'Rourke, $3,300; Connor; $3,500; Keefe, $4,000; Welch; $2,800; George, $1,800; Titcomb, $2,500; Murphy, $2,000; Crane, $3,800; Collins, 1,200; Richardson, $2,500; Hatfield, $2,400; Ward, $3,000; Whitney, $2,200; Gore, $2,500; Slattery, $2,800; Tiernan, $3,000; Foster, $4,000; Brown, $1,500. Total, $58,700.

PROFESSOR LEUF, of the University of Pennsylvania, has written a book which is entitled "Hygiene for Ball Players." The work comprises a brief consideration of the body as a mechanism, the art and science of curve pitching, a discussion of the causes and treatment of the disabilities of players, with a few practical hints to the club managers.

RAILROAD RUMBLINGS.

THE first engine run in the United States was brought from England in 1828.

THE Wheeling & Lake Erie road, it is said, will build an independent bridge over the Ohio River.

C. T. BARNEY has been elected a director of the Northern Pacific as the successor of B. T. Cheney, who has been obliged to resign on account of ill health.

THE first engine built in this country was designed by the late Peter Cooper and was run in 1830 on the Baltimore & Ohio, the first passenger road. It was called "Tom Thumb."

W. K. GILBERT has been appointed auditor of passenger accounts of the New York Central in place of C. H. Kendrick, who has resigned. J. F. Fairlanb has been appointed assistant auditor to supceed Mr. Gillett.

AT the annual meeting of the Association of Railway Master Mechanics the following officers were elected: J. H. Setchel, President; R. H. Briggs, Vice-President; A. Sinclair, Secretary, and George Richards, Treasurer.

THE Lake Shore has issued a notice to the effect that 1,000-mile ticket books will not be honored for passage on their limited express trains Nos. 1 and 4, as they find it difficult to accommodate their increasing business on these two trains.

A BALTIMORE electrician claims to have invented a process by which steel rails can be welded together by electricity, thus enabling trackmen to lay a continuous track. The ends of the rails are welded together through the application of a transformed current of electricity and are then tempered. He claims it takes but one-half minute to make the joint.

THE Erie is doing away away with the old-fashioned cumbersome gallows frame gates which have so long formed crossing protection at the several streets over which the tracks cross in Jersey City. The new patent alarm, bell gates, now in such popular use on nearly all the roads hereabouts, have been substituted, and are being placed in position as rapidly as possible.

THE Erie has odopted the same system as that in use by the Pennsylvania at their Jersey City terminus for protection against fire. They have twenty-eight boxes in all located at important points and covering all places controlled by them. A land force and fire tug force has been established with full instructions how to act in case of fire, each force having a chief and assistant chief.

A VERY important and "quiet" deal is being made between the Lehigh Valley and Erie roads, by which most profitable business will be gathered in between the East and Buffalo. The Lehigh Valley touches the Erie at Waverly and runs a distance over its tracks, and it has always been regarded as a very important connection, especially for the large coal traffic. The new deal is that the Lehigh and Erie shall both use the tracks of the Erie's Susquehanna and Buffalo divisions jointly. Experts are now taking an inventory of these two divisions and will place a valuation on them; the Lehigh will then pay the Erie 3 per cent. on the total valuation so rendered, after which the two divisions will be run by both roads, and the expenses will be shared proportionately.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.30, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

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Leave Newark 7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.00, a. m., 1.05, 1.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.20, 7.20, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.50 a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

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Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 9.35, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.40, 6.47, 8.15, 8.42, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

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For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

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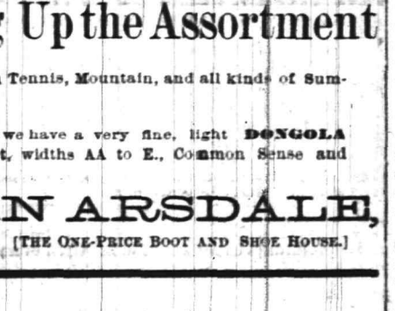

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VOTE ON THE TREATY.

The Fisheries Matter Soon To Be Disposed Of.

TARIFF IN THE SENATE.

Report of the Committee Investigating Trusts Handed In, Though the Work of Investigation is to Continue Indefinitely—The Legislators Are Chary About Suggestions.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—It is the intention to bring the Fisheries Treaty to a vote this week. There are several more speeches to be made upon it, but notice has been given that the treaty will be urged to the exclusion of all other business except necessary legislation to continue the appropriations. The vote is expected at the latest by Thursday.

The Fishery Treaty disposed of, the Senate will endeavor to finish the remaining appropriation bills that, when the Tariff Bill comes in, there will be nothing to prevent the Senate from making it the subject of continuing debate. The proposition to begin the sessions at eleven a. m., will probably be adopted.

The reports that there are serious divisions in the Select Committee on Pacific Railroads in the Senate are unfounded. This committee, of which Mr. Frye is chairman, will report to the Senate the last of the present week a bill which Mr. Frye has been authorized to frame. The committee will be unanimously in favor of it. There is no friction or difference in the committee.

As announced, the report of the committee on manufactures relative to its recent investigations of trusts was presented to the House by Chairman Bacon yesterday. The report proper consists of a resume of the testimony taken in regard to the sugar and Standard Oil trusts. The verbatim report of the testimony follows. The committee found itself unable to make recommendations of legislation, so that the result of its work is interesting merely as to the growth of the trusts. Their power and their methods are revealed in the testimony.

The investigation does not stop here. The House granted permission for the committee to continue its labors during the recess. Chairman Bacon says that the committee will first complete the investigation of the whiskey trust which was begun on last Friday.

No testimony will be taken this week, but next week the committee will probably have as witnesses the representatives of the alleged combination of distillers of cheap whiskey located chiefly north of the Ohio River, and having its headquarters at Peoria, Ill.

The bill introduced by Senator Blair, at the request of the Federation of Labor, to amend the law prohibiting the importation of foreigners under contract, makes a number of minor changes in the phraseology of the law, as well as one or two changes of a somewhat important character. The first section, which made it unlawful to assist "the importation of foreigners" into this country, under agreement or contract to perform labor, is amended by making the paragraph read: "The importation of any alien or foreign laborer, mechanic, artist or artisan, under agreement to perform labor." Another amendment does away with the provisions authorizing the Secretary of the Tseasury to enter into contracts with State commissions to take charge of the execution of the provisions of the act within the boundaries of the respective States, and designates the collectors of customs at the various ports of the United States as the persons upon whom shall devolve the duties heretofore authorized to be intrusted to State commissions.

The Senate spent most of the time yesterday in considering the Sunday Civil Appropriation bill. An amendment offered by Mr. Bowen looking to the survey, location and reservation of reservoir sites for irrigating purposes, raised the irrigation problem and led to a long discussion. The Senate adjourned without finishing the bill.

The House spent almost the entire day on the General Deficiency bill, but did not finish it. A conference was ordered on the Senate amendments to the Navy Appropriation bill.

BOODLER KEENAN.

His Attempt to Secure Aqueduct Profits Unsuccessful.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The exile politician, John Keenan, who is in Canada "for the benefit of his health," as he puts it, has been unsuccessful in his first legal warfare against Herman Clark, the aqueduct contractor.

Keenan is suing Clark to recover a share of the profits in the aqueduct contracts held by the latter, under an alleged claim as a partner. Pending the action Keenan asked for the appointment of a receiver to take charge of the contracts in which he claimed a share of the profits, and for an injunction to restrain Clark from interfering with the partnership assets, which it was attempted to have the receiver take charge of during the pendency of the suit.

Judge Van Hoesen in the Court of Common Pleas has denied Keenan's motion for an injunction and receiver.

STEVE BRODIE.

He Hopes This Morning to Marry the Girl He Betrayed.

NEW YORK, July 31.—It now looks as though Steve Brodie, the famed Bowery boy, bridge jumper and all-around athlete, will prove successful in his efforts to secure the release of sixteen-year-old Gertie Lord from the House of Mercy, whither she was sent on Saturday last by Judge Kilbreth.

Steve's counsel, Lawyer Keller, yesterday swore out a writ of habeas corpus on a plea of special error before Judge Morgan J. O'Brien in the Supreme Court and this morning at 10.30 o'clock Gertie will again be brought before Judge Kilbreth.

Last night Steve said: "I'll marry Gertie the minute I get the chance. I hope they'll give me some show to-morrow.

Queer Antics of a Bitten Cow.

ST. LOUIS, July 31.—A cow was bitten by a dog, two weeks ago, in Charles Spader's dairy in the suburbs. Nothing was thought of it until yesterday, when she acted like a mad steer, chasing the other cattle about the yard, and got so bad Mr. Spader had to pen her up. To-day a policeman was called and the animal shot.

Yorktown Finished in October.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—It is expected that the gunboat Yorktown, recently launched at Philadelphia, will be finished by the middle of October. It is not known, however, when her armament will be ready.

BARTLEY CAMPBELL.

The Playwright's Death at the Bloomingdale Asylum.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Bartley Campbell, the well-known playwright, died at Bloomingdale Asylum for the insane yesterday afternoon.

He passed away peacefully, and death was so sudden that his friends, who had been hastily sent for, were not able to reach his bedside.

Mr. Campbell had been an inmate of the asylum for almost a year, suffering from paresis. He never recovered his senses after he was attacked by the dread malady while manager of the Fourteenth Street Theater. The funeral arrangements will probably be made to-morrow.

Mr. Campbell was born in Allegheny City, Penn., on August 12, 1843. In 1856 he entered a Pittsburg law office, but being an unpromising student he was sent home. He began to write for the Pittsburg Leader in 1858, and made campaign speeches for the Democratic party in 1863 and 1864. In 1868 he started the Evening Mail in Pittsburg and the following year the Southern Magazine in New Orleans. In 1870 he was the official reporter for the Lousiana House of Representatives.

His first play was a sensational drama called "Through Fire." It was produced in 1871 and ran four weeks. His next was "Peril," a comedy laid in Long Branch, brought out in 1872. Then in 1873 came "Fate," which was played in England by Charlotte Leclereq. "Risks" and the "Virginian," two others of his works, were played in England. The latter was brought out by Frank Mayo, who changed its name to "Van, the Virginian."

"Grau Uale" was produced in 1874, and "On the Rhine" at San Francisco in 1875. "The Big Bonanza," which was produced in 1875, was an adaptation of a German comedy called "Ultimo." It proved worthy of its name, for in four weeks it netted its adapter $16,000.

In 1876 Campbell went to England and wrote "A Heroine in Rags," and "How Women Love," which was produced in 1877. The latter was reconstructed as "The Vigilantes." In 1877-8 he wrote "Ollo," and in the following spring "Fairfax" or life in the Sunny South," which was brought out in 1879.

"The Galley Slave," was produced the same season, and all three were on the boards in that year. "Matrimony" was also written in the winter of 1879. Subsequently Mr. Campbell wrote and produced "My Geraldine," "White Slave," and "Siberia," which met with immediate success.

IS STANLEY DEAD?

A Suspicion That Exasperated Natives Have Killed Him.

LONDON, July 31.—The fate of Stanley continues to disturb the public mind and the discussion concerning his whereabouts, if alive, has been prolific of innumerable theories. The fact that Tippoo Tib is following Stanley is held to enhance the probability of his death in the minds of the pessimists.

Major Barttelot, commander of the camp at Aruwimi, and Professor Jamieson, the naturalist, are known to be good men and entirely capable, under ordinary circumstances, of rendering invaluable assistance to Stanley, but it is feared by those who know Tippoo Tib well that that chief, at the head of a small army under perfect control, has not been able to resist the temptation, always strong within him, to fight whenever an opportunity occurred, and upon the assumption that he has yielded to his belligerent instincts, it is believed that Stanley has been overwhelmed as the result of the exasperation of the natives which Tippoo has aroused.

HANNEN, DAY, SMITH.

The English Justices Who Will Investigate the Parnell Matter.

LONDON, July 31.—In the House of Commons last evening Mr. Sexton tried to get an amendment to the Parnell Investigation bill adopted providing for a commission of five judges instead of three. The House would not agree to it. During the discussion Mr. Smith, the Conservative leader, proposed that the commission should consist of Justices Hannen, Day and Smith.

There was a strong protest from Liberal and Irish members against Judge Day. It was said that he was so prejudiced against the Irish and Catholics as to be unfitted to serve as a member of the commission. His nomination was ratified, however, by a vote of 269 to 180. Justices Hannen and Smith were agreed to without a division.

JUDGE DUGRO WRECKED.

He and His Wife Thrown from Their Carriage at Long Branch.

LONG BRANCH, July 31.—There was a runaway down Ocean avenue last evening. Judge Dugro, of New York, and his wife and a lady friend were thrown violently from their carriage. Fortunately they were not seriously hurt. Their coachman was thrown against an iron fence rod and received a fatal injury. The carriage was smashed to kindling wood.

Mrs. Harry Pemberton was sitting in her carriage, which collided with the runaway. She was also thrown out and injured. Her horse ran across the lawn of the Hendricks cottage and was severely injured.

$20,000 IN BONDS.

A Man Robbed in Front of an Albany Bank.

ALBANY, July 31.—P. K. Diedrick, a manufacturer of Londonville, drove into Albany from that place yesterday morning. After transacting some business at the Mechanics and Farmers' Bank, he came out and laid a package containing $20,000 worth of bonds in his carriage.

A stranger engaged him in conversation about his horse while a confederate abstracted the bonds from the carriage seat.

One of the robbers has been captured in Troy and will be brought back here. The other escaped.

Death Caused by Suffocation.

DETROIT, July 31.—Miss Esther Ford, aged 22 years, sister of Congressman Ford, was smothered to death at Lansing Sunday night. She was suffering from toothache and had resource to chloroform, presumably for the purpose of securing sleep. The doctor's theory is that while the bottle did not contain sufficient to cause death, she inhaled enough to cause relaxation of the muscles of the throat, and that while in a stupor she dropped her head in such a position as to bring her face in the pillows and cause suffocation

TRICKED IMMIGRANTS.

Still More Terrible Tales of Swindling and Deception.

THEIR ITALY HOMES STOLEN.

Rascally Immigration Agents Who Almost Hold Mortgages on the Lives of Their Dupes—Even the Solace of Religious Rites Denied the Homeless Ones.

NEW YORK, July 31.—It was nearly 11 o'clock when the committee investigating immigration began its work. The first witness was Nicloa P. 'Aloe.

He came with a party of twelve or thirteen from the village of Palermo. They were induced to emigrate by representations that they could get work at at least $1.20 a day. He said that in Italy he worked for 10 or 15 francs a day and board.

In summer he had four meals a day and board, but if he could subsist on one meal a day his income would be 2 francs.

The witness, with wild gesticulations, told how one Saracini persuaded him and his comrades to come here. Saracini, the Neopolitan agent, consigned his human freight to one Benardini of 34 Mulberry street.

P'Aloe declared that when he arrived here he found no work and was kept from day to day on charity. He still owes the 250 francs that he contracted to give the Neapolitan agent for his prepaid ticket.

When asked if he was contented in Italy he answered in the affirmative. The Italian said that his people there were able to eke out an existence by garnering leavings from fields adjacent to their place of residence.

Although the witness has been living here since June 2 on charity, consisting of one meal a day and lodging from the Washington Street Benevolent Society and one meal per diem from another association, the name of which he did not recollect, he vigorously affirmed that he would not work for fifty cents a day.

To secure the agent who lured him here against loss he gave a mortgage on his winery in Palermo, agreeing to pay him the 250 francs advanced for fare.

He could raise the defence that the agent has not kept the agreement which he made when the mortgage was given, but as he has no money to defend the case he is powerless, and if the claim is not paid by the last of August the agent will take the money and turn P'Aloe's family adrift.

He made the astonishing statement that the Italian agent who brought him here has sent 400 such unfortunates as he to this country during the past four years. They were charged 250 francs for a passage that cost 116.

Three of his party of thirteen got work on their arrival at Castle Garden, but to secure it they had to pay a boss named Vincento Tella $8 each.

P'Aloe said he was not sure that Benardini and Tella work in collusion, but that when laborers are needed they help one another. The witness conceded that he had been arrested once, but said that he had been discharged without trial.

P'Aloe said that his means of getting spiritual food here had been about as limited as his chances for obtaining material sustenance.

Although he is religious he has been unable to attend church because he has not had the nickel demanded for the price of admission at each house of devotion he has visited.

Unintentionally he dropped into sarcasm as he said that Saricani, the grasping agent who lured him to America, is a good church member because he is a gentleman.

P'Aloe was the strongest type of condensed misery that had faced the Congressional inquirers, but he looked prosperous and placid compared with Giuseppi Buono, who followed him. He told substantially the same sorrowful story that his predecessor had given. He was one of 1,700 immigrants who came here last June on a steamship from Italy.

They had been assured that once here they would be sure to get work at the outset for six francs a day, but that if, by any unforseen circumstances, their expectations should fail to be realized, they would be able to get employment by applying to Signor Bernardini at 34 Mulberry street. He landed at Castle Garden with the munificient sum of 57 cents, which was depleted by the fee for exchange, and he has since been eking out a miserable existence as an object of charity.

He testified that he would be content with an income of 3 francs and 3 meals a day if he could get such a stipend, but if he should return to Italy it would take him at least four years to earn enough to pay Saricini the 250 francs which that philanthropist paid out for his fare to America.

In fact the generous agent has what amounts practically to a mortgage on him for life, unless he consents to live on next to nothing.

He stated that the sub-prefect of police of his district had warned Saricini to desist from trying to induce poor Italians to come to the United States.

The committee then examined a number of Italian stonecutters sent here under the contract system.

Mrs. Hoffman's Grave Indictment.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—In an address delivered at the Congregational church last evening Mrs. Clara Hoffman, the temperance advocate, said that money and party were the gods of the American people. She charged that failure of Congress to regard the petitions of 18,000,000 people for an investigation of the liquor traffic was due to the fact that Congress could be bought. She condemned the Protestant Church in its attitude toward liquor, and said that the courts were venal.

New Jersey Republicans.

TRENTON, July 31.—The Republicans of New Jersey will hold their State convention at Asbury Park on August 15. Special excursions have been arranged on the Morris and Essex and Pennsylvania railroads to accommodate the delegates from the different clubs about Jersey. Only clubs whose membership in the State league is perfected prior to August 15 are entitled to representation in the convention.

An Unknown Drowned Man.

NEW YORK, July 31.—The body of an unknown man was found in the river at the foot of East Twenty-sixth street at 9.15 a. m. He was about sixty-five years old, and was five feet seven inches tall. The hair is light brown, but the moustache mixed with gray and the eyes blue.

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BY THE WAY.

—Oh! for a Y. M. C. A. building.

—The regular monthly meeting of the Borough Council will be held on Friday evening of this week.

—An excursion from Philadelphia to Coney Island, went over the Central Railroad this morning in three sections.

—A regular meeting of the Tippecanoe Club will be held at the club's headquarters on East Front street, this evening.

—A carriage horse belonging to a North avenue liveryman, was killed on Saturday night. The animal had lockjaw, and thus rendered useless.

—Officer Lynch this morning gathered in a number of boys, who are charged with bathing in a nude state in the raceway, back of Fairchild's furniture store.

—The Supreme Court has given an important decision for travelers. It says that a person cannot be compelled to pay railroad fare if no seat is provided.—*Ex.*

—The opinion of the Supreme Court on the constitutionality of the High License Local Option law, it has been semi-officially announced, is to be handed down today.

—To-morrow evening at the T. A. B. Association Hall on West Fourth street, will be given the first grand concert and picnic, under the auspices of the T. A. B. society of this city.

—Two car loads of temperance people from Philadelphia passed through this city on Sunday morning, *en route* to Boston, where they will attend the National Temperance Convention.

—The idea is put forth that every Summer season seems on the whole to be more pleasant than the last. Such splendid weather as we have experienced suggests that our climate is improving.

—Campaign carriage whips are the latest novelty. The whips have small banners fastened to them above the handle, with the portraits of the Presidential candidates of either party on them.

—Mr. E.B.Ryder is to build a new house on Central avenue, near Third street. It is to be gothic in style, 24x44 feet in dimensions, two stories and attic. Mr. John Abbott is the builder and Mr. Jesse Oakley the architect.

—There is a decided decrease in the business at the dog pound. The hot weather is the most dangerous season in the year for hydrophobia, and the dog-catchers should at least exert themselves until the dog days are over.

—Architect Fosgate of North avenue, will have Mr. James W. Ferguson's new house, at Cranford, completed and ready for occupancy by the middle of next month. Its many superior points reflect great credit on the architect.

—The case of Mr. C. D. Paul vs. the First National Bank, will be ready for trial at the October term of the Union County Courts. The case is brought by Mr. Paul to recover $10,000 damages, for injuries received by falling down a flight of stairs in the bank building.

—The Summer boarders and others about Baskingridge and Bernardsville, amuse themselves every Wednesday evening at Geo. W. Poyer's dancing pavilion, erected on the Heath place, between those places. It is only open Wednesdays, when music is provided and refreshments served.

—The Prohibition voters of Somerset, Sussex, Hunterdon and Warren counties, comprising the Fourth Congressional District, have been called to choose delegates to a convention to be held in Somerset Hall, Somerville, N. J., August 23, at 10 A. M., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for Congress,

—An exchange very sensibly and truthfully remarks: Many merchants never cease advertising all the year round, and these business men do the profitable trade of the localities in which they operate. It is as necessary for a merchant to do systematic advertising during all seasons as it is for him to replenish his stock.

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—The City Council will hold its regular August meeting on Monday evening next.

—The regular monthly meeting of "Gazelle" engine company, occurs tomorrow evening at 8 o'clock.

—All the street lamps in the city were out for a few minutes at half-past nine o'clock last evening. An accident to the machinery at the Electric Light station, is said to have been the cause.

—A horse attached to a sulky, which is said to belong to a gentleman named Pond, ran away on North avenue last evening, and turning into Peace street, "spilled" the colored driver all over the ground. The animal was captured on Front street, with the sulky and harness intact.

Two Coons and a Khume.

The police have determined to put a stop to the dangerous practice of riding on coal trains, and hereafter those persons caught stealing rides will be fined or committed to the County Jail.

An East-bound coal train took the siding at Grant avenue, about seven o'clock last evening, and as it approached the station Officers Flannigan and Giesse noticed two colored boys and a white lad crouched down between the cars. The officers gave chase, and one of the colored boys was captured by Officer Fine, who was also on the spot. After searching for some time, Officer Flannigan discovered the white youth doubled up in one corner of a car. After another long search, and just as the train was about to start, the other colored boy was found secreted on the trucks under the coal car with his arms firmly fastened around the axle. The boys ages range from ten to fifteen years.

The boys were subsequently arraigned before Justice Nash, and committed for five days each. The colored boys each had a boot-blacking outfit, and claimed to be on their way from Wilkesbarre to Jersey City. The white boy claimed Elizabeth as his home, and turned out to be a brother of Charles Khume, who assaulted a fellow-workman near the Scott Press Works, recently.

Trotting on Saturday.

There were several interesting and exciting trial contests of speed on the track of the Gentlemen's Driving Park Association, on Saturday afternoon, and there was a large attendance of spectators present to witness the trotting. The Judges for the day were Messrs J. W. Johnson and W. F. Williams.

The first event was a race between Bert Darby's "Meteor," Nate Robins' "Doctor," and John Hayes' "Andy." Meteor" won two straight heats in 2.51 and 2.50. Mr. Robbins handled the reins over "Doctor" in an expert manner.

Then came two single mile heats between John Osborn's "Dry Dock," and William Van Syckle's "Sag Wah." Both heats were closely contested, but like some of the other trots, the deciding heat was omitted. "Dry Dock," won the first heat in 2.43, and "Sag Wah" the Second in 2.45.

The concluding race was the most exciting on the programme. It was between "Harry Mills," Mr. Mount Morris' well-known trotter, which trotted at Waverly in 2.24½, in a team race, last season, distancing all comers, and Mr. Shepherd's brown pacer. By skillfully handling the reins "Harry Mills" was shut out, and the pacer came in ahead. Time, 2.33.

North Plainfield Republican Meeting.

A meeting of the U. S. Grant Republican Club of North Plainfield, was held in Spencer's Hall, last evening, with President Chas. A. Reed in the chair. Fifteen new members were elected.

The Committee of Arrangements reported on the banner-raising and ratification meeting of Thursday evening last, and the treasurer reported a balance of about 200 in the treasury. Bills to the extent of $170 were ordered paid.

Assembly Ulrich, president of the Tippecanoe Club of this city, was present and extended an invitation to the club to attend the excursion to Sandy Hook, and the members were urged to go.

The Committee on Transparency reported that a transparency had been purchased and located in front of the club's headquarters.

The secretary was directed to notify the members of an important business meeting on Monday evening next, to which time the meeting adjourned.

To Proceed With the Work.

Two gentlemen, capitalists, from Bergen Heights, came to Plainfield today and entered into negotiations with the contractors and others holding claims against the property on Grove street, upon which the erection of a row of brick buildings was begun about a year ago, to assume the responsibility of the claims and to proceed with the work. The work was discontinued several months ago, on account of an undiscovered mortgage on the property.

The creditors met today and agreed to accept the proposition offered them, and the work of erecting the buildings will now proceed. The two gentlemen will again visit Plainfield on Friday, to complete their arrangements.

The Case Adjourned.

The case of Michael Weber of this city, against Mr. Warren Ackerman of Scotch Plains, to recover damages alleged to have been inflicted by the complainant's horse coming in contact with a barbed wire fence in front of the defendant's property, has been adjourned until Monday morning next at ten o'clock. The case was to have been tried before Justice Nodyne on Saturday.

WHO IS MRS. PENTON OF PLAINFIELD?

$400 Worth of Diamonds For $45.

Detective Sergeants Handy and Fogarty arrested William Saich, a jeweler, at No. 1250 Broadway, yesterday, on a charge of receiving stolen goods.

On May 17, Mrs. Julia A. Penton of Plainfield, N. J., was robbed of $700 worth of diamonds, and on the following day Pauline Meiseis, a domestic in Mrs. Penton's employ, disappeared. The case was put in the hands of Central Office detectives, and Pauline was arrested on suspicion, but afterwards discharged, as there was not enough evidence to hold her. About a week ago Miss Meiseis confessed to Mrs. Penton that she had stolen the diamonds and sold two of them, worth $400, to Mr. William Saich, a diamond broker at No. 1250 Broadway, for $45.

The case was then put in the hands of Detective Sergeants Handy and Fogarty, and Mr. Saich was arrested on a warrant yesterday. At first he admitted having bought the diamonds, but when he was arraigned in Jefferson Market Court he denied it, and said that his clerk purchased them without his knowledge.—*N. Y. Star.*

North Plainfield Township Committee Meeting.

A meeting of the North Plainfield Township Committee was held in Spencer's Hall, recently, all the members being present. Chairman Coddington was in the chair, and Clerk Horace J. Martin recorded the proceedings.

The minutes of the previous meeting were read, and upon motion approved.

The chairman reported on the fence which was recently erected along the race-way in the Notch, and submitted bills for the same as follows: Messrs. A. D. Cook & Bro., lumber, $28.91; Frank Mobus, work on fence, $43.30. The bills were ordered paid. Other claims were ordered paid as follows: Isaac Brokaw, for Collector's and Assessor's books, $15; H. J. Martin, for services and stationery, $14.37; W. R. Codington, salary as Township Counsel, $15.85.

The treasurer was upon motion authorized to attend to the bonds ($3,500) falling due on August 1, and to pay the interest on the same.

An appropriation of $30 was made for repairs on the roads in Road District No. 3, the work to be sold to the lowest bidder.

The meeting then adjourned.

Let Her Go, Gallagher!

TO THE EDITOR OF THE PRESS:—The carrier pigeon spoken of in last night's issue of THE DAILY PRESS, was caught by myself on Wednesday last at 10 A. M. It fell exhausted on the porch of the house where I was working. I kept him during the day, fed and watered him, and released him on Thursday evening, but he was still tired and weak and only flew a short distance and stopped at Gallagher's. It is still in his possession.

The marks were as follows: On right wing was the number 300; a brass band on the left leg marked 4 G R., and a rubber band on the left leg, marked 78. If any information is obtained of the stray bird please address me,

ULYSSES G. TINGLEY,
Box, 161. Dunellen, N. J.

The Cranford Regatta.

The first regatta and river entertainment of the Cranford River Improvement Association took place yesterday afternoon. Commodore Charles Leo Abry had an oversight of affairs. The programme included double scull, upset canoe race, tub race, single scull and swimming match.

The Association has a membership of nearly one hundred, and much interest is manifested in river matters. The officers are as follows: President, Charles L. Abry; Vice President, P. D. Van Saun; Secretary, Charles M. Robins; Treasurer, G. Harry Miller.

Meeting of the City Republican Association.

A regular meeting of the City Republican Association was held in the Republican Association rooms on East Front street, last evening, and was largely attended. President Pope was in the chair. The minutes of the last meeting were read and approved, and the report of the committee on the recent ratification meeting was adopted.

Delegates and alternates to the State Convention were elected, after which the meeting adjourned.

Mr. Lerned Leaves Point Pleasant.

A Newark paper yesterday, contained the following: "The butchers and other tradesmen of Point Pleasant, are regretting the sudden departure of F. T. Lerned, the late proprietor of the Resort House, who left on Saturday morning, owing about $2,000. Mr. Lerned is a resident of Plainfield, N. J. He rented the Resort House for the Summer season from the Point Pleasant Land Improvement Company, who leased it for $2,500; and soon ran deeply in debt."

A Good Ball Game To-Morrow.

The Y. M. C. A. Crescents will play the Utica Base Ball nine of Brooklyn, on the East Front street grounds, to-morrow afternoon, at 3:30 o'clock.

A specially good game may be expected, as the Brooklyns have won thirteen games this season.

Children Cry for It.

If a child will take a medicine with pleasure, you may know that it is not in any way offensive to the taste. Children like HAMBURG FIGS, and it is no longer necessary to disgust them with castor oil. 25 cents. Dose, one fig. J. G. Miller, Agent, Plainfield.

BLACK GOODS. BLACK GOODS.

THE demand for this popular line of goods is increasing daily. We are showing a very nice assortment, at prices that will compare favorably with New York houses, and invite any one in need of BLACK GOODS to examine our stock and prices, and see if we cannot make it to your interest to purchase at home.

WE show a splendid line of "CASHMERES." Prices are from 50c to $1 00 per yard, every particle wool and of the very BEST BLACK. All Wool and Silk and Wool "HENRIETTAS." Prices are from 85c to $1 75 per yard. "NUNSVEILING", for Dresses and Veilings. Prices are from 75c to $1 10 per yard. "WHIPCORDS," "DAMASSE," "DRATATA," "CAMEL'S HAIR," "ALBATROS," "COURTAULD'S CRAPE," "BLACK GROS GRAIN SILKS," guaranteed all right both as to quality and price—from $1 00 to $2 25 per yard. "SATINS," "SURAH SILKS," "MORIE SILKS," etc., etc.

"FAST BLACK HOSIERY," that will not Crock nor Fade, and will wear well, too.

EDSALL'S, No. 20 West Front St. 5-18-tf **EDSALL'S.**

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BECAUSE WE HAVE REDUCED OUR PRICES. THIS LOUNGE WE HAVE BEEN SELLING FOR $8 00. ALL OUR LOUNGES AND COUCHES ARE MARKED DOWN TO KEEP COMPANY WITH THIS REMARKABLE REDUCTION.

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CLOSE—7.30 a. m. and 4.30 p. m.
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Arrive at 5.10 a. m. Office open from 9.30 a. m. to 10.30 a. m. Mail closes at 7 p. m.

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Post Office opens at 7 a. m. and closes at 7.30 p. m. Saturdays closes at 8.00 p. m. Open every evening until 8.30 p. m., to owners of lock boxes.

Owners of lock-boxes coming without their keys will please apply for their mail at the Side Delivery Window. Office Closed after 10 A.M. on all National Holidays.

Money order office open from 8 a. m. to 5 p. m. Saturdays to p. m.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

List of Advertised Letters

Remaining in the Plainfield Post Office for the week ending July 25, 1888.

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Anderson, Augustus	Monroe, Miss Sarah
Abbot, Miss E. R.	Marsh, W. J.
Ashworth, Robert	McKinley, W. G.
Boutin, A. C.	Moore, Miss Maria
Brown, Mrs. T.	McDanald, M.
Brokaw, Miss Mary	Morris, Mrs. Jas. T.
Benton, W. S.	Missen, Christian
Bloomfield, Miss Lulu	Oakley, Miss Sadie
Carolan, Mr. J.	Phillips, Mrs. Hattie
Clark, Mrs. Jas	Randolph, Mrs. E.
Crooke, G. L.	Rannon, Miss Florence
Davenport, Mrs. W. E.	Randolph, Mrs. Sarah 2
Dickson, Mrs. Thos.	Runyon, Mrs. S. R.
Fillerson, Mrs. Sophie	Ramsey, Harry K.
Evans, Miss May	Savage, Miss Ellen
Everetts Sr. Everetts	Stewart Jr, Edward W.
Evans, Miss H. D.	Strauli, Frank
Gardner, C. H.	Soule, C. W. 2
Guild, Miss Angie R.	Strow, Miss Ida
Gindy, Miss Maggie	Smalley, H. F.
Grogan, Miss Maggie	Strow, Mrs. Hulda
Horton, F. C.	Thorp, Emily
Hill, Mrs. Jennie	Thorn, Miss Eva
Hillyer, Miss J.	Willston, Miss Alice
Huebner, John	Weber, Miss Alma
Haviland, M. J.	Williams, Master Robie
Janson, Alf 2	Wilbust, Mrs
Kiernan, Jas F.	Wesson L. E.
Kelley, Miss Grace	Werner, Miss Jennie
Morris, F. M.	

Persons will ask for advertised letters when calling for them.

W. L. FORCE, Postmaster.

DEATHS.

BOICE—At Newtown, on Sunday, July 29, 1888, Margaret, widow of the late Deacon Insley Boice, aged 75 years, 9 months and 12 days. Funeral services from the residence of her son-in-law, John P. Steele, at Newtown, on Wednesday, at 3 o'clock P. M. 2

BOHLEY—Daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bohley, aged 1 month and 12 days. Funeral from her late residence, 56 Plainfield avenue, to-morrow, at 3 o'clock P. M.

WANTS AND OFFERS.

Advertisements under his heading, one cent for each word, each insertion.

WANTED—Girl for general housework, corner Willow and Sycamore avenues. Mrs. Milne.

WANTED—To rent, a small farm in vicinity of Plainfield. Address, S. H. V., PRESS office, Plainfield, N. J. 7-30-3

WANTED—By a man with some experience in the grocery business, a situation in a store, or any steady employment where a sober, trusty man is needed. Address, "Clerk," Succasunna, N. J.

FOR SALE—Two fine full-blooded Mastiffs, (pups.) Must be sold at once. Enquire at 35 LaGrande avenue. 7-31-2

BICYCLE WANTED—54 inch. Call at THE PRESS office. 7-27-tf

BOARDERS taken at No. 210 W. Front street—opposite Potter's and near Pond's works. 7-26-6

TWO Gentlemen can be accommodated with large pleasant room and board, at 31 West Second street; also two table boarders. 7-26-tf

$225.00—$10 Cash and $5 a month—will buy a lot on Webster Place, near Putnam avenue. Apply to V. W. Nash, 53 Park avenue. 7-19-tf

WANTED—All persons having Real Estate or personal property, of every description, to sell at Auction, to address, for terms, H. Hand, Auctioneer, Lock Box 71, Scotch Plains, N. J. 6-4-tf

TO LET—Second story front room and hall room adjoining, and back parlor, with board, to gentleman and wife, or single parties, and table board, at 33 East 5th street. 5-7-tf

THE CELEBRATED LUCCA SWEET OIL, BY the gallon, imported by L. Paoli, fruit dealer, No. 16 North Ave. 2-7-tf

FURNISHED ROOMS, FOR GENTLEMEN only, over the Post Office. ELIZABETH SCHORB. 9-22-tf

FOR SALE—A SECOND-HAND, TWO HORSE "Peerless" power. In good order. Sold cheap, for want of use. Apply S. B. WHEELER, Netherwood Farm, Plainfield N. J. 6-22-tf

FOR SALE—THE LOT SOUTH-EAST CORNER of Jackson ave. and Somerset street, about 160 feet square. For price and terms apply to O'Reilly Bros., Archt's and Storage Warehouse, from 109 to 123 E. 44th street, N. Y. city. my20tf

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Carpenters and Builders.
RESIDENCE—W. J. Pearson, Vine St., near Emily St. H. E. Gayle, No. 84 E. 2d St.
W. J. PEARSON. [P. O. Box 1,421.] H. E. GAYLE. 7-31-tf

NEW JERSEY BREEDERS.

The Third Annual Trotting Meeting of the N. J. Association of

Trotting Horse Breeders,

Will be held at **SOMERVILLE, Wednesday and Thursday, Aug. 15 and 16, 1888.** Four races each day.

The Classes are well filled. Some of the best trotting produce of the State will appear.

First race called at 1:30 P. M., each day.

A. V. SARGEANT, Pres't.

JOS. W. BALLANTINE, GEORGE WILDE, Vice Presidents; CHAS. BASSINI, Treas.; E. S. EDWARDS, Sec'y. 7-31-8-7-11-14

LAING & NELSON EXCURSION

TO

LONG BRANCH and OCEAN GROVE, WEDNESDAY, AUG. 1, '88.

Leave Plainfield 8:25 A. M.

Returning, leave Ocean Grove 7 P. M.

Tickets for sale at E. M. Laing's Hat Store, Park avenue, C. R. R. Ticket office, and on the train. 7-14-tf

FIRST GRAND

CONCERT AND PICNIC!

Under the auspices of

St. Mary's T. A. B. Society,

In their NEW HALL,

Corner Fourth and Liberty Streets,

On the evening of

THURSDAY, AUGUST 2.

The new city Cornet Band, under the leadership of Profs. Conde and Neilson, will give a

Grand Open Air Concert.

DANCING will also be a feature of the occasion. Music by Prof. Cahill, of Elizabethport, N. J.

ADMISSION.....25 Cents.

Tickets to be had at the door. 7-23-7

R. W. RICE & Co.,

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FINE GROCERIES,

Fruits and Vegetables

IN THEIR SEASON.

North Plainfield, - New Jersey.

CORNER DUER & EMILY STREETS. 1-12-tf

At the CITY PHARMACY.

The new drink, **Milk Shake**, shakes the most delightful, refreshing drink ever introduced.

From the *Purest Fruit Juices* we are dispensing delicious COLD SODA.

Our New Fountain is one of the latest designs, with a double set of Ice Coolers and Glass tanks. Running Water for washing Soda Glasses.

CITY PHARMACY DENTINE—whitens and beautifies the Teeth.

Our BEEF, IRON AND WINE strengthens and tones up the system. 50 cents per bottle.

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Flannel Shirts in Soft Goods and Soft Shades;

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9-20-y

NEW BARBER SHOP.

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The balance of this Season's

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Marked at very LOW PRICES to effect a speedy clearance.

SHOT DOWN!

We will sell for a

SHORT TIME,

Drop Shot, per bag 25 lbs., $1.45.
Chilled " " " " " " $1.70.

Fishing Tackle, Silk and Linen Lines,

Split Bamboo and Lancewood Rods.

A Nice Rod for the BOYS. 18cts.

Music & Sporting Goods as Usual.

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At 33 PARK AVE.,
(Successors to A. Vanderbeek.)
PLAINFIELD, N. J.
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SEBRING BROS.,

Clothiers & Tailors,

North Avenue

[FORCE'S HOTEL BLOCK.] 4-4-y

Howell & Hardy,

Fancy and Staple Groceries,

CHOICE TEA, COFFEE AND SPICES.

Creamery and Dairy Butter

FRUITS, VEGETABLES, &c.,

North Avenue, Opposite Depot,

PLAINFIELD, N. J.
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BUTTER, EGGS, AND PRODUCE,

MEATS OF ALL KINDS,

Fruits and Vegetables in their Season

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Goods Delivered to any part of the city. 8-2-tf

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ICE CREAM FREEZERS,

AT

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Cor. Front Street and Park Avenue. 10my1

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FISHER & MONFORT'S,

And see the new styles in **Children's Pictures.**

CABINETS, $3.50 PER DOZEN.

Club tickets for sale.

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Boots and Shoes,

LOW PRICES.

At G. W. Force's.

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FOOTWALKS, with or without Curbing, CARRIAGE and ROADWAYS, STABLES, with Horse and Carriage Wash, CELLAR FLOORS, ETC., all made of the *BEST IMPORTED PORTLAND CEMENT.* All kinds of Tiling set at short notice. OFFICE—31½ WEST FRONT ST. P. O. Box 962. Thirty years of practical experience.

W. H. WARNER. 5-26-6m

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31 WEST FRONT STREET,
16 NORTH AVENUE, (Paoli's Stand.)

I would respectfully inform the citizens of Plainfield that I have stocked both the above stores with *FIRST-CLASS GOODS* and solicit a share of patronage.

LUSARDI GUATELLI. 6-18-tf

WHAT HARRISON THINKS OF A LABORING MAN.

"A Dollar a Day, and Bread, Butter and Sow-Belly, Enough For a Workingman."

A correspondent of the New York *Herald*, on Thursday of last week, interviewed Edwin F. Gould, of the Indiana Knights of Labor, upon the subject of Benjamin Harrison's past position towards the workingman.

Mr. Gould was asked why the Indianapolis *Journal*, Mr. Harrison's organ; had not been required to pay over the $2.000 it offers for proof that Benjamin Harrison said "Where he the Governor he would force the strikers back at the point of the bayonet," and that "$1 per day was enough for any workingman?"

"The truth of the matter is," said Mr. Gould, "the editor of the *Journal* is so well-known among workingmen that everybody is suspicious of his motive."

"In what way could he injure those testifying?"

"He would not only declare the proof insufficient, but would pursue those giving testimony until they were victimized out of employment, which he has done upon numerous occasions."

THE TESTIMONY OF EYE-WITNESSES.

"What evidence have you that Mr. Harrison's statements concerning the strikers are correct?"

"I have a statement from a prominent engineer, a member of the Brotherhood now running an engine on one of the Eastern roads entering Indianapolis, which says that he, with six others, heard Mr. Harrison address the strikers at a meeting which was addressed by ex-Mayor Cavin, a Republican, and ex-Mayor Mitchel, a Democrat, and followed by Mr. Harrison, in which he said:—'Go back to your work. You are not loyal citizens. You are injuring yourselves, and are not entitled to fair consideration while you persist in destroying commerce by stopping the wheels of transportation. Go back to your work and then we will meet with you and arbitrate this matter while everything is calm.'

"At this Mr. Harrison was loudly hissed. Engineer Sayre arose and said:—'General, we didn't come here to be insulted.'

"Mr. Harrison then continued, and being considerably provoked at the remarks and hisses from the audience became very harsh and plain in his language, making use of the following words:—

"'If you don't go back to your work you will be mowed down, and were I the Governor I would force you back or you would be shot down like dogs.'"

"Do you mean to say," asked the correspondent, "that he used this language in a speech while he himself was a public man and a prospective candidate?"

"Yes. He had just been defeated for Governor, in which a backwoodsman, Blue Jeans' Williams, was elected, and the workingmen were responsible for his (Mr. Harrison's) defeat. This made him very angry and he had no patience with that class who fought him so bitterly at the pools."

"A DOLLAR A DAY ENOUGH."

"Did Mr. Harrison say anything concerning the dollar a day at this meeting?"

"Yes. He was not satisfied after being hissed until he had emptied himself of everything stored up for the occasion. He is said to have come to the meeting considerably vexed because Governor Williams had ignored him upon the question of militia—and when he got even with the strikers after they had hissed him, the entire audience arose and started out of the room. Ex-Senator McDonald, who resides on adjoining property to that of Mr. Harrison, arose from his seat upon the platform, and appealed to the audience to remain and hear Mr. Harrison through. He claimed not to have heard the offensive remarks of his neighbor, owing to his attention being attracted at the time they were made. Mr. Harrison at last obtained further attention of the audience and went on:—

"'Your wages afford you a living. Workingmen do not need pie, cake or sugar. All these are luxuries that you seldom enjoy. A dollar a day and two meals, consisting of good bread, butter and sow belly is enough for any workingman.'"

FACTS AND FIGURES.

"Does Mr. Harrison deny these statements?"

"No, he does not. His friends do this for him. To prove his attitude we will go by the figures. Conceding that actions speak louder than words, he must admit what has been charged to be absolutely true. In 1773 the wages of yardmen were $1.75; in 1877 they were down to $1 per day, having been cut three times since 1873, a cut of twenty-five cents each. These wages are shown by the pay roll. The railroad companies did not and do not deny this fact. Mr. Harrison, who was appointed upon a citizens' committee to try and reconcile the men and the railroad companies, was at the time the regularly salaried attorney of one of the principal roads in the controversy. He had to work for the interest of the railroads and against the men. When these figures were show him and he saw that the paltry sum of $1 per day was all that was allowed switchmen, and upon being urged by the men and the remainder of the committtee to stand by the strikers, he signified his disapproval of the course they had pursued and urged them to break ranks and return to work. Was this not an admission that he believed $1 a day and two meals sufficient when he condemned the men for quitting work because they could not get more than $1 per day without any meals? Indeed, his actions condemn him even more than his assertions. But the worst part he played in the controversy was the willing manner in which he deceived the citizens by accepting a position at the head of a committee appointed as a citizens' committee while he himself was in the employ of the railroads in the capacity of attorney, with no other motive in view than to break the strike in the interest of the railroad companies. The citizens did not know this and trusted him. He had solicited an appointment on the committee in order to be in a better position to aid the railroad companies and defeat the strikers."

PARTICULAR MENTION.

Miss Florence Titsworth of Madison avenue, started for Westerly, R. I., today.

Mr. Wm. H. Sampson's family have gone to Pine Bush, New York, for three weeks.

The Misses Holmes of East Fifth street, have gone to Newburyport, Mass., for a few weeks.

Mr. Will F. Williams of Madson avenue, will spend the coming ten days at Westerly, R. I.

Mrs. H. J. Martin and children of North Plainfield, are visiting at Fieldville in Somerset county.

Rev. Father James Connolly, of Connecticut, is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Thos. Flynn, of Madison avenue.

Mrs. S. A. Wallace and Miss Ida Williams will be registered after today at the Seaside Sanitarium, Asbury Park.

Mr. S. H. Jacobus and family of East Front street, leave for Blue Mountain Lake in the Adirondacks, to-morrow.

Mr. J. N. Schenck and family of North Plainfield, have retnrned from a three week's camping-out at Atlantic Highlands.

Messrs. Dan Randolph, F. A. Dunham and F. S. Randolph went fishing to Princess Bay on Sunday last. Sixty fish was the catch, including weak fish and sea bass.

An infant daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Bohley of Plainfield avenue, died yesterday of cholera infantum. The funeral will take place from the house tomorrow at 3 P. M.

Miss Anna Buckley of West Fourth street, accompanied by her cousin, Miss Sarah Murphy of New York, leave town to-morrow for a six weeks' trip to Miss Buckley's home in the Catskills.

The "Infants" and the "Dwarfs" played a hotly contested game of ball this afternoon on 6th St. The game stood 5 to 3 in favor of the "Dwarfs." After the game peanuts and taffy were indulged in.

The Misses Demarest of Fifth street, will spend the month of August at Hempstead, L. I., the guests of their sister, Mrs. C. E. Dunn, wife of the pastor of the First Presbyterian church of New York.

Mr. E. B. Ryder returned on Saturday last from a few days visit at Westport, Conn. While there he was the guest of Mr. R. G. Sanford, New York agent for the Winchester Repeating Arms Company.

Mr. Edwin L. Foster, city editor of *The Bayonne Herald*, Bergen Point, and Mr. J. W. Rushton, of the New Jersey Boat Building Company, Bergen Point, were guests of ex-Councilman S. C. Ryder, last evening.

The condition of Mr. Frazee Lee, of Two Bridges, which has before been noticed in these columns, remains unchanged. Mr. Lee has been lying at the point of death for several days past, with no possible chance of recovery.

Messrs. Mansfield Duckworth, Dudley Miller and Horace Huff, have returned from Asbury Park. They brought with them a tanned complexion, but no fish. The former has accepted a position in Messrs. Doane & Van Arsdale's shoe store on West Front street.

Some of the Best Trotting of the Season.

The 3d Annual Meeting of the N. J. Association of Trotting Horse Breeders, will be held at Somerville, during Wednesday and Thursday, August 15 and 16. The following is a list of the stakes:

First Day—No. 1, East Lynne Farm Stakes—for foals of 1885; No. 5, Somerset Farm Stakes—for foals of 1884; No. 7, Mount Pleasant Farm Stakes—for stallions which have no record; No. 8, Members' Stakes—$35 each; free to all 2:30 horses.

Second Day—No. 2, Fashion Stud Farm Stakes—for foals of 1886; No. 3, President's Stakes—for foals of 1887; No. 4, Stakes for horses that have not beaten 2:37½; No. 6, Stakes for stallions that have not beaten 2:25.

The above classes are all well filled, and there will not be a single walk-over. The best trotting produce of the State will appear in the lists. First race called at 1:30 P. M., each day.

The officers of the Association are: A.V. Sargeant, President; Jos. W. Ballantine, Berge Wilde, Vice Presidents; Charles Bassini, Treasurer; E. S. Edwards, Secretary.

To-Morrow's Excursion.

Messrs. Laing & Nelson's excursion to Long Branch, Asbury Park and Ocean Grove, to-morrow, will doubtless prove an enjoyable event, and the present indications are that the excursion will be largely patronized. The train will leave this city at 8:30 A. M., and returning will leave Ocean Grove at 7 P. M., thus allowing ample time at the beach. The local train leaving Dunellen at 8:10 A. M., Evona at 8:13 and Grant Avenue at 8:15 A. M., will connect with the excursion train in this city. Those who have attended these popular excursions in former years, know of what high order they are.

General Telegraphic Despatches.

THE PRESIDENT.

Mr. Cleveland and Party Exchange Their Yacht for a Train.

NEW YORK, July 31.—President Cleveland, who has been the guest of Joseph S. Ickney on the steam yacht Susquehanna, passed Sunday night, after an extended cruise around Long and Block Islands, at Glen Cove, L. I., and departed last night in the special car Idlewild for Washington half an hour after midnight.

At 11.30 the Chandler landed the President, Dan Lamont, Smith M. Weed and Don Dickinson at the Adams Express Company's dock, Jersey City, and the four fishermen walked to their car, which was placed directly behind the baggage car on the 12.30 express.

No spectators save newspaper men recognized the party which straggled along, Lamont in front and Mr. Cleveland following with Mr. Dickinson, while Mr. Weed guarded the rear.

The President wore a gray suit and high white hat hat and looked sunburnt. He carried a light overcoat over his arm, an umbrella swung in his left hand. The President stepped on board the car first, Lamont standing back respectfully as he did so, and the entire party at once took possession of the reception room in the centre of the Idlewild and removing their hats gave themselves up to comfort.

At 12.30 the train pulled out. By a curious coincidence the car directly behind the distinguished party was called the "President."

MARION, Mass., July 31.—Mrs. Cleveland took a plunge in the sea before the average Marion visitor had sat down to breakfast and about 10 o'clock Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Folsom, Miss Bronson and the Gilders went driving, Mrs. Cleveland occupying the box.

The party went to Rochester and inspected George Delano's gardens and orchards. In the afternoon the sloop yacht Allie, Capt. Royal S. Ryder, took Mrs. Cleveland, Mrs. Folsom, Mr. and Mrs. Percy Browne, Miss Bronson, Miss Harwood, Master Van Rennsalier, Mr. and Mrs. Gilder and the Underwood youngsters out for a sail. Supper was eaten on board. About 9 p. m. the party landed and returned home.

CONSULTATION.

Democrats Putting Heads Together—The Blaine Demonstration.

NEW YORK, July 31.—Chairman Brice, of the Democratic Campaign Committee, took a run out of town on Saturday night and did not return until last night. The headquarters were closed all day on Sunday, as it is the intention of the pious Democrats to do no work on the Sabbath—not even campaign work. William H. Barnum, chairman of the National Committee, also returned last night, and he and Mr. Brice, Erskine M. Phelps, of Illinois; O. M. Barnes, of Michigan; William L. Scott, of Pennsylvania; Miles Ross, of New Jersey; Arthur Sewell, of Maine; Arthur P. Gorman, of Maryland; J. J. Richardson, of Iowa, and Herman Oelrichs, of New York, were in consultation all the afternoon, in which the matters that are to come before the Executive Committee to-day were fully discussed.

Republican enthusiasts now claim that there will be 100,000 men in line in the big Blaine parade. The arrangements for the demonstration are nearly completed and will be formally announced to-day. Gen. Oliver Sumner Teall, the grand marshall's aide, will be at the headquarters of the Republican County Committee every day for a week, from 9 A. M. to 10 P. M., attending the arrangements.

Mr. Blaine leaves Liverpool to-morrow on the steamship City of New York, and will reach here on the 7th or earlier.

Sunday Ball Playing.

BUFFALO, July 31.—President Cushman has called a meeting of the International Baseball League at the Genesee House, Buffalo, on Thursday morning to consider the question of Sunday ball playing. Mr. Cushman says the Rochester and Syracuse clubs violated the constitution by Sunday's game. All the Canadian Clubs in the League have sent in protests against the practice.

Mr. O'Brien Wins His Case.

DUBLIN, July 31.—The libel action William O'Brien against the Cork Constitution has resulted in a verdict in favor of Mr. O'Brien for £100 damages. He claimed £5,000. Mr. O'Brien left Cork for Dublin last night. A great crowd assembled at the railway station to see him depart, and much enthusiasm was displayed.

King Christian Welcomes the Kaiser.

COPENHAGEN, July 31.—The Danish squadron met the German fleet at 9 o'clock this morning. King Christian and the Crown Prince went on board the Hohenzollern and were received with a hearty greeting by the Emperor.

Baseball Games Played Monday.

LEAGUE GAMES.

AT NEW YORK.

Washington	0	0	2	0	2	1	3	1	0	9
New York	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	1

AT BOSTON.

Boston	0	0	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	3
Philadelphia	0	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	3	4

AT PHILADELPHIA.

Athletics	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	2
Kansas City	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

AT CHICAGO.

Chicago	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	4	7
Pittsburg	0	0	4	0	0	3	2	0	0	8

AT DETROIT.

Detroit	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	5
Indianapolis	0	3	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	6

AT CLEVELAND.

Cleveland	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1
St. Louis	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0

ASSOCIATION GAMES.

AT BALTIMORE.

Baltimore	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	1
Louisville	0	0	2	2	0	0	1	0	0	5

How the Ball Clubs Stand.

The base-ball clubs in the National League and the American Association, including games played on July 30, stand as follows:

LEAGUE.	Won.	Lost.	ASSOCIATION.	Won.	Lost.
Detroit	47	28	Brooklyn	51	26
New York	47	28	St. Louis	50	28
Chicago	46	31	Cincinnati	47	29
Boston	37	40	Athletic	44	30
Philadelphia	34	39	Baltimore	33	44
Pittsburg	30	40	Louisville	29	47
Indianapolis	29	45	Cleveland	28	48
Washington	28	46	Kansas City	22	52

NEW YORK MARKETS.

Prices at the Close of Business on Monday Afternoon.

Chic. & Northwest	111¾
Chic. Burl'n & Quincy	115⅝
Del. Lack. and West	134½
Lake Shore	92⅜
Missouri Pacific	78⅞
N. J. Cent	80½
New York Central	105⅝
New York Lake Erie & West	46
New York & New England	42⅜
Philadelphia & Reading	64⅛
Pac. Mail	35⅝
St. Paul	92⅜
Union Pacific	69⅝
Western Union	79⅛
Oil	80⅜

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Bare-Knuckle Mauler Masterson Knocks Out Duke-Waver Cummins.

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Captain John Hall was chosen referee. After sixteen hard and bloody rounds Masterson was declared the victor.

Masterson in the last round ended the fight by swinging his right on Masterson's stomach, knocking him out. He lay all in a heap and it was fully ten minutes before he regained his senses. Both men presented a horrible appearance.

Bavaria's Centennial.

MUNICH, July 31.—Special services were held in all the churches yesterday in honor of the 100th anniversary of the birth of Ludwig I. The Prince Regent, the members of the royal family, the members of the municipal government, the Papal Nuncio and all the foreign diplomats attended service in the Church of St. Boniface. Many wreaths were placed on Ludwig I.'s tomb.

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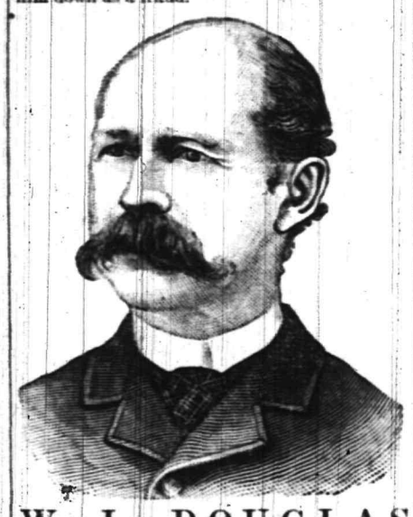

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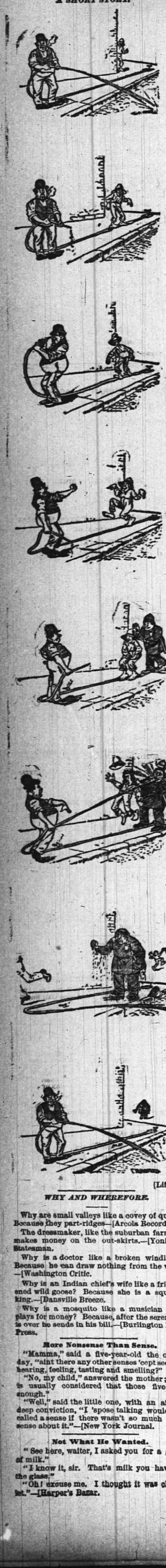

[Life.

WHY AND WHEREFORE.

Why are small valleys like a covey of quail? Because they part-ridges.—[Arcola Record.

The dressmaker, like the suburban farmer, makes money on the out-skirts.—[Yonkers Statesman.

Why is a doctor like a broken windlass? Because he can draw nothing from the well. —[Washington Critic.

Why is an Indian chief's wife like a frightened wild goose? Because she is a squawking.—[Dansville Breeze.

Why is a mosquito like a musician who plays for money? Because, after the serenade is over he sends in his bill.—[Burlington Free Press.

More Nonsense Than Sense.

"Mamma," said a five-year-old the other day, "aint there any other senses 'cept seeing, hearing, feeling, tasting and smelling?"

"No, my child," answered the mother; "it is usually considered that those five are enough."

"Well," said the little one, with an air of deep conviction, "I 'spose talking would be called a sense if there wasn't so much nonsense about it."—[New York Journal.

Not What He Wanted.

"See here, waiter, I asked you for a glass of milk."

"I know it, sir. That's milk you have in the glass."

"Oh! excuse me. I thought it was chalk-lot."—[Harper's Bazar.

FASHION NOTES.

FACE veils now drop below the chin.

THE English toque is much worn in Paris.

ALL jackets have very short basques now.

LATE summer hats look like moving flower gardens.

WITH gowns of wash fabrics come parasols to match.

PERCALE and challies in small patterns are much worn.

DRESSY jackets are worn with plain gowns by fashionable girls.

WHAT is called the redingote gown is growing in popular favor.

CARVED amber bracelets are seen among late novelties in jewelry.

THERE are evidences of a return to fashionable favor of real lace.

GREENS and browns in all shades seem to be the favorite color this summer.

PALEST baby blue and black is a fashionable color combination at the moment.

A NOVELTY in silver pocket flasks is in the form of a crab entangled in a fisher's net.

CAPOTES are very small, but bonnets grow larger as the summertide flows on to autumn.

PALE buff Corah is the latest fancy in China silks, and it can be easily cleaned as cotton stuffs.

VERY small blackbirds are seen among the other trimmings of black lace hats and bonnets.

THE bodice without any basque is almost universally favored by fashionable dressmakers.

THE world of dressmakers and designers has become history crazed in the matter of new costumes.

THE objectionable features in this summer's styles are that skirts are two short before and too long behind.

FINE armure silks in birds-eye patterns are in the looms of France in preparation for next summer's wear.

A NEW shade of tawny yellow is tiger lily. It is seen in new tulles, gauzes and piece lace for evening gowns.

ELABORATE hats, bonnets and wraps, but gowns of extreme simplicity are the rule for this summer's fashions.

THE latest fancy parasol has a handle covered with leather—red, blue or white—and it is silver capped or mounted.

THE latest summer wraps are capes of black beaded net, or of lace or plain net, trimmed with a profusion of narrow moire ribbon.

FINELY dotted nainsook muslins, with one selonge scallopped, are made up into dainty dresses for watering place wear by the best dressmakers.

TAN-COLORED shoes are the "fad" of the fashionable on the other side, both men and women wearing them on occasions when they seem out of place.

A LATE fancy in Paris is the wearing in the hair of tortoise-shell combs and pins with heads of faceted steel flowers that look like diamonds by gas light.

YOKES of all kinds—square, round and pointed, smocked and tucked, plain and braided, and half-yokes—are all fashionable on children's dresses and coats.

A GOLDEN-BRONZE straw hat trimmed with hop blossoms, clover and dandelion flowers run to seed is the first fall offering of millinery seen in a millinery parlor.

AMONG the prettiest dressy jackets worn are those of heavy net lined with colored, black or white surah, and trimmed with lace to match ribbons and rain fringes.

THE dresses called and worn as Empire gowns look very little like those worn by the Empress Josephine, for many of them are parodies of that tasteful woman's attire.

THE great bunches of flowers seen on late summer hats are composed mostly of morning glories, poppies and tiny sunflowers. The linings are either bright yellow or black velvet. The ribbon loops match the lining.

GOOD MANNERS.

NEVER try to outshine, but to please.

NEVER press a favor where it seems undesired.

NEVER intrude ill health, pains, losses or misfortunes.

NEVER unavoidably wound the feelings of a human being.

NEVER talk or laugh aloud in public places or upon the street.

NEVER forget that vulgarity has its origin in ignorance or selfishness.

NEVER urge another to do anything against his desire unless you see danger before him.

Do not ask another to do what you would not be glad to do under similar circumstances.

NEVER omit to perform a kind act when it can be done with any reasonable amount of exertion.

NEVER needlessly wound the vanity of another or dilate unnecessarily upon disagreeable subjects.

Do not make witticisms at the expense of others which you would not wish to have made upon yourselves.

REMEMBER that good manners are thoughts filled with kindness and refinement and then translated into the behavior.

BE not ostentatious in dress or deportment: nothing can be more vulgar. See that costumes fit the time and occasion.

BE rude to none; rudeness harms not even the humblest and poorest to whom it is directed, but it injures the exhibitors.

NEVER treat superiors with servility or inferiors with arrogance. Speak as kindly to a day laborer as to one occupying a high position.

ALWAYS give precedence to elders, visitors and superiors. Offer them the best seat at the table, the best place by the fire and the first of everything. Go farther than mere form and see that they are comfortable and happy.

THEIR START IN LIFE.

NORVIN GREEN was a country doctor in Kentucky forty years ago.

JOHN J. BLAIR earned the first of his $20,000,000 as a trapper.

CYRUS W. FIELD got his start as clerk in a commission house at $2 a week.

WILLIAM WEIGHTMAN, who is worth $20,000,000, started life as a drug clerk.

EX-GOVERNOR ALGER, of Michigan, studied law while working on a farm at $5 a month.

ERASTUS WIMAN, as a boy, worked for farmers about Toronto, Can., for 50 cents a week.

JOHN HOEY when a boy carried messages for the concern of which he is now president.

ADDISON CAMMACK began life as a messenger boy in a New Orleans shipping firm's office.

ABRAM R. ENO made the first part of his fortune of $20,000,000 in a small retail dry-goods store.

ROSWELL P. FLOWER began his money-making operations as a day laborer in a brickyard at High Falls, N. Y.

EX-SENATOR DAVIS, the wealthy West Virginian, was once a brakeman on the Baltimore and Ohio railroad.

SIDNEY DILLON earned his first money by carrying water to the laborers on the railroad between Albany and Schenectady.

"DEACON" S. V. WHITE, who made $2,000,000 out of a shrewd deal in Lakawanna stocks, used to be a reporter in St. Louis.

TREADWELL KETCHAM, New Haven's wealthiest citizen, worked on a Long Island farm for his board and clothes until he was twenty-one.

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A New Alliteration in which a Place for the Mammoth City of New York is Asked—Description of a Marvel of Boat Building Kind which has been Built at Glasgow.

LONDON, July 31.—The new ocean steamer that has James G. Blaine for one of its passengers will be seen for the first time in New York on August 7th. The ocean cables carries the news here that a great demonstration is to be made at your metropolis in honor of Mr. Blaine and of course the boat that takes him homeward will come in for some share of the big boom that is hatching there.

THE CITY OF NEW YORK.

So I sent down to Glasgow and got a picture of the City of New York from her builders, James and George Thomsons. They also furnished me with the data for this letter, the first reliable description sent from here I think.

The latest alliteration should be "Blaine, Boom and Boat."

The largest passenger steamer afloat is the City of New York, so the "boat" part must not be lost sight of. And in view of the fact that it was only fifty years and two or three months ago that the first steamships to ply regularly between the Old and New Worlds were seen in New York harbor the addition of this triumph of boat building to the great ocean fleet of the present has great significance. This floating palace is a sort of mark for the end of the first half-century's progress in boat building.

The City of New York could transport a little army at one passage, for she has accommodations for 2,000 persons. Her gross tonnage is 10,500 tons, and her engine power will very considerably exceed that of any other merchant steamer in the world, being 20,000 indicated horse power. The Umbria and Etruria, the fastest Atlantic vessels, have engines of only 14,321 horse power. Indeed, no vessel in the British navy has engine power equal to that of the City of New York, and very few foreign war ships exceed it.

The Italian ironclad Sardegna has engines of about 25,000 indicated horse power, but in her case there are two sets of twin screw engines. In the City of New York there is one set of twin screw triple expansion engines. This twin screw arrangement is almost a necessity, owing to the great power to be developed, and it carries with it many advantages. It permits of the engines being completely separated, the one from the other, by means of a longitudinal bulkhead carried to the main deck.

There are in all nine boilers of steel in the City of New York, each weighing 74 tons. They are strongly built and measure 15 1-2 feet in diameter and 19 feet long. In each there are six furnaces with corrugated flues, of course, and they work to a pressure of 160 pounds to the square inch. The enormous capacity for raising steam which these nine boilers possess may be conceived when it is stated that, were all the tubes in the nine boilers to be joined the one to the other, they would extend in length to thirteen and a half Scotch miles. The appliance for forcing a draught in the boilers is fitted on the same principles as that used in the navy and known as the Stokehold system. This will be the first Atlantic vessel that has been worked on this system.

The new steamer has five decks in addition to her double bottoms. The top-most deck, the promenade, extends unbroken to stern, from stem to stern, and is like that in many Atlantic steamers, and is open at the sides for the greater part of its length.

The leading feature of the interior of the vessel is the first class dining saloon, situated forward on the upper deck. The structional arrangement of the hall is a specialty of the builder's. To obviate a low roof the designer of the vessels has taken in the height of two and one half decks to make an arched roof twenty feet high. The floor of the saloon is on the upper deck, and the arch rises four feet above the top of the houses on the deck above the promenade. The length of this arch is 33 feet and its span is 23 feet. Along each side of the saloon there are recesses in which parties may dine separately. The arch has a steel frame work, with stained-glass windows, protected by an outer and much stronger structure, which should withstand Neptune's wildest blast. Three hundred people may dine in the saloon at the same time.

There are large pantries alongside the saloon and these are supplied by hydraulic lifts from the galley on the deck below. At the after end of the saloon is a hall, which gives entrance to a grand stairway—the principal of many in the ship—leading to the promenade or weather deck. The drawing room and library for first class passengers are situated at the top of this stair. The former is forward, above the hall, and the latter is aft.

In the drawing room there is the inevitable piano and lounges and chairs. At the forward end is a large oriel window, forming part of the gable of the arch of the saloon. This window, while on the promenade deck, is practically a balcony, from which a view can be had of the dining room below. Opposite the drawing room window, on the end of the arch, there is an organ, with an organ loft, entrance to which is from the promenade deck. The library is an apartment shaped like an hour glass, being narrowest in the middle line of the ship and widest at the sides. The greatest amount of light is thus got for a given space. An ornamental skylight gives ample light in the center, which is farthest removed from the side lights. The library contains 800 volumes.

Aft of the funnels on the upper deck there is accommodation provided for a large number of diners, the idea being that here children and servants may dine. The first-class smoking-room is situated on the upper deck at the after end of the ship. It is an apartment forty-five feet long and twenty-seven feet broad, and will afford very comfortable accommodation for about 130.

In all nearly 700 first-class passengers have been provided for. The largest and best apartments in the ship are fourteen suites of rooms, equally divided between the promenade and upper deck. These suites of rooms are self-contained. The arrangements and furnishings are such that the occupants may, if they choose, remain indoors during the whole voyage and have their food served there privately. He may also, if inclined, invite a few fellow voyagers to his own cabin and entertain them there. There are five couches and two arm chairs, and in general appearance the apartments look like small drawing rooms. The furniture, however, is arranged so that four beds can be easily and quickly formed in each suite of rooms at night. A toilet stand and the requisites for dressing are also fitted, and can be transformed into a card table. Adjoining several of these parlors are private bath rooms.

There are twenty-five day sitting rooms for first-class passengers, twenty-one on the promenade and four on the upper deck. These rooms are like ordinary cabins, with couches on each side. If required for sleeping accommodations, beds can readily be made suitable for four persons, the rooms being of great size. In ordinary circumstances, however, they will be used for sitting rooms. Staterooms have been provided on the main and lower decks of the ship for 479 first-class passengers.

The second-class passengers are accommodated on the main and lower decks in staterooms. The dining saloon is situated aft on the upper deck. It is an apartment 27 feet long and 40 feet wide, capable of accommodating 150.

The second-class smoking-room is situated on the promenade deck, and beside it is a stairway leading to the dining saloon on the deck below, and the private rooms. There are 96 staterooms for 300 second-class passengers situated in the upper end of the main and lower saloon decks.

Electric lights prevent any feeling of the want of daylight, and a unique method of ventilation has been adopted to secure fresh air in the inside as well as outside rooms, and during bad as well as good weather. The emigrants have rooms provided for them at the two extreme ends of the lower and main decks. The sleeping berths are in the middle line of the ship, and not, as is usual, built on the sides of the hull. The voyagers are therefore enabled to use, during the day, the part of the deck best lighted.

In the forecastle there are accommodations for what may be termed the non-commissioned officers of the ship, while the seamen are housed in the fore end of the ship on the deck underneath. In the forecastle, also, are lavatories, etc., and two hospitals. In the poop aft the officers have their public rooms and here are situated two other hospitals. The space left for promenading on the upper deck is ten feet on each side.

The deck house in the center extends almost from end to end of the ship and contains most of the principal public apartments in the boat. The main and lower decks are in many respects similar.

The engine and boiler spaces take up about 140 feet of the length of the ship. On each level there are five water-tight compartments given over to passenger's rooms, and each has a stairway to the upper deck. The lower deck is for emigrants or luggage.

A wonderful ship is the City of New York. Don't forget the "boat" in the "Blaine Boom."

M. A. MCGREGOR.

DEPARTMENT OF LABOR.

What the Duties of the Commissioner are Henceforth.

WASHINGTON, July 31.—Since the President signed the bill which changes the bureau of labor to a department, general interest has been awakened in the matter among labor organizations of the country. The commissioner must now report to the president, instead of to the commissioner of the interior.

I have been looking up this labor department business and am inclined to believe the opposition which has been made to it at different times was because the aims of the former bureau and present department have been misunderstood. The new law in fact makes the Department of Labor one for capital as well; for the law is a broad one, and admits of investigation which, if thoroughly carried out, cannot fail to be of benefit to all classes. The facts ascertained will be of especial value to congress, should that body be called to legislate upon the questions involved. In fact the department ought to become an efficient source of enlightenment to all who interest themselves in current economic and social problems. Facts derived from original and impartial inquiry, are the only safe guides to follow, and this institution in gathering and presenting them to the public, will accomplish much good.

The effect of the act will be not merely to dignify the position of the institution, but the increased appropriations will greatly add to its sphere of usefulness. The scope of the department will be "to acquire and diffuse among the people of the United States useful information on subjects connected with labor, in the most general and comprehensive sense of that word, and especially upon its relation to capital; the hours of labor, the earnings of laboring men and women, and the means of promoting their material, social, moral and intellectual prosperity.

The commissioner is also specially charged to ascertain the cost of producing articles at the time dutiable in the United States, in leading countries where such articles are produced, by fully specified units of production, and under a classification showing the different elements of cost, or approximate cost, of such articles of production, including wages paid in such industries per day, week, month or year, or by the piece; and hours employed per day; and the profits of the manufacturers and producers of such articles; and the comparative cost of living and the kind of living.

Also to ascertain and report as to the effect of the customs laws, and the effect thereupon of the state of the currency in the United States, on the agricultural industry, especially as to its effect on mortgage indebtedness of farmers; and what articles are controlled by trusts or other combinations of capital, business operations, or labor and what effect said trusts, or other combinations of capital, business operations, or labor have on production and prices. Also establish a system of reports by which, at intervals of not less than two years, he can report the general condition, so far as production is concerned, of the leading industries of the country.

He is also specially charged to investigate the causes of, and facts relating to all controversies and disputes between employers and employes as they may occur, and which may tend to interfere with the welfare of the people of the different states, and report thereon to congress. And also obtain such information upon the various subjects committed to him as he may deem desirable from different foreign nations and what, if any, convict-made goods are imported into this country, and if so from whence.

H. O. WENTWORTH.

A Girl Musical Prodigy.

Another musical prodigy has appeared. This one is a girl 10 years old who plays the violin and interprets works of the greatest musicians in a way that arouses the wildest enthusiasm in Italy, if we are to believe those who are about to bring her before the public.

Giuletta Dionesi, the girl in question, comes from a musical family of Leghorn. Her father, who is a violinist, was her first teacher, but although he is an accomplished musician she has already far outstripped him.

As the season is over in London, this infant phenomenon will probably be taken to America. If she does all that is promised, her elder brother, who is described as an already promising composer, will probably accompany her on her travels.—[New York Times.

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Leave New York from foot of Liberty Street, 4.00, 5.45, 7.00, 8.00, 9.00, 10.15, 11.00 a. m., 1.00, 1.30, 2.30, 3.30, 3.45, 4.00, 4.30, 5.00, 5.15, 5.30, 5.45, 6.00, 6.30, 7.00, 7.30, 8.00, 8.30, 9.30, 11.30, 12.00 p. m. Sunday—5.00, 8.45, 9.00, a. m., 12.00, m., 1.30, 4.00, 5.30, 6.30, 9.30, 12.00, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND NEWARK.

Leave Plainfield 5.43, 6.29, 6.59, 7.30, 8.00, 8.40, 9.52, 10.37, 11.08, 11.42, a. m., 12.30, 1.21, 1.30, 2.57, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05, 6.55, 7.13, 8.48, 9.18, 11.23 p. m. Sunday—8.57, 10.33, 11.32, a. m., 1.27, 3.30, 5.16, 7.20, 9.22, p. m.

Leave Newark—7.05, 8.35, 9.05, 10.35, 11.05, a. m., 1.05, 2.35, 2.40, 3.40, 4.00, 4.35, 5.05, 5.35, 5.54, 6.20, 7.10, 7.35, 8.20, 9.45, 11.15 p. m. Sunday—8.57, a. m., 12.20, 1.45, 4.10, 5.35, 9.15, p. m.

Passengers for Newark change cars at Elizabeth.

PLAINFIELD AND SOMERVILLE.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, 10.13, 11.30, 11.46 a.m. 2.02, 3.46, 4.34, 5.17, 5.31, 6.02, 6.38, 6.58, 7.30, 8.08, 8.17, 9.46, 10.45, 12.43, p. m. Sunday—6.12, 10.14, a. m., 1.45, 5.14, 6.35, 10.45, p. m.

Leave Somerville 6.00, 6.30, 7.05, 7.35, 7.50, 8.25, 10.15, 11.15 a. m., 12.55, 2.00, 3.25, 5.00, 5.50, 6.47, 8.15, 8.40, 11.00, p. m. Sunday—8.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.00, 4.50, 7.00, 8.50, p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND EASTON.

Leave Plainfield 5.12, 6.58, 8.05, 9.24, a. m., 2.02, 4.34, 5.92, 5.17, 6.38, p. m. Sunday—6.12, a. m., 6.35, p. m.

Leave Easton 8.10, 8.57, a. m., 12.40, 4.15, 5.35, 7 p. m. Sundays—7.15, a. m., 7. p. m.

PLAINFIELD AND LAKE HOPATCONG.

Leave Plainfield 6.58, 9.24, a. m., 5.15 (through coach) p. m. Sundays—6.12 a. m.

WESTWARD CONNECTIONS.

LEAVE PLAINFIELD

5.12, a. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg and Mauch Chunk. Sundays—6.12 a. m. for Easton.

6.58 a. m. for Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown.

8.05 a. m. for Flemington, Easton, Bangor and Mauch Chunk.

9.24, a. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, Williamsport, Tamaqua Nanticoke, Upper Lehigh, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

2.02, p. m.—For Flemington, Easton, Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, Mauch Chunk, &c.

4.34, p. m.—For Easton, Bangor, Mauch Chunk, Tamaqua, Shamokin, Drifton, Wilkesbarre, Scranton, &c.

5.02 and 5.17, p. m.—For Flemington, High Bridge Branch, Schooley's Mountain, Easton, Bethlehem and Allentown, Reading, Harrisburg, &c.

6.02, p. m.—For Flemington.

6.38, p. m.—For Easton, Allentown, Mauch Chunk, &c.

Long Branch, Ocean Grove, &c.

Leave Plainfield 3.27, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, (through coach) 3.51, 6.05, p. m. Sundays (except Ocean Grove) 8.57, a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Perth Amboy—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 10.37, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

For Matawan—3.27, 5.43, 8.00, 8.40, 11.08, a. m., 1.21, 2.25, 3.51, 5.25, 6.05 p. m. Sunday—8.57 a. m., 3.30 p. m.

BOUND BROOK ROUTE.

Leave Plainfield for Philadelphia and Trenton—5.12, 8.29, 9.45, 11.44, a. m., 2.16, 3.45*, 6.02*, 8.17, p. m., 1.15 night. Sunday—9.39, a. m., 6.24, p. m., 1.25 night.

RETURNING—LEAVE PHILADELPHIA

Ninth and Green streets, 7.30*, 8.30*, 9.30, 11.00, a. m., 1.15, 3.45, 5.15, 7.00, 12.00, p. m. Sunday—9.30, a. m., 12.00, p. m.

From Third and Berks streets, 8.20*, 9.05, 10.30, a. m., 1.05, 3.30, 5.00, 6.00, 11.40 p.m. Sunday—8.20, a. m., 4.30, p. m.

Leave Trenton, Warren and Tucker streets, 1.20, 8.00*, 9.00*, 10.30, 11.35, a. m., 1.54, 4.25, 5.55, 7.40, p. m. Sunday—1.25, 9.18, 9.40, a. m., 5.15, p. m.

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